

environment your child has chosen is in fact a productive one. Keep other routines the same, such as time for doing homework, place to organize work and supplies, and storage.

F. Test Preparation

The most effective way to prepare for tests and quizzes is to start early. If the teacher announces that a test or quiz is approaching, begin studying with your child as soon as possible. Use the Test Practice Questions at the end of the chapter as a point of origin.



Then, use the visual aids in the Student Edition and material from the workbook to reread and review standards and concepts.

When reviewing Key Words, it's always fun to make flashcards and play memory games to test your child's knowledge. You can make flashcards by taking an index card and writing the word on one side and the definition in the other. As always, be sure that your child has adequate rest the night before, and starts the day with a healthy breakfast the morning of the test (and always!).

Understanding the Student Edition

A. Letter to Student

The Student Edition introduces each section of study with a "Letter to the Student", which is one form of keeping the channels of communication open with school, teacher, and parent regarding content-related material. In the letter, the writer informs the student about the topic to be covered and prepares him/her

