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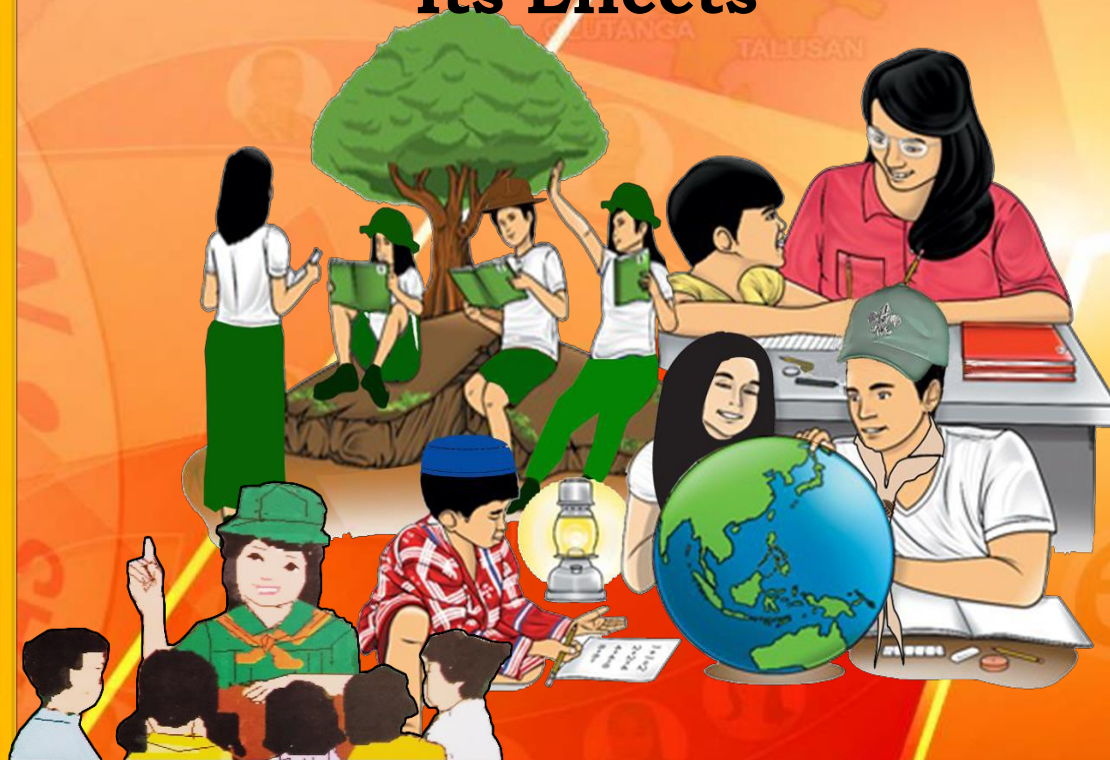


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# Science

## Quarter 4 - Module 4 Earth's Motion and Its Effects



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## What I Need to Know

The stars at night appear to move very slowly. It is because the Earth is constantly moving. This movement causes the day to turn night and summer to become winter.



This module was made and written to help you know and understand the earth's motion and its effects. After going through the module, you are expected to:

1. Differentiate rotation and revolution
2. Describe the effects of the earth's motions.



## What's In

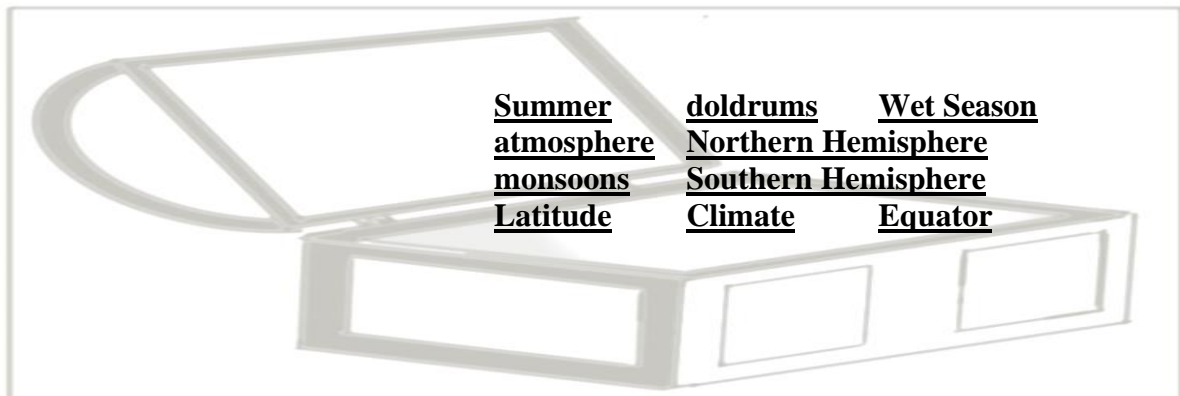
Hey kid! Can you still recall your lesson? Let us try!

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### ACTIVITY 1: "Treasure Hunt"

**Directions:** Find the correct answer from the treasure box. Write your answer on the space provided before each number.



- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The season of abundance sunlight.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. An imaginary line dividing the earth into two halves
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The season when the country experiences storms.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. They are called winds at the equator.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The average of all weather conditions prevailing in a particular area over a long period.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. The distance measured in degrees from the equator to the North or South pole.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Seasonal winds that our country experiences.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. The blanket of air surrounding Earth.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Places found above the equator.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Places found below the equator.



## What's New

Hey kid! Welcome to the next activities.

### ACTIVITY 2: Let us do these!

Materials: Globe, pen cap, candle, match, table

Note: In case you don't have a Globe, you can use a **ball**.

#### Activity 2.1

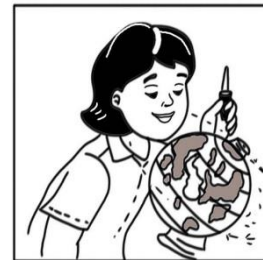
1. Get a globe and place it on the table.
2. Rotate the globe or ball from west to east.
3. As the globe or ball moves, drop a pen cap on the north polar region.
4. Observe what happens to the pen cap.

- **In what direction does the pen cap fall?**

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_.

- **Why do you think the pen cap fell in that direction?**

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_.



The Earth's Rotation

#### Activity 2.2

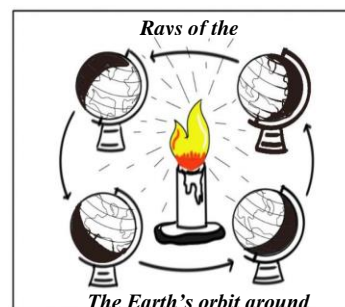
1. Position a lighting candle at the center of the table. This will represent the sun.
2. Position the globe in four specific directions.

- **What part of the globe receives direct or vertical rays of the sun (lighting candle)?**

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

- **Do you think the rays of the sunlight are the same in all parts of the Earth?**

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_





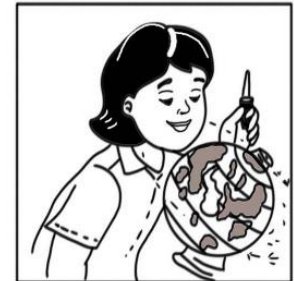


## What is It

In addition to your learning, here is the brief explanation about the Earth's motion and description of their effects.

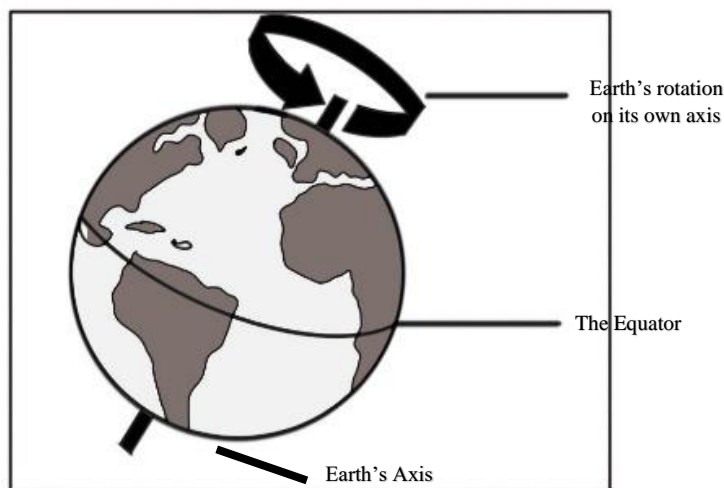
*The first activity above is an example of Earth's Rotation.*

The Earth is constantly moving. The Earth rotates every twenty-four hours. **Rotation** is when planet spins around once. The Earth rotates counterclockwise. It is not the Sun's movement that causes days, but rather the Earth turning around in front of the Sun. The Earth's axis is the point at which it rotates around and tilted at 23.5 degrees.



Activity 2.1 "What's New"

In the activity above, as the globe rotates, the pen cap moved sideward instead of directly toward the tabletop. The globe rotation caused the pen cap to fall sideward. It falls sideward because the object where it fell is moving. If the pen cap represents the wind, what will be the effect of the Earth's Rotation on its direction? If the Earth is not rotating on its axis, would the wind's direction be the same?



The world's winds do not move up and down. One reason is that the Earth's rotation causes the winds moving from the poles toward the equator to be deflected or turns sideward. This wind behavior is due to **Coriolis Effect**. The second reason is the unequal heating of land and water.

*The second activity above explained the Earth's Revolution.*

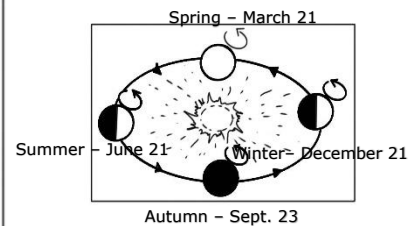
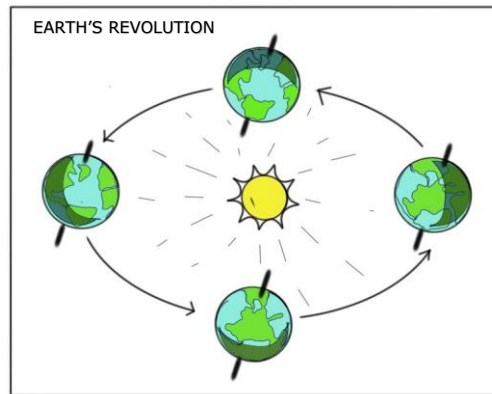
**"Revolution"** is another type of Earth's Motion. It is when one object completes a circular path around another object. The Earth revolves around the sun in 365.24. The Earth takes 365.24, this is why a year is 365 days long. It follows a path called **orbit** in an **elliptical** shape.

Look at the illustration of the Earth in space at different days of the year. Notice how the Earth's axis remains parallel as it revolves around the sun. The axis points to the same direction in space. It always points to north star, **Polaris**. Take note of the earth's position on June 21 or 22. On these

dates, the northern hemisphere experiences the shortest day. This date is called the **summer solstice**. The northern hemisphere receives more direct rays of the sun while the southern hemisphere receives less. On December 21 or 22, the northern hemisphere experiences the shortest day while the southern hemisphere experiences the longest day. This date is called the **winter solstice**. The southern hemisphere receives more direct rays of the sun this time.



Activity 2.2 "What's New"



The Earth at Different seasons of the year

In addition, this movement cause the seasons. The temperate countries experience four seasons. These are summer, autumn, winter and spring.



### What's More

You have come a long way in your module!  
Now answer the following activities. Good luck!

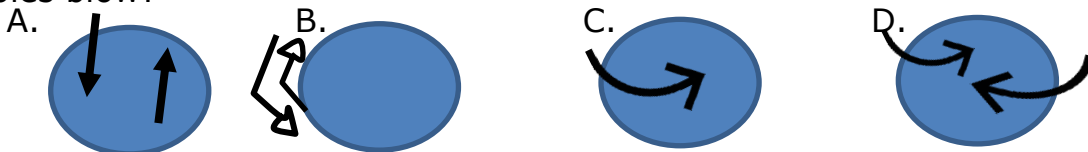
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### Activity: 3

Encircle the letter of the correct answer.

1. If the Earth was not rotating on its axis, how would the winds from the poles blow?



2. Which of the following causes the winds to blow sideward?

- A. Unequal heating of land and water
- B. The earth's rotation on its axis
- C. The different bodies of water
- D. Both a and b.

3. What is the significance of the Coriolis Effect?

- A. The winds move from the poles toward the equator to blowing sideward (right side)
- B. The trade winds meet together in the intertropical convergence zone.
- C. The winds would blow toward the poles.
- D. Both A and B.

4. What is the exact inclination on its axis of the earth as it revolves around the sun?
  - A. 24 ½ degrees
  - B. 365 degrees
  - C. 23.5 degrees
  - D. 365.24 degrees
5. Why does the Philippines have only two seasons?
  - A. Because it is on temperature zone
  - B. Because of many mountains
  - C. because of its latitude
  - D. because it has seas.
6. Why do other countries in the temperate zone experience four seasons?
  - A. Because of Earth's Inclination
  - B. Because of the Earth's revolution
  - C. Because of the Earth's Rotation
  - D. Both a and b.
7. The axis remains parallel as it revolves around the sun and points to the same direction in space. It always points to north star called \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. Polaris
  - B. Canopus
  - C. Arcturus
  - D. Sirius
8. The earth rotates on its axis in a/an \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. East-to-west direction
  - B. West-to-east direction
  - C. South-to-west direction
  - D. North-to-south direction
9. What solstice occurs when the northern hemisphere experiences the shortest day?
  - A. Summer solstice
  - B. Winter solstice
  - C. Autumn solstice
  - D. Spring solstice
10. Why does summer warmer than winter?
  - A. Because of the annual date
  - B. Because the sun's rays shine more directly than winter
  - C. Because nights are longer than days
  - D. Because of solstices

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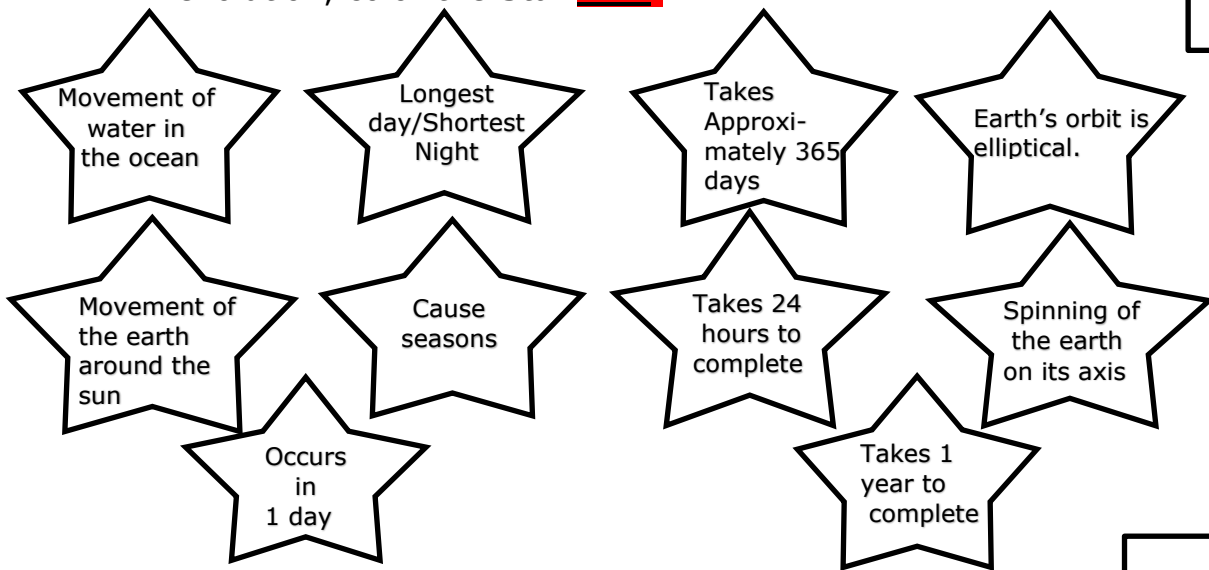
**Activity 4:** Put a check (✓) if the statement is right and (X) if it's not.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The part of the sun experiences day while the part away from the sun experiences night.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Temperate zone are countries located near from the equator.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Earth axis is tilted that's why it experiences unequal periods of light and darkness at different time of the year.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Rotation is when the planet spins twice.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The Earths tilting on its axis and its revolution around the sun cause the occurrence of the four seasons in temperate zone.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. When the northern hemisphere experiences the shortest day, this date is called winter solstice.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The areas near the equator experience moderate climate and they do not have snowy winter.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. The world's winds move up and down.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. The Earth's rotation causes the winds moving from the poles toward the equator to be deflected or turns sideward.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Earth's revolution causes the four seasons.

**Activity 5:** Identify if the STAR describes rotation or revolution. Color the Star **YELLOW** if it describes rotation, and if it describes revolution, color the Star **RED**.

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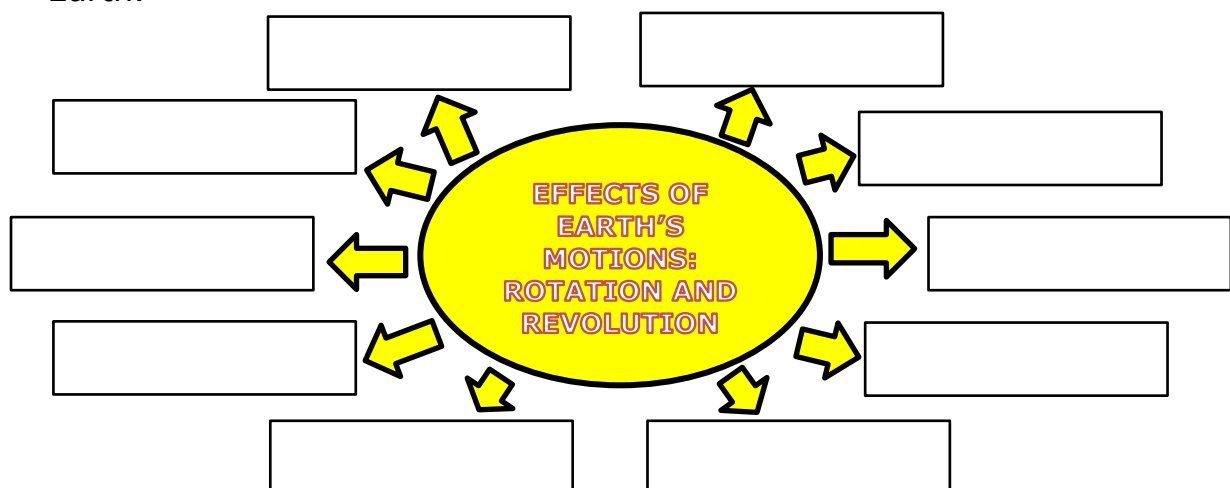


**Activity 6:** Read carefully **EACH** sentence below and choose ten details that describes the *effects* of rotation and revolution. Write it on the boxes to complete the organizer.

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- 1.It is responsible for daylight and Nighttime.
- 2.We get seasons.
3. It is responsible for breeding.
- 4.It is responsible why we see stars.
- 5.It causes volcanic eruptions and earthquakes.
- 6.It provides daily weather.
- 7.It affects the global wind system.
- 8.It affects the moving objects on earth.
- 9.It affects the different layers of the Earth.
- 10.It gives four seasons to the temperate zone.
- 11.We experience equinoxes.
12. We experience solstices.
- 13.It affects the climate of a place.
- 14.It causes wind and water pollution.
- 15.It causes the Wind to move up and down.
- 16.It creates low and high pressures areas.





## What I Have Learned

Amazing! You reach in this page. Now complete this activity. Come on!

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Activity 7: Directions: Choose the correct answer from the box.

Rotation      solstice      counterclockwise      equinox      fall      spring  
Coriolis effect      day-night      23.5 degrees      365 days      seasons  
summer      winter      twenty – four hours      revolution

\_\_\_\_\_ is when the planet spins around once. The Earth rotates every \_\_\_\_\_, it rotates in \_\_\_\_\_ direction. The Earth Axis is tilted to \_\_\_\_\_. It affects wind movement called \_\_\_\_\_. It causes \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ and affects the movement of the ocean.

\_\_\_\_\_ is when the planet completes a circular path around the Sun. One year with \_\_\_\_\_ completes one revolution. It movements causes four \_\_\_\_\_ namely \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ in temperate zone. It also causes \_\_\_\_\_ which makes day and night of equal length while \_\_\_\_\_ when one hemisphere experience shortest day or longest day of the year.



## What I Can Do

You've reached in this page. It means you really understand your lesson. Keep it up! Here is your another activity to answer. Good luck!

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Directions: Draw images of Earth's rotation and revolution on the labelled boxes. Below Each box, write at least three details that describes the effects of each Earth's motion.

### Rubric

	5	4	3	2
<b>Accuracy</b>	Draw accurately to what is required.	Draw with few missing components/details.	Draw with missing components/details.	Draw with no accuracy at all.
<b>Correct answer</b>	All answers are correct. No error.	There were one – two errors.	There are more than three wrong answers.	Only one or two answers are correct
<b>Neatness</b>	The illustration is exceptionally neat.	The illustration is neat.	The illustration is neat but some parts are not.	The illustration is messy.



"Earth's Rotation"

"Earth's Revolution"



"Describe the effects of this Earth's Motion"

1.

2.

3.



"Describe the effects of this Earth's Motion"

1.

2.

3.



## Assessment

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Hey kid! You are about to end this fun module. But, take this assessment to assess if you understand your lesson. Good luck!

### SET A

**Direction:** Match column A to column B.

#### Column A

- When planet spins once
- Completes a circular path
- Day and night in equal length
- Longest day or shortest day of the year
- Earth's direction of rotation
- Wind deflected and turn sideward
- North star where Earth's axis always points
- One rotation completes.
- One revolution takes.
- Cause by earth's movement in temperate zone

#### Column B

- Coriolis Effect
- Counterclockwise
- Equinox
- Polaris
- Revolution
- Rotation
- Seasons
- Solstice
- 24 hours
- 365  $\frac{1}{4}$  days

**"SCRAMBLED LETTERS"**

**Direction:** Arrange the scrambled letters to form word that will complete the statement below.

1. The Earth rotates in a (retnouckwseilocc)\_\_\_\_\_.
2. A (iontarot)\_\_\_\_\_ is when the planet spins once.
3. The position of the Earth gives equal day and night is called \_\_\_\_\_ (noixuqe).
4. When the object completes a circular path around another subject is called (itruloveon)\_\_\_\_\_.
5. One revolution completes ( $\frac{1}{4}$  653 ysda)\_\_\_\_\_.
6. The four \_\_\_\_\_ (onsesas) can be experienced on the temperate zone.
7. One rotation completes (42 ourhs)\_\_\_\_\_.
8. Earth's axis always point to the North Star named (arislop) \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Earth rotation causes the wind to be deflected and are called as (riocolis ffecte)\_\_\_\_\_.
10. As the Earth revolves around the sun, it experiences shortest/longest day/night this is called (ecitslos)\_\_\_\_\_.

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## ANSWER KEY

Assessment:

SET A

1.F

2.E

3.C

4.H

5.B

6.A

7.D

8.I

9.J

10.G

SET B

1. counterclockwise

2.rotation

3.equinox

4.revolution

5.365 days

6.seasons

7.24 hours

8. Polaris

9.Coriolis effect

10. solstice

Activity 4:

1. ✓

2. X

3. ✓

4.X

5. ✓

6.X

7. ✓

8.X

9. ✓

10. ✓

Activity 5:

Yellow:

Movement of the ocean

Occurs 1 day

Takes 24 hrs to complete

Spinning the Earth on its

axis

Red:

Movement of the Earth

around the Sun

Longest day / shortest

night

Cause seasons

Takes approximately 365

days

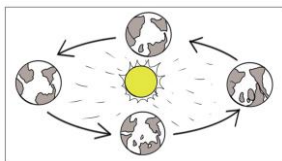
Takes 1 year to complete

Earth's orbit is elliptical

What Can I do



Movement of the wind  
Movement of the ocean  
Day and night



Experience equinoxes  
Experience 365 days  
Experience seasons

( Note: The answer of the

pupil may vary. Rubrics

must be used by the

teacher)

Activity 2:

1.It falls sideward

2. because of the direction

of the rotating globe

1. The front part facing

the light directly.

2. No, it is not the same

because the back portion

of the globe did not

receive any light.

What's More

Activity3:

1.d

2.d

3.d

4.c

5.c

6.d

7.a

8.b

9.a

10. b

Activity

1. It is responsible for

daylight and nighttime

2. We get seasons

4.It is responsible why we

see stars.

6. It provides daily

weather.

7. It affects the global

wind system.

10. It gives four seasons to

the temperate zone.

11. we experience

equinox.

12. We experience solstice

of the place.

14. It creates low and

pressure area.

Activity 7:

Rotation, twenty-four

hours,counterclockwise,23

.5 degrees,Coriolis effect,

day and night

Revolution, 365 days,

seasons,summer, winter

fall

spring,equinox,solstice.

What's In

Activity 1

1. summer

2. equator

3.wet/rainy seasons

4. doldrums

5. climate

6. latitude

7. monsoons

8. atmosphere

9. Northern Hemisphere

10. Southern Hemisphere

