

# CHAPTER 4

## Lesson Plans

## Section 2 ■ The Inner Planets

### Schedule

Block Schedule: 1 session (■ denotes activities recommended for block schedule.)

Single Periods: 2 sessions

### Objectives

3. List the inner planets and their relative order from the Sun.
4. Describe important characteristics of each inner planet.
5. Compare and contrast Venus and Earth.

#### National Standards

UCP1, A1, B2, D3

### Motivate

- Section Focus Transparency 2, **TCR** (Transparency Master and Study Guide, p. 49, **CRB**)

### Teach

- Activity, p. 111, **TWE**
- Extension, p. 111, **TWE**
- Teacher FYI, pp. 111, 114, **TWE**
- Discussion, p. 112, **TWE**
- Visual Learning, p. 112, **TWE**
- Quick Demo, p. 112, **TWE**
- Curriculum Connection, p. 112, **TWE**
- MiniLAB: Inferring Effects on Gravity, p. 113 (MiniLAB Worksheet, p. 3, **CRB**)
- Science Online, p. 114
- Math Skills Activity, p. 114
- Inclusion Strategies, p. 114, **TWE**
- Content Outline for Teaching, Section 2 (Note-taking Worksheet, pp. 35–38, **CRB**)
- Laboratory Activity 1, pp. 9–12, **CRB**
- Spanish Resources, Section 2, **CRB**

### Assess

- Section Assessment, p. 115
- Skill Builder Activities, p. 115
- Performance Assessment in the Science Classroom, pp. 46, 89, 173, **TCR**

### Reteach/Reinforce

- Directed Reading for Content Mastery, pp. 19, 20, **CRB**
- Spanish Directed Reading for Content Mastery, pp. 23, 24, **CRB**
- Reinforcement, p. 28, **CRB**
- Mathematics Skill Activities, p. 1, **TCR**
- Reading and Writing Skill Activities, p. 11, **TCR**

### Enrich/Apply

- Enrichment, p. 32, **CRB**
- Earth Science Critical Thinking/Problem-Solving, p. 8, **TCR**

### Multimedia Options

- Vocabulary Puzzlemaker Software, Ch. 4
- Guided Reading Audio Program (English & Spanish), Ch. 4
- Using the Internet in the Science Classroom, **TCR**
- Science Web site: [science.glencoe.com](http://science.glencoe.com)