

# Unit 3

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Reader's Notebook

### Mini-lesson: Presentation

#### During Reading

1. Was the choice of layout effective?

Possible answers include: the use of photographs instead of drawings made it seem more technical, the photos helped the explanation of each topic.

2. Which elements were effective? Why?

Possible answers include:

The subheadings were interesting enough to make me want to read the explanation.

The photos captured my attention and I wanted more information after I looked at them.

3. Do you think the writer achieved his purpose?

Possible answers include: Yes or No.

4. How interested were you while reading the selection?

Possible answers include: I really liked this selection. This selection was too hard for me.

## After Reading

1. Why did you design your explanation/article this way?

Possible answers include: I patterned it after the ones in the textbook, I used a lot of graphics because they help explain.

2. What did you learn about presentation elements?

Possible answers include: importance of layout, to use pictures to add to my description, not just be “fill” in.

3. Why is presentation an important part of the writing process?

Possible answers include: It can add or detract from the explanation.