

# Student REVIEW GUIDES

## How to Use Student Guides & Teacher CDs

### **DYNA NOTES**™ Student Review Guides and Teacher CDs

- ✓ STAAR student review guides and teacher CDs for grades 3 to 8
- ✓ STAAR End-of-Course student review guides and teacher CDs for high school subjects
- ✓ TEKS Aligned student review guides and teacher CDs for grades 5 and 8 science
- ✓ TAKS student review guides and teacher CDs for exit level math, ELA, and science



#### Independent Student Use

Use the student review guide as a reference and study aid:

- ✓ Complete practice problems and activities at school and at home
- ✓ Review guide contents before tests
- ✓ Refer to guide to justify and correct homework or test responses

*Empower and motivate your students!*

#### Teacher Use

Use the student review guides as a planning and communication tool:

- ✓ Double-check lesson plans for required vocabulary and content
- ✓ Refer students to their guides for visual instead of verbal reminders
- ✓ Coordinate with other teachers to identify cross-curriculum integration opportunities

*Plan and communicate effectively!*

#### Whole Classroom Use

Use the teacher CD to display one section of the student guide at a time:

- ✓ Introduce new material
- ✓ Refer back to covered material throughout the year
- ✓ Conduct an organized, familiar pre-test review

*Save classroom time!*

#### Small Group / Center Use

Use the student review guide as a resource to create an accurate, vocabulary-rich conversation among students:

- ✓ Build word walls or folded paper projects
- ✓ Create or play games with flashcards, activity cards, and matching/memory cards
- ✓ Compose stories, songs, or poems utilizing required vocabulary

*Make learning fun!*

#### Parent Use

Use the student review guide to transform concerned parents into helpful partners:

- ✓ Provide parents an overview of the content
- ✓ Empower parents to assist their child with homework and content review
- ✓ Establish a common language for parent-teacher discussions

*Support parental involvement!*

