

## Anticipation Guide

(Pre-read and after reading comprehension activity)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of the Reading: **An American Hero Flies Again**

**Directions:** First, read each statement and circle **true** or **false** in the Before Reading section. Next, read the information. Then, re-read each statement and circle **true** or **false** in the After Reading section. Compare your answers.

Statements	Before Reading	After Reading
1. In the 1950s, the United States and the Soviet Union were in a space race.	T or F	T or F <small>page # _____</small>
2. John Glenn was the first man in space.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
3. At the age of 77 years old, John Glenn went into space.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
4. NASA wanted to study the effects of aging on the body.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
5. John Glenn had to pass written tests to make sure he was smart enough.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
6. John Glenn had to prepare for months. He had to be able to save himself in an emergency.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
7. John Glenn went to the moon in October of 1998.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
8. John Glenn is a hero because he worked hard for his country.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>

Did you change your response because of what you read? \_\_\_\_\_

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