**Earth Moon and Sun**

**Test Review**

* **Big Bang Theory:** *All matter was condensed into a very small space and then an explosion happened. This marked the beginning of what we now call the universe.*
* **Geocentric:** *The Earth is the center of the universe and the Sun and the planets orbit the Earth.*

**What led to the Geocentric theory?**

*Observations of* ***sun rising and setting*** *and stars* ***moving across the night sky***

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| **Geocentric Model***Take notice of where the Earth is located in this model*.  | http://t1.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcSfac8QqnfDK_GR4yLFjzN6wKPNA16A63YMMZtkzLr4jswg7j1VDg:scienceblogs.com/startswithabang/files/2010/09/image005.jpeg |

* **Heliocentric:** *The Sun is the center of the universe and the planets and Earth orbit the sun*

**What led to the development of the heliocentric theory?** *Geocentric could not explain Moon phases*

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**Earth’s Motions**

**Rotation vs. Revolution**

**ROTATION**



* Rotation = *spinning*
* For the Earth to make one full rotation it takes *24 hours*
* Daily changes rotation of Earth is responsible for include: *sunrise and sunset, moon rise and set,*  and the *tides*

**REVOLUTION**

* Revolution = *Going around something*
* If you live in the NY you live in the *Northern* Hemisphere.

Label the Northern and Southern Hemisphere on the globe.

* The Earth revolves around the *Sun.*
* For the Earth to make one full revolution it takes *365 days or 1 year.*
* The Earth’s revolving motion is responsible for yearly changes in *seasons*  and *stars in the night sky*
* During the Summer, the Earth is tilted *toward* the sun and receives more *direct* sunlight.
* During the winter, the Earth is tilted *away* from the sun and receives more *indirect* sunlight.
* The Seasons are caused by the *tilt of the Earth on its axis* not how close the Earth is to the *sun.*
* If the Earth was not tilted on its axis, there would be the same number of *hours of daylight* and there would be no *change of season*.



**The Moon**

* The Moon *revolves* around the Earth.
* As the moon revolves around the Earth, it is exposed to different amounts of sunlight that *reflect* off its surface. The moon DOES NOT produce light – it *REFLECTS* it!!!
* The different amount of sunlight it reflects causes the *phases of the moon*.
* The different phases we see is due to the changing appearance of the moon as it moves into the shadow of the *Earth.*



**Tides**

* The gravitational attraction between the moon and the Earth causes *the tides*
* Water rises for *6 hours*, then falls for about *6 hours*  in a regular cycle.

**Eclipses**

An *eclipese* is when one celestial body (star or planet) is blocked by another.

There are **2** types of eclipses: Solar and Lunar

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* Only happens during *NEW MOON* phase
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| **Lunar Eclipse**http://t2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcT7BQS2QJyKk4mBgRmHJIAXvgWQeX1gyW2fnNmWxx3Q_dxzsud8Rg:oakdome.com/k5/lesson-plans/photo-editing/lunar-eclipse/lunar-eclipse-starfield.jpg | * When the *Earth* gets between the sun and the moon.
* Only happens during *FULL MOON* phase
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