

Understanding the contents page

- 1 What is the title of the book?
- 2 How many chapters does it have?
- 3 On what page does Chapter 3 begin?
- 4 On what page does Chapter 4 end?
- 5 Which is the longest chapter?

Looking at language

- 6 What do you understand by the term 'Solar System'?
- 7 Explain the meaning of each of these words as they are used in the extract. Use a dictionary to help you.

a space **b** planet **c** satellite

- 8 Why do Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus have capital letters?

Exploring the contents page

- 9 Why do you think page numbers are included on the contents page?
- 10 Look at the information you can find in each chapter. Think of an interesting title for each chapter.
- 11 Think of some other topics the author could have included in this book. Choose three from your list to be Chapters 6, 7 and 8. Give each of these new chapters an interesting title.

Taking it further

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- 12 Choose a planet in our Solar System that you are interested in. What would you like to know about it? Write a list of questions.
- 13 Use books in your class or school library about our Solar System to help you answer your questions.

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