Lesson Outline

LESSON 2

Speed and Velocity

A.	What	is	speed?
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1.	is a measure of the distance an object travels per unit		
	of time.		
2.	Units of speed are units of divided by units of time.		
	The SI unit for speed is per second.		
3.	is the rate of change of position in which the same		
	distance is traveled each second.		
4.	is speed at a specific instant in time.		
5.	is the total distance traveled divided by the total time		
	it took to go that distance.		
6. The equation for average speed is $v = \frac{d}{t}$, where the symbol v stands for an			
	speed, <i>d</i> stands for total, and <i>t</i> stands for total time.		
Dis	tance-Time Graphs		
1.	Graphs that compare distance and time are called graphs.		
2.	Constant speed is shown as a(n) line on a distance-time graph.		
3.	Distance-time graphs can be used to compare the of two different objects.		
4.	lines on distance-time graphs indicate faster speeds.		
5.	Distance-time graphs can be used to the average speed		
	of an object. The difference in between two points is		
	divided by the difference in between the same points.		
6.	When the slope of a line on a distance-time graph decreases, it means that the		
	speed of the object is		
7.	A(n) line on a distance-time graph indicates that the		
- •	motion has stopped.		
8.	When the slope of a line on a distance-time graph increases, it means that the		
	speed of the object is		
9.	Even when the speed of an object isn't, its average speed can be calculated from a distance-time graph.		

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Lesson Outline continued

C. Velocity

1. ______ is the speed and the direction of a moving object.

2. The velocity of an object can be represented by a(n) ______. The length of the arrow indicates the ______. The arrow points

in the direction of the object's ______.

3. Velocity _____ when the speed of an object changes, when the direction in which the object is moving changes, or when the speed and the direction change.