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Sky Changes

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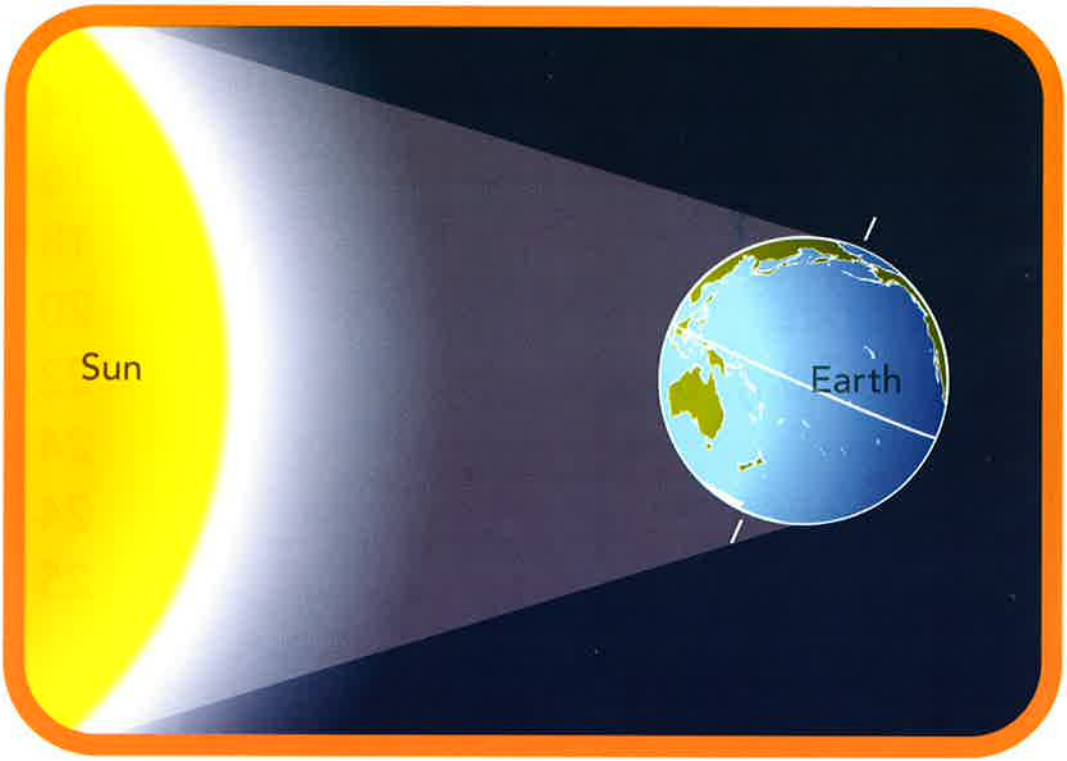
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Introduction

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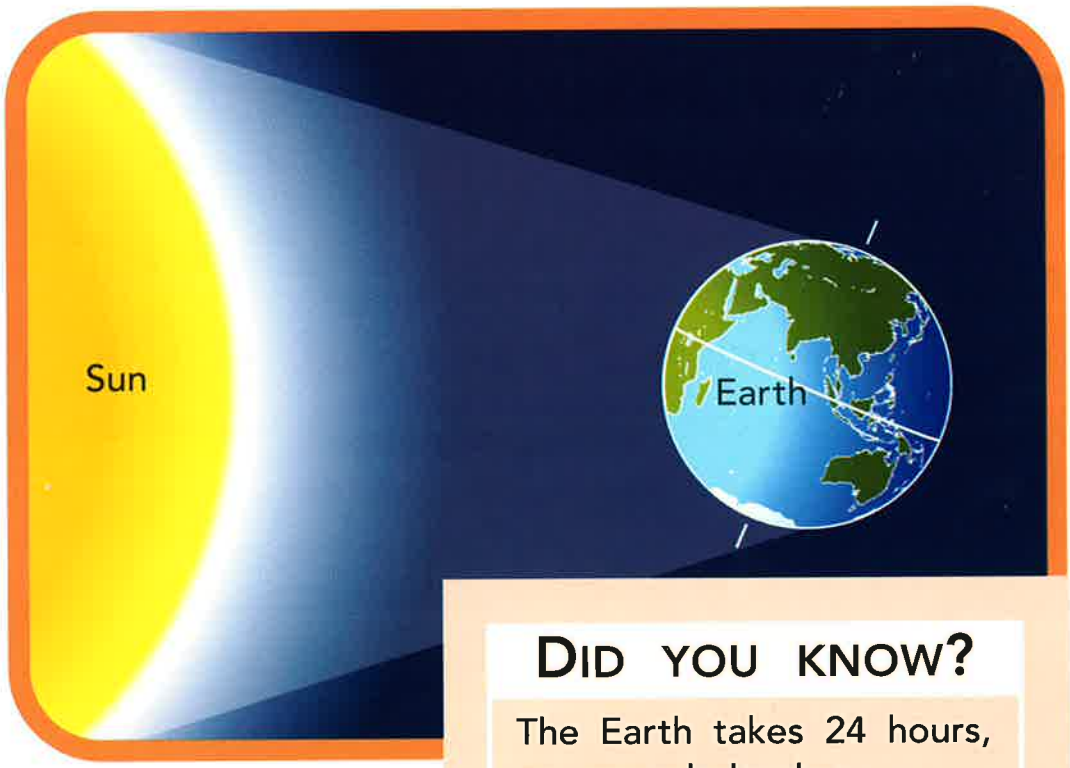
The sky changes
because the Earth
is always turning around.

When our side of the Earth
faces the Sun, it is daytime.



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When the Earth turns further around, we are in the dark. It is night. The Sun is shining on the other side of the Earth.



DID YOU KNOW?

The Earth takes 24 hours, or one whole day, to turn around once.

The Earth keeps turning and another day begins.

Sunrise and morning

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It is dawn.
The Sun is not up yet,
but there is some light in the sky.



The birds are waking,
and starting to chirp and sing.

At sunrise, the Sun moves
above the horizon.
It is like a huge ball.



Warning!
NEVER look at the Sun.
It can hurt your eyes.

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It is early morning.
People are awake and moving about.
Their shadows are very long.





Flowers are opening their petals
because it is getting lighter.

As the Earth turns,
the Sun moves slowly across the sky.

The middle of the day

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Now it is midday.

People's shadows are small because the Sun is right above them.



Ants are busy carrying food and leaves to their nests.





Bees are busy finding nectar inside flowers.

