Daylight Hours

- 1. Which two factors determine the number of hours of daylight at a particular location?
 - (1) longitude and season
 - (2) latitude and season
- (3) longitude and the Earth's average diameter
- (4) latitude and the Earth's average diameter
- 2. New York State has several more hours of daylight in summer than in winter. Which statement helps explain the observation?
 - (1) The Earth is tilted on its axis.
 - (2) The distance between the Earth and the Sun varies.
 - (3) The diameter of the Sun appears to change.
 - (4) The speed of the Earth in its orbit changes.
- 3. In New York State, between February and May, the number of daylight hours
 - (1) decreases (2) increases (3) remains the same
- 4. Which graph best represents the relationship between latitude north of the Equator and the length of daylight period on March 21?



- 5. In New York State, the number of hours of daylight each day increases continuously from
 - (1) March 1 to May 1

- (3) September 1 to November 1
- (2) June 1 to August 1
- (4) December 1 to February 1
- 6. The total number of hours of daylight received by the position A on the date represented in the diagram is closest to
 - 1 0 hr 3 18 hr
 - 2 12 hr 4 24 hr

