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ASSIGNMENT QUESTION: Write short notes on any two eye defects.

MYOPIA or NEARSHIGHTED

myopia occurs when the eyeball is too long, relative to the focusing power of the cornea and lens of the eye. This causes light rays to focus at a point in front of the retina, rather than directly on its surface if youre nearsighted, the first number ("sphere") on your glasses prescription will be preceded by a minus sign (-). The higher the number, the more nearsighted you are.



HYPEROPIA or FARESIGHTED

This vision problem occurs when light rays entering the eye focus behind the retina, rather than directly on it. The eyeball of a farsighted person is shorter than normal

Farsightedness can be corrected with glasses to change the way light rays bend into the eyes. If your glasses begins with plus numbers, like +1.50, you are farsighted

