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WHAT IS A NATURAL DISASTER? CAN YOU GIVE EXAMPLES?

WHAT'S THE WORST NATURAL DISASTER IN YOUR OPINION?

DO YOU GET A LOT OF EXTREME WEATHER IN YOUR COUNTRY?

WHAT ARE THE RESULTS OF NATURAL DISASTERS?

HOW CAN WE HELP THE VICTIMS OF NATURAL DISASTERS?

CAN THE INTERNET BE HELPFUL IN CASE OF NATURAL DISASTERS?

WHAT WAS THE LAST NATURAL DISASTER YOU SAW ON TV?

HOW CAN YOU PREPARE WHEN THE NATURAL DISASTER IS IMMINENT?

## DESCRIBE THE PICTURES





# WHAT IS IT?

a long period of dry weather when there is enough water for plants and animals to live

a situation in which people have little or no food for a long time and many people die

a lot of water which covers the area

a sudden shaking of the Earth surface which causes a lot of damage

a large mass of snow that falls down the side of mountain

an extremely violent storm consisting of air that spins very quickly and causes a lot of damage

a sudden fall of a lot of earth or rocks down a hill, cliff etc.

a very large wave

frozen raindrops which fall as a hard balls of ice

magma is released from the volcano

a period of unusually hot weather

a powerful flash of light in the sky usually followed by thunder

## FINISH THE SENTENCES

1. A YEAR WITHOUT RAIN HAS CAUSED...

2. THE THSUNAMI REACHED...

3. THE VOLCANIC ERUPTION HAS DESTROYED...

4. LOCAL DOCTORS SAID THAT...

5. OUR COUNTRY IS SENDING FOOD AID TO...

A) THE COAST AND DESTROYED MANY HOMES

B) A LOT OF PEOPLE SUFFER FROM THIS DISEASE

C) A SERIOUS DROUGHT IN THIS AREA

D) VICTIMS OF THE FAMINE

E) THE FOREST AND HOMES AROUND THE MOUNTAIN

READ THE HEADLINE AND GUESS THE NATURAL DISASTER

NO RAIN FOR A LONG TIME

ENTIRE VILLAGE UNDER WATER

LOTS OF SNOW COMING DOWN

**40 SECONDS OF TERRIBLE SHAKE** 

ETNA IS GOING TO AWAKE

#### WHIGH OF THE NATURAL DISASTERS INVOLVE?







FOREST FIRE



LIGHTNING



TORNADO



**HEAT WAVE** 



VOLCANIC ERUPTION



HAIL



TSUNAMI



LANDSLIDE



AVALANCHE



EARTHQUAKE



FLOOD



FAMINE



#### What is it?

DROUGHT	EARTHQUAKE	LANDSLIDE	VOLCANIC ERUPTION
FAMINE	AVALANCHE	TSUNAMI	HEAT WAVE
FLOOD	TORNADO	HAIL	LIGHTNING

#### **Finish the sentences**

1.c / 2. a / 3. e / 4. b / 5.d

## Read the headline and guess the natural disasters

DROUGHT FLOOD AVALANCHE EARTHQUAKE VOLCANIC ERUPTION

### Which of the natural disaster involve?

tornado, earthquake, heat wave, flood and tsunami

### What are the people talking about?

Bob: drought Sarah: forest fire Tom: volcanic eruption Kate: landslide Sue: avalanche Karen: famine