

Natural Disasters EXERCISE





A. Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs).

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1. Earthquake is measured on which of the following scales?

- a. Meter scale b. Foot scale c. Richter scale d. None**

2. Which of the following is not a type of volcano?

- a. Active b. Burst c. Dormant d. Extinct**

3. The only active volcano in Indian sub-continent is

- a. Barren island b. Mount Vesuvius c. Mount Etna d. Mount Fuji**

4. Which of the following are considered as droughts of the century in India?

- a. 1965-66 b. 1986-87 c. 1904-1905 d. 2004-05**

B. State whether the given statements are True or False.

1. The plates under the surface of the earth are moving.
2. Drought is shortage of rainfall.
3. Seismograph is used in studying volcanoes.
4. When lava is below the earth, it is called magma.
5. Tsunami is caused by undersea earthquake.

C. Answer the following questions.

- 1. Define earthquake?**
- 2. Name some active volcanoes of the earth.**
- 3. Explain the term Tsunami. How is it caused?**
- 4. Where and when did the last major earthquake occur in India?**
- 5. What is the impact of drought on people?**
- 6. Explain three types of volcanoes with examples.**
- 7. What is the impact of Tsunami on human life?**
- 8. What is flood ?**

Life Skill

A. Project

Prepare a project on the earthquake disaster in Japan.



B. Collage making

Collect pictures and make a collage of the people affected in 2004 by Tsunami in India

