

**Ann:** Hi, Bill. How was your weekend?

**Bill:** Not so good. I was ill so I stayed at home.

**Ann:** I'm sorry about that.

**Bill:** That's OK. I watched a really good science-fiction film.

**Ann:** What did you watch?

**Bill:** 2012. It was brilliant.

**Ann:** Really? What's it about?

**Bill:** It's about the end of the world and how people try to stay alive. There are lots of earthquakes, floods and fires!

**Ann:** Sounds exciting. What were the special effects like?

**Bill:** They're amazing. All the disasters looked real.

**Ann:** Who stars in it?

**Bill:** John Cusack plays a writer and it also stars Amanda Peet and Danny Glover.

**Ann:** It sounds great. It's a pity I didn't watch it.

**Bill:** You can rent it on DVD.