

**1. Match the words or phrases to their definitions. (5 questions)**

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| 6. a flood        | a. A. Heavy rains cause this to happen.                                       |
| 7. a drought      | b. B. This is a typical storm in tropical regions.                            |
| 8. a typhoon      | c. C. This is the violent shaking of the earth's surface.                     |
| 9. a heat wave    | d. D. This happens when there is unusually hot weather.                       |
| 10. an earthquake | e. E. Plants, trees and animals die because of this long period with no rain. |

**2. Complete the text using the words in the boxes. (5 questions)**

avalanche - typhoon - landslide - tsunami - blizzard

Welcome back to Radio Weather News. There were a lot of natural events yesterday. Cars, motorbikes and other vehicles got stuck in a (11) \_\_\_\_\_ on the west side of the city because of heavy snowfall and a big storm on the highway. In the mountain range, there was a(n) (12) \_\_\_\_\_. A mass of ice fell down a slope and caused three people to be injured. Yesterday there was also a (13) \_\_\_\_\_ on the east side of the city. Its violent winds knocked all the trees down and caused a(n) (14) \_\_\_\_\_, which blocked many roads. Besides, the earthquake in the ocean caused a (15) \_\_\_\_\_, on the east coast. What a day of disaster!