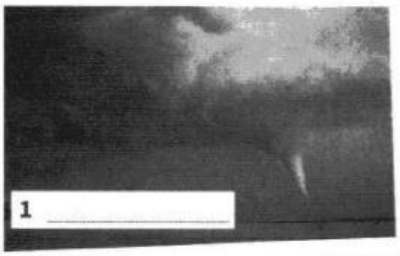
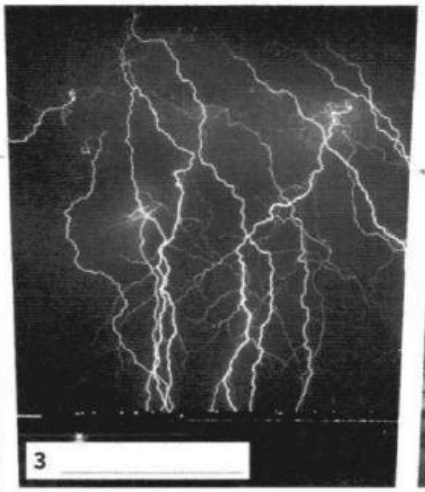
4 EXTREME WEATHER

VOCABULARY Extreme weather

1 Write the words from the box under the pictures.

earthquake flood lightning snowstorm tornado


1 _____


3 _____


4 _____


2 _____


5 _____

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs below.

blow fall pour rise shake

1 The wind is _____ so hard. I think the roof might come off our house!
2 I think there was an earthquake yesterday because the ground _____ for a few seconds.
3 The rain _____ for hours yesterday. I thought there might be a flood.
4 The big tree in our garden _____ down in the winter storms.
5 The level of the water in the river always _____ when it rains a lot.

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in Exercises 1 and 2.

1 I hate it when there's a _____ – there's water everywhere.
2 The _____ was like something out of a film – the wind was lifting everything up.
3 Oh look! That girl's hat is going to _____ away.
4 My grandfather loves watching the _____ in the sky during a storm.
5 Have you got an umbrella? It's going to _____ with rain later today.
6 Look at this line. It shows how high the river can _____ when it rains a lot.

4 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

1 There was a terrible *flood* / *lightening* last year. The whole village was under water.
2 Have you ever seen a *tornado* / *flood* moving across the desert? It's amazing how fast they can go.
3 The wind's *pouring* / *blowing* quite strongly. I don't think we should go climbing today.
4 The level of the river *rose* / *poured* quickly because it was raining so hard.
5 Wow! That *lightning* / *tornado* during the storm last night was amazing! I could see the whole street even though it was dark.
6 It's *blowing* / *pouring* with rain. Let's stay in and watch a film.



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