Unit: 5 **Natural disasters -1**

1. Look the pictures and match

A hurricane

An earthquake

A wildfire

A flood

A drought

An avalanche

2. **Match the words with their definitions**

1. A flood	a. a spreading fire that is difficult to bring under control
2. A wildfire	b. a large amount of water covering an area
3. An earthquake	c. a violent wind which has a circular movement
4. An avalanche	d. a long period when there is little or no rain
5. A drought	e. a sudden violent movement of the Earth's surface
6. A hurricane	f. a large amount of snow falling quickly down a mountain

3. **Fill in the sentences with the words from 2**

1. The ……. spread through the country and burn some areas of forest.
2. If there is a lot of rain …… can happen.
3. It will take several hours to dig people out of the snow from the ……
4. An extremely violent …… passed over the island, destroying the fruit –trees in the island's orchards.
5. This city was completely destroyed by a great …….. on the 28th October 1746.
6. High temperatures and …….. have continued for more than three weeks.

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