Vocabulary 2

Natural disasters

1 **Order the letters to make natural disasters.**

muistan *tsunami*

1 troanod _____

2 leanvhaca _____

3 odlof _____

4 reeqkatuha _____

5 anovocl _____

2 **Label the pictures with the words in exercise 1.**

tsunami

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

3 **Circle the correct words.**

1 In Ethiopia there was a **landslide** / **famine** in the 1980s, when many people died because there wasn't enough food.

2 The **tsunami** / **drought** in the USA is causing many lakes to dry up.

3 A **wildfire** / **hurricane** is strong enough to blow the roofs off houses.

4 If you cook food in a forest, you could start a **wildfire** / **flood**.

5 A **landslide** / **volcano** can bury a whole village in mud.

EXPRESS YOURSELF

4 **What natural disasters are the people writing about? Label the texts. Then write about a different natural disaster.**

> The extreme weather continues in England today. After heavy rain, people are protecting their homes from water as best as they can.

1 *flood*

> **Scientists believe that Mount Etna in Sicily is going to erupt again.**

2 _____

> Last night in Spain, 2,000 people felt the ground move. Luckily, there was no serious damage.

3 _____

> Temperatures are rising in eastern Africa again. Charities are helping to provide water to people in the area.

4 _____

> Following yesterday's earthquake, falling earth and rock damaged several houses in the Sierra Nevada mountains.

5 _____

My Story

6 _____

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