

TASK 1: Read the text below and correct the underlined errors.

For each question, write the correct word in the space provided.

ARE YOU PREPARED FOR NATURAL DISASTERS?

Natural disasters are common occurrences in many countries around the world. Ranging from tsunamis (1) and volcanic eruptions, Mother Nature does take a toll on earth's inhabitants. As much as this happens to us unexpectedly, there are various ways we may be prepared in facing these natural disasters.

If we are (2) lived in a place where natural disasters are common, we must (3) firstly learn the common symptoms (4) on the disaster beforehand. For example, geochemists and geologists usually study (5) a soil around the natural surroundings in the area around volcanic mountains to see if there is any lave activity. Thus, those who live around volcanic mountains are should be alert of any warnings and worrying signs from the geochemists and geologist. This enables us to have enough time to prepare for volcanic eruption before it (6) happening.

On the other hand, most cases of tsunamis are (7) causing by an underwater earthquake. Hence, seismologists will (8) studied the seismic patterns to understand the movement of the plates underground. By following the updates from seismologist, we may have a rough idea on the approximate time of the eruption and how long we have to prepare for the disaster.

Being alert and up-to-date with warning signs of any unwanted disasters will help us to be mentally prepared. Though these methods may not prepare us a hundred percent, it would be the best way to help us prepare beforehand to avoid massive damages and unwanted casualties.

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