

Science
Natural Disasters

1. What is a natural disaster?
 - a) An extreme, sudden event caused by man-made events
 - b) An extreme, sudden event caused by forces of nature
 - c) An extreme, slowly forming event caused by forces of nature
 - d) A cyclone storm formed on warm waters which can cause flooding

2. What is a flood?
 - a) An overflow of water on land which is usually dry
 - b) A tropical storm with strong winds and heavy rain that forms over warm waters
 - c) A storm of violently spinning air that touches the ground
 - d) A storm with thunder and lightning with light winds and rain

3. What is a hurricane?
 - a) An overflow of water on land which is usually dry
 - b) A tropical storm with strong winds and heavy rain that forms over warm waters
 - c) A storm of violently spinning air that touches the ground
 - d) A storm with thunder and lightning with light winds and rain

4. What is a tornado?
- a)** An overflow of water on land which is usually dry
 - b)** A tropical storm with strong winds and heavy rain that forms over warm waters
 - c)** A storm of violently spinning air that touches the ground
 - d)** A storm with thunder and lightning with light winds and rain
5. What is another name for a tornado?
- a)** Cylinder
 - b)** Circular
 - c)** Cyclone
 - d)** Cylindrical
6. Complete the statement. Natural disasters are dangerous because_____.
- a)** They bring rain
 - b)** They come at night
 - c)** They can injure people
 - d)** They occur outside
7. List any two items that you should have in preparation for a natural disaster.
- _____
- _____

8. Which of the following is NOT a safety procedure to follow if there is a natural disaster?
- a)** Go outside to check on your house and appliances
 - b)** Stay indoors
 - c)** Stay away from damaged electrical wires
 - d)** Do not enter the disaster area unless it is absolutely necessary