UNIT 11 - NATURAL DISASTERS

1. Choose the correct answer

1. Mount Vesuvius, the only active volcano in Europe, is located in _____.
   (a) Italy
   (b) Indonesia
   (c) The Philippines

2. The city of Pompeii was _____ when Mount Vesuvius erupted in AD79.
   (A) found
   (B) destroyed
   (C) discovered

3. _____ was hit by a tsunami and caused massive destruction to countries like Indonesia, Thailand and Sri Lanka.
   (a) Hawaii
   (b) Australian cove
   (c) Indian Ocean

4. Tsunamis often have devastating effects because the waves are _____ the normal sea waves
   (A) high
   (B) higher than
   (C) the highest

5. All of the below are natural disasters except ……..
   (a) earthquake
   (b) drought
   (c) flood
   (d) littering

2. Fill in the blanks with the correct answer.

Mount St. Helens	Natural disasters	Mount Pinatubo	Indian Ocean Tsunami
A tsunami	An earthquake	Flood	Mount Vesuvius

a) _____ in Malaysia are mainly caused by non-stop heavy rain and blocked drain. It can also cause by overflowing river.

b) The volcano in the United States of America, _____ erupted in 1980 exploded sideways and travelled up to 30 kilometres away.

c) In 2004, the _____ caused massive destruction and death in countries like Thailand, Indonesia and Sri Lanka.

d) _____ is the result of violent shaking and movements of the Earth's surface. It causes great destruction.

e) _____ is located in the Philippines erupted in 1991. It was the most devastating of the 20th century.

f) _____ is an extremely large wave in the sea caused by an earthquake. The waves can travel for thousands of kilometres.

g) Pompeii was destroyed and buried when _____ in AD79, located in Italy is the only active volcano in Europe.

h) _____ are extreme forces of nature that causes deaths and destruction.