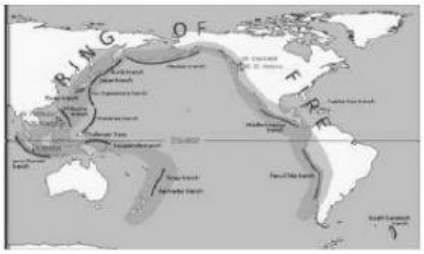
Task 1

- **In this text about earthquakes, the questions have been removed.**
- **Your task is to match the questions (A- L) and the answers (1-8).**
- **There are <u>two extra questions</u> that you do not need.**
- **Write the letters in the white boxes as in the example *(0)*.**



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT EARTHQUAKES

0) _____
Rocks break and move in the earth. Energy is released, and that's what makes the ground shake.

1) _____
The slow deformation of "tectonic plates". The rocks can break suddenly, releasing the stored energy as an earthquake.

2) _____
The ground shaking may destroy buildings and hurt people.

3) _____
No. People wrongly believe that suddenly a hole appears in the ground. This is only Hollywood's version of earthquakes.

4) _____
Actually, all over the world; however, the so-called "Ring of Fire", which is around the Pacific Ocean, is probably one of the most active areas in the world.

5) _____
Not really, and we certainly can't tell their exact date, time and location in advance.

6) _____
Yes. As a result of some human activities such as mining or underground nuclear explosions, there can be small ones.

7) _____
Some international websites have lists of earthquakes of magnitude 5.0 and greater, and most countries have their own forums with information on local earthquakes.

8) _____
No, they happen at more or less the same rate every year.

(http://www.earthquakescanada.ca)

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A) Where can I find a record of earthquakes and data about them?

B) Does the earth open up during an earthquake?

~~***C) What exactly is an "earthquake"?***~~

D) How often do earthquakes happen?

E) What causes earthquakes?

F) Can earthquakes be predicted?

G) How do we know that we will have another one in the future?

H) Is it true that the number of earthquakes is growing?

I) Where do earthquakes take place?

K) Can people cause earthquakes?

L) How do earthquakes cause damage?

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