

**NATURAL DISASTERS**

– are caused by geological transformations or climatic conditions not by \_\_\_\_\_ beings.

PICTURE	EXPRESSION	DEFINITION
		It is a large, circular storm with strong winds.
		It is extremely strong winds concentrated in one area.
		If it touches a building, tree, car, or person, we say they have been “struck” by lightning.
		A large, destructive fire that spreads over a forest or area of woodland.
		It occurs when it rains a lot, and the water in a river gets so high that it overflows the riverbanks and invades surrounding areas.
		When the ground shakes and cracks. Buildings are often destroyed
		The water from the ocean comes in and covers the land. Tsunamis are caused by an earthquake in the middle of the ocean.

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		When there is not enough water because it hasn't rained for a long time.
		It is a very strong snowstorm.
		When a lot of snow falls down the side of a mountain.
	a landslide	It is when soil, rocks, and/or mud falls down the side of a hill or mountain.
		When the volcano explode.
		Pellets of frozen rain which fall in showers from cumulonimbus clouds.