

1. Match the words or phrases to their definitions. (5 questions)

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| 6. a flood | a. A. Heavy rains cause this to happen. |
| 7. a drought | b. B. This is a typical storm in tropical regions. |
| 8. a typhoon | c. C. This is the violent shaking of the earth's surface. |
| 9. a heat wave | d. D. This happens when there is unusually hot weather. |
| 10. an earthquake | e. E. Plants, trees and animals die because of this long period with no rain. |

2. Complete the text using the words in the boxes. (5 questions)

avalanche - typhoon - landslide - tsunami - blizzard

Welcome back to Radio Weather News. There were a lot of natural events yesterday. Cars, motorbikes and other vehicles got stuck in a (11) _____ on the west side of the city because of heavy snowfall and a big storm on the highway. In the mountain range, there was a(n) (12) _____. A mass of ice fell down a slope and caused three people to be injured. Yesterday there was also a (13) _____ on the east side of the city. Its violent winds knocked all the trees down and caused a(n) (14) _____, which blocked many roads. Besides, the earthquake in the ocean caused a (15) _____, on the east coast. What a day of disaster!