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SUBJECT: SOCIAL STUDIES

TOPIC: ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGES

GRADE LEVEL ASSESSMENT TEST (G.L.A.T.) PRACTICE



1. List **THREE** natural disasters that cause sudden changes to the ecosystem.

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2. **“The environment, after changes to the ecosystem, permits new additions of plant and animal life.”** What is the name given to these new additions?

- A. replacement
- B. suspension
- C. Succession

3. What are the steps involved in the addition of new plants in the forest? Use the numbers 1-3

_____ Nutrients are released in the soil.

_____ Dormant seeds germinate and grass sprouts.

_____ Fire burns leaves and branches.

4. “Some changes to the environment are gradual (slow).” One such change happens by erosion.
What is erosion?

5. List the agents of erosion.



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