GRADE 8 – TEST FOR UNIT 9.2

B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

VI. Write the correct tense or form of the verbs in brackets.

1. Until now, 38,000 people _____ **(evacuate)** from the flood-affected areas.

2. Typhoon Ketsana _____ **(now/ move)** west, threatening to hit Central Vietnam in the Corning days.

3. About 500 ha of pine forests _____ **(destroy)** by a fire last month.

4. Can we predict when a volcano _____ **(erupt)**?

5. The crops failed because it _____ **(not rain)** all summer.

6. Forest fires _____ **(may/ start)** by people or by lightning in storms.

7. A powerful earthquake _____ **(strike)** Southern California on Friday night.

8. Scientists do not use the term "tidal wave" because tsunami waves _____ **(not cause)** by tides.

9. The Amazon _____ **(already/ lose)** around 17 percent over the past 50 years.

10. I _____ **(never/ experience)** such a big earthquake before I _____ **(go)** to Java island.

11. Natural disasters can force people _____ **(leave)** their homes.

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12. If you are trapped in a collapsed building, cover your mouth with a cloth to avoid _____ **(breathe)** dust.

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