

Mid term- Unit Test- Work Sheet

Social Studies

Class:V

Natural Disasters

I. Fill in the blanks:

- 1..... disasters show the destructive force of nature.
2. occur mostly when rivers overflow after very heavy rainfall.
3. Low rainfall causes
4. are the worst affected in a drought.
5. Areas near the sea coast are prone to
6. Strong vibrations or tremors on the surface of the Earth is called
7. The scientific study of earthquakes is called
8. The place of origin of an earthquake is called.....

9. The point directly above the focus on the surface of the earth is called

10. An opening or crack on the surface of the earth through which magma, ash and hot gases comes out is called

11. The opening through which lava is pushed up to the surface of the earth is called

II. Name the following:

1. Violent storm with very strong winds

Ans :

2. Instrument that measures the force of an earthquake

Ans :

3. Two drought resistant crops.

Ans :

4. Strong tide or storm at sea.

Ans :

5. The scientific study of an earthquake.

Ans :

6. Strong vibrations or tremors on the surface of the earth.

Ans :

III. **Choose the correct answers:**

1. (Cyclones / Floods) are caused due to heavy rainfall.
2. (Drought / Cyclones) is caused due to extreme shortage of water due to lack of rain.
3. (Mountain / Magma) is made up of rocks deep inside the earth.
4. The force of an earthquake is measured on a (Seismograph / Richter Scale)
5. Cyclones are always accompanied by (Forest fire / Heavy showers)

IV. **Write True or False:**

1. Natural disasters cause great loss of life and property ()
2. Floods causes damage to life, property and crops ()
3. Trees are very helpful in controlling floods ()
4. Hot gases and ash erupts from a volcano ()
5. Cyclones are always accompanied by earthquakes ()