

Natural Disasters

Fill in the blanks: -

1. The Earth's upper layer called _____ is made of _____.
2. Earthquake can be measured on _____.
3. Volcanoes which have stopped erupting are called _____.
4. Active volcanoes are found in the _____ region.
5. During tsunami, _____ from the sea roll towards the shore.
6. _____ was known as the drought of the century.

Define the following: -

Natural disasters- _____

Earthquake- _____

Seismograph- _____

Seismometer- _____

Active volcano- _____

Dormant volcano- _____

Drought- _____

Write short answers: -

Why the layers of earth under the plates is hot and in molten state?

How does a seismogram measure the intensity of an earthquake?

What are volcanoes and name the different types of volcanoes.

Name some of the volcanoes found in the Pacific region.

What is Barren Island and where is it located?

Write a short note on tsunamis.

What are the other factors which can result in conditions similar to drought?

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