

Matching: *Natural Disasters*

earthquake	a sudden shaking of the earth that causes damage
hurricane	a tropical storm with very strong winds
tidal wave	a strong ocean wave that flows over the land and destroys things
tornado	a violent storm with a circling cloud of air that can move at 300 miles an hour
flood	an overflow of water that can cover land and buildings
rescuers	people who save others after natural disasters
rubble	damaged materials left after something has been destroyed
survivors	people who live through a disaster
trapped	not able to move or get out from under something
natural disaster	destruction caused by nature, not people
shelter	a human-made structure, often underground, where people find safety from a tornado or hurricane
ditch	a low area usually at the side of a field or road where you can find protection during a tornado
evacuate	to move from a dangerous place to a safer place

Find Someone: *Home Safety*

Find someone . . .	Name	Tell me more . . .
1. Do you <u>use</u> safety gates at home? (use)		How old are the children in your home?
2. Have you _____ cabinet latches at home? (install)		What is in the cabinets?
3. Do you _____ to children when they are in the tub? (stay close)		Do you tell the children why?
4. Do you _____ nightlights in bedrooms, hallways, and bathrooms? (have)		How many nightlights do you have?
5. Do you _____ electric razors, hairdryers, and curling irons away from water? (keep)		Where do you plug them in?
6. Do you _____ medicine or pills in any cabinets? (have)		Where are the cabinets?
7. Have you _____ a smoke alarm near every bedroom? (put)		How many smoke alarms do you have?
8. Do you _____ the batteries in smoke alarms? (change)		When do you change them?
9. Do you _____ space heaters at least 3 feet away from other objects? (keep)		Where are the heaters located?

Board Game: *Staying Safe*

START	1	Say the word used to identify people who work to save others in a natural disaster.	→
	2	Say the word used to identify people who continue to live after a natural disaster.	→
	3	Name two personal qualities that would help someone survive a natural disaster.	→
	4	Name two characteristics of a tornado.	↓
9	8	Say why it's safer to move to inner rooms and stay away from windows during a tornado.	←
Say why it's important to avoid electrical wires during a tornado.	7	Say why it is not safe to be in a mobile home during a tornado.	←
↓	6	Name one thing you should do immediately after a tornado has been reported.	←
10	5	Name two states where tornadoes occur most frequently in the U.S.	←
11	12	Name two things you would take with you during an evacuation.	→
Name the U.S. city that was most affected by Hurricane Katrina in 2005.	13	Name an emergency you saw on the news or that people you know have experienced.	→
→	14	Say where there is an emergency shelter in your community.	↓
FINISH	18	Say what cabinet latches do.	←
	17	Name one child safety product that can also keep elderly people safe.	←
	16	Name two child safety products you can purchase to prevent home accidents.	←
	15	Say why you should evacuate immediately after you are told to leave.	←