

Natural Disasters
Comprehension Questions

Name _____

Date _____

- 1) What is the purpose of this passage?
 - a. To entertain
 - b. To inform
 - c. To persuade
 - d. To scare

- 2) Which of the disasters listed in the passage needs water to form?
 - a. earthquakes
 - b. hurricanes
 - c. tornadoes
 - d. volcanoes

- 3) Which natural disaster do you believe is the most dangerous? Give at least 2 reasons why you think so.

- 4) List one difference and then one similarity between hurricanes and tornadoes.

- 5) What kind of weather can occur in your area but is very **rare**?
