

Natural Disaster Worksheet - Topic



1. **Understanding the Disaster Risk** (by making sure that people understand disasters, hazards, risks and vulnerability. This will help everyone to spot dangers, to prepare for hazards and guard against them from becoming disasters, keeping themselves, others and their belongings safe)

What is the hazard, what causes it and what factors are involved in it becoming a disaster?

2. **Strengthening disaster risk governance to manage disaster risk** (by making sure that local leaders, governments and international agencies are better organised for disaster, with clear plans and ways of working to try to prevent them from occurring and to respond when a disaster strikes)

What response and mitigation strategies are used and what immediate actions are taken?

3. **Investing in disaster risk reduction for resilience** (by making sure that enough money is spent on disaster risk reduction to contribute to sustainable development and innovation)

What innovations and policies have been (or are being) developed and implemented as a result?

4. **Enhancing disaster preparedness for effective response, and to "Build Back Better" in recovery, rehabilitation and reconstruction.** (by making sure that everyone is ready when hazards strike so that responses are more effective and better organised, and communities and countries are supported in rebuilding their environments for greater resilience should disaster strike again)

What has been/ is being/ could be done to better prepare and organise communities to be more resilient to this hazard in the future?