

Student Link

Lesson Activity for Grade 4 F.E.M.A.—Disasters

Student Name: _____

What to do

1. We are so lucky to be living in Canada, where large-scale disasters are not common. Sadly, Many parts of the world are not so fortunate. Let's learn more about these dangerous Situations by clicking first on the Grade 4 door.
- Next, choose **Themes and Features** (it's the gray box).
- Finally, under the heading of **Disasters**, choose F.E.M.A.– disasters.
What is the official title of this webpage?



2. Several life-threatening disaster situations are listed on the homepage with icons. List 5 of them.
- _____
- _____
- _____

3. F.E.M.A. is an acronym, meaning that each letter represents a different word. Discover what F.E.M.A. means by searching the webpage for clues!

F.E.M.A. is a short form for: _____

Look for the icon that says "National Security Emergencies". Based on this icon, would you infer that this is an American or a Canadian website? Explain below and give a Reason why you think so!



4. Click on the "tsunami" link. What is the definition, according to the webpage?

A **tsunami** is: _____

How fast can the waves of a tsunami travel? _____ miles per hour.

Which state is at the greatest risk for experiencing a tsunami? _____

Which state comes in second? _____. List the

other states that are in danger of experiencing tsunamis as well:



