

Natural Disasters

CONTEXT EVALUATION - TERM 1 & 2 SEPT-NOV 2025

We investigated the causes of a volcano and their locations locally, in Britain and wider world.

We then created our own volcanoes and created chemical reactions to watch the lava flow.

We worked together to create our volcanoes and planned logically how to make them.

We then shared our results and what we made with the rest of the class. Some exploded well. We discussed reasons for the different results

We explored all the different natural disasters and in teams we chose one area and learned all about it. We then shared our learning with the class. We shared if these had ever happened in Scotland and where they had happened in the world.

We used secondary resources to help us find our facts about the different disasters. It was very interesting researching and investigating and finding out all the information.

ICT - Research skills

We got to create our own flood defences for our town. We are sending these to the council, and we are writing to them in January to come and talk about the ideas they have created to help solve this problem. We hope that they will consider some of our great ideas and that the flooding would stop being an issue for our town.

Term 1,2 Context Evaluation P4-7 (2025-2026)

TERM 1

SCN: Planet Earth; Biodiversity & Interdependence

P1-4 Contexts: Rivers, Under the Ocean, Our Forest, Desert, Antarctica

P5-7 Contexts: Extreme Climates, Rainforest, Conservation

SKILLS

Teamwork
Problem Solving

Exploring different causes for natural disasters, and disasters around the world. Comparing these locally and around the world.

Science - Making volcanoes

Geography - Skills map work. Disasters around the world

Investigating

We looked at the issue of flooding in our town. We discussed the problems this causes and researched in papers to see what has happened in the past.

