

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Natural disasters happen all around the world and they affect both humans and the Earth's surface. With your WIN group, you will be researching a disaster that you believe was *the most devastating*. You will then write an opinion paragraph about how and why it was most devastating.

**Choose a natural disaster to research:**

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You will also be researching the two questions below and write a shining star answer to them:

**1. How does your chosen natural disaster change the Earth's surface?**

**2. How does your chosen natural disaster impact humans?**

**Plan your opinion paragraph here:**

**Topic=** \_\_\_\_\_


**Use your plan to type your rough draft into google docs.**

Now, you will be creating “newsletter” with all of your information. See the guidelines below to make sure you have all elements required.

Make sure you include the following on your newsletter:

- Your name
- Title
- Two pictures with appropriate captions
- A map or chart with a caption
- Your natural disasters opinion paragraph
- A fact box with answer to question 1
- A fact box with answer to question 2
- Appropriate font style and size

**Use two online sources from the 5<sup>th</sup> grade links to research your chosen natural disaster:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_