

RESEARCH TASK:

Name:

EARTHQUAKES AND TSUNAMIS

Due date:



Research Questions:

Part 1: Research these introductory questions.

- 1) What causes an earthquake?
- 2) What causes a tsunami?
- 3) What methods do scientists use to monitor earthquake activity?

Part 2: Research a recent devastating earthquake or tsunami event.

- 1) State the date and the geographic location where the event occurred. Explain the location in terms of continental plates.
- 2) Describe the details of the event.
- 3) Describe the after-effects of the event, how it affected people and the environment.

Choose a method for presenting your research:

- a slideshow presentation
- a video
- a newspaper or magazine article



Include:

- a title and sub-headings where necessary
- paragraphs that answer each question
- photographs, drawings, maps or video footage that illustrate your points
- a bibliography to acknowledge your sources of information

