

# Stage 4 (Year 7&8) Geography Task 2 Notification

Course: Stage 4 Geography	Date issued: Term 2 Week 4 2021
Weighting: 25%	Date due: Term 2 Week 9 2021
Marks: 25	Date: Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> June 2021
Topic: Water in the World: Natural Hazard	Task number: 2

#### Outcomes assessed

- GE4-2 describes processes and influences that form and transform places and environments
- GE4-7 acquires and processes geographical information by selecting and using geographical tools for inquiry
- GE4-8 communicates geographical information using a variety of strategies

### Task Description

1. Select **ONE** of the following hazards:

Atmospheric	Hydrologic
Cyclone	Floods
Hurricane	
Typhoon	

- 2. Investigate the following features of a specific hazard and present them in a **geographical report:** 
  - a. geographical processes that cause the hazard (150 words)
  - b. construct a map (digital or hand drawn) to show the spatial location and extent of hazard , write a short description to explain the map and extent (50 words)
  - c. detailed description of the economic, social and environmental impacts of the hazard (200 words)
  - d. evaluate the responses to the hazard and how effective was the recovery (200 words) valuable

#### ABSENCE/MISADVENTURE INSTRUCTIONS

If you are absent from school on the day the task is to be completed you are required, on your return to school, to obtain an absent/misadventure form from the faculty Head Teacher, complete the form and attach any documentation and submit the form together with the assessment task to the subject Head Teacher. NB: Computer, USB or printer problems are not an acceptable reason for non-submission of task. Note: If a student is absent for an assessment task or fails to submit a task when it is due, then a medical certificate or other acceptable explanation must be presented on the first day the student returns to school or a zero mark is awarded

#### ALL MY OWN WORK/BIBLIOGRAPHY

Students must reference any used sources with a bibliography and not plagiarise (copy/paste) the work of others.



Excellence through Respect, Responsibility and Participation

Marking Criteria	Mark
<ul> <li>Presents a comprehensive understanding of the geographical processes that cause the hazard and supports this with a highly detailed map with annotations that show the extent of the hazard</li> </ul>	17 - 20
<ul> <li>Presents a detailed description of the economic, social and environmental impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Provides a consistent evaluation of the responses to the hazard and provides detailed assessment of the recovery efforts</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Presents a sustained, logical and cohesive response using appropriate geographical information, ideas and issues</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Presents a detailed understanding of the geographical processes that cause the hazard and supports this with a detailed map that show the extent of the hazard</li> </ul>	13 - 16
<ul> <li>Presents a solid description of the economic, social and environmental impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Provides a limited evaluation of the responses to the hazard and provides basic assessment of the recovery efforts</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Presents a logical and cohesive response using appropriate geographical information, ideas and issues</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Presents a basic understanding of the geographical processes that cause the hazard and supports this with a map that show the extent of the hazard</li> </ul>	9 - 12
<ul> <li>Presents a description of the economic, social and environmental impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Provides a outline of the responses to the hazard and provides basic assessment of the recovery efforts</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Presents a structured response using appropriate geographical information</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Outlines limited geographical processes with basic map</li> </ul>	5 - 8
<ul> <li>Provides basic information about hazards with limited linkages to the questions</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Uses some geographical information</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Demonstrates basic understanding of hazard</li> </ul>	1-4



Excellence through Respect, Responsibility and Participation

### Geography Report Template

Geography Report	Instructions and Hints	Your draft
Introduction	P1: Introduce the topic	
	<ul> <li>What is your report going to be about, in general?</li> </ul>	
	Briefly state the topics you will cover	
	<ul> <li>What will you talk about in your first paragraph?</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>What will you talk about in your second</li> </ul>	
	paragraph?	
	<ul> <li>And so on</li> </ul>	
	Finish with a transition to your first paragraph.	
Body	P2: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph	
	<ul> <li>What is geographical processes that cause the hazard</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>How does it create the hazard</li> </ul>	
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question.	
	Finish with a transition to the next paragraph.	
	P3: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph	
	<ul> <li>Insert a map to show the spatial dimension of your hazard.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Write a description of the spatial location and</li> </ul>	
	extent illustrated in the map	
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question.	
	Refer to a diagram of the damage to the area (included either below this paragraph or at the end	
	of the report). Finish with a transition to the next paragraph.	
	P4: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph	
	<ul> <li>Description of the economic impacts of the</li> </ul>	
	hazard	
	<ul> <li>Description of the social impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Description of the environmental impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>	
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question.	
	Finish with a transition to the next paragraph. P5: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph	
	<ul> <li>Evaluate the responses to the hazard</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Evaluate the responses to the nazard</li> <li>Evaluate how effective was the recovery</li> </ul>	
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question. Finish with a transition to the next paragraph.	
Conclusion	P6: Summarise what you have just written	
	<ul> <li>What are the most important things about what</li> </ul>	
	you have written?	
	<ul> <li>What is the most important thing the reader should now know?</li> </ul>	



Excellence through Respect, Responsibility and Participation

Geography Report Template

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

Geography Report	Instructions and Hints
Introduction (Paragraph1)	P1: Introduce the topic
	<ul> <li>What is your report going to be about, in general?</li> </ul>
	Briefly state the topics you will cover
	<ul> <li>What will you talk about in your first paragraph?</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>What will you talk about in your second paragraph?</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>And so on</li> </ul>
	Finish with a transition to your first paragraph.
Your Draft	
Body (Paragraph 2)	P2: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph
	<ul> <li>What is geographical processes that cause the hazard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>How does it create the hazard</li> </ul>
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question. Finish with a transition to the next paragraph.
Your Draft	



Г

### **Boorowa Central School**

Excellence through Respect, Responsibility and Participation

Paragraph 3	P3: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph
	<ul> <li>Insert a map to show the spatial dimension of your hazard.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Write a description of the spatial location and extent illustrated in the map</li> </ul>
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question. Refer to a diagram of the damage to the area (included either below this paragraph or at the end of the report). Finish with a transition to the next paragraph
Your Draft	
Insert a map plus	
Paragraph 4	P4: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph
	<ul> <li>Description of the economic impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Description of the social impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Description of the environmental impacts of the hazard</li> </ul>
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question. Finish with a transition to the next paragraph
Your Draft	
\ <u></u>	



Excellence through Respect, Responsibility and Participation

	ě l l l l l l l l l l l l l l l l l l l
Paragraph 5	P5: Write a Topic Sentence for this paragraph
	<ul> <li>Evaluate the responses to the hazard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Evaluate how effective was the recovery</li> </ul>
	Write all of the detail you need to fully answer the above question.
	Finish with a transition to the next paragraph
Your Draft	
Conclusion (Paragraph 6)	P6: Summarise what you have just written
	<ul> <li>What are the most important things about what you have written?</li> </ul>
	What is the most important thing the reader should now know?
Your Draft	