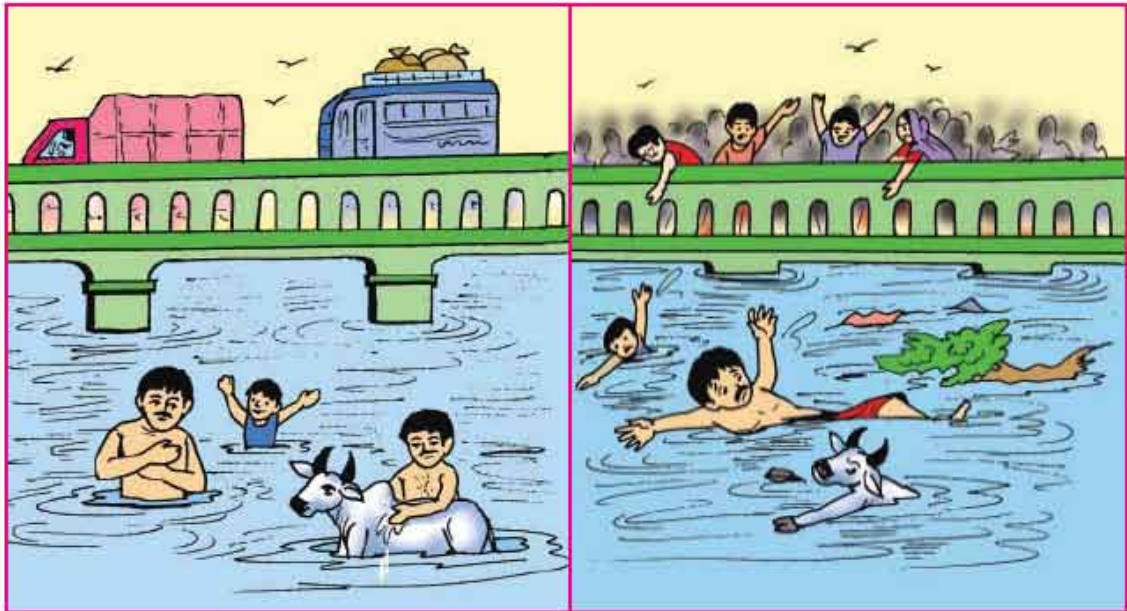


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## Disaster and Rescue

**Read :**

We see and hear about many events happening around us. Vehicular accidents happen or a child falls off while flying kites. Somewhere a fire may break out. Sometimes there are floods, earthquakes, cyclone or some other disasters. Such events cause damage to personal and public property. Sometimes loss of lives also occurs due to such disasters.

**Observe and Say :****Think and Say :**

- Can you see any disaster in these pictures?
- If there are floods in the village what type of problems can occur?
- What damage is caused due to floods?
- When is such a situation seen?



### Read :

Through various questions we have come to know that occurrence of flood is a disaster. We have to face a lot of problems during such disasters.



### Observation :



### Write :

- A storm has occurred.

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- The house is on fire.

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- It must have happened due to eating outside food.





**Observation :****Think and Say :**

- What do you see in this picture?
- How did this accident happen?
- How can such accidents be avoided?
- What sort of problems arise after the accident?
- Mention other such accidents.



### Observation :



- Is running to catch a freely flying kite.

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- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- Must have burnt hands and stomach.



- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- Hands may be wet.
- \_\_\_\_\_





**Read :**

We hear about various accidents. We must have seen such events. Television and newspapers often have such reports. Victims of such accidents sometimes lose lives. Sometimes there is a great damage. Such events are called disasters.

**Story :**

Once there was a man named Amrutbhai Patel. During monsoon, once Patel came back from his farm. Night fell. It was raining and it continued throughout the night. The village pond got filled up completely. Due to such an increase of water, the pond over flowed. The water from the pond entered the whole village. There was water and dirt everywhere. The water remained in the village for 2-4 days. Amrutbhai saved many lives.

Generally, natural problems are called disasters. Because of disaster property suffers great loss and there is loss of lives also. People have to face various problems.

**Think and Write :**

Disaster we have heard about	
Disaster we have seen	
Disaster we have experienced	

**Story :**

Jepur was a small village. There lived a girl called Tejal. She very much liked to cycle. It was Sunday. Tejal cycled towards the bazaar. While returning, she saw some children playing cricket. She lost her attention and had a minor accident with a truck coming from opposite side. This accident caused a furore in Jetpur. Tejal had injury in her head. She had to stay in the hospital for ten days.



- Generally accidents happen due to the mistake or blunder of a person. In such accidents, one or more people suffer losses.



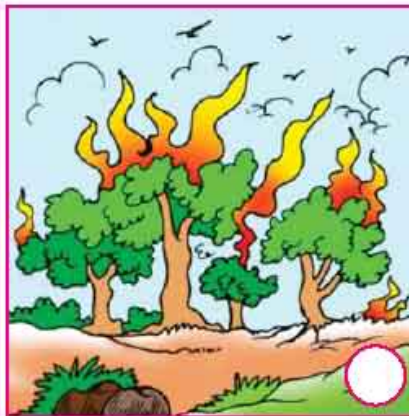
### Think and Write :

Disaster we have heard about	
Disaster we have seen	
Disaster we have experienced	



### Fill in the colours :

Colour : For accident  and for disaster 





**Project :****Discussion :****Talk about Surroundings :****Name of the student :****Date :****Day :****Time :**

Detail	Detail			
	Disaster	Accident	What were the problems?	What can be safety measures?
Collision with a vehicle		✓		
Spread of an epidemic				
Getting electric shock				
Fire breakout				



**Project :**



**Discussion :**

**Stick photos related to Disaster and Accidents.**

**Write details of photos pasted above.**

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Today, students of 5<sup>th</sup> standard of our school were shown a film. This film gave many important information regarding what to do at the time of troubles or disaster.

The main actors in this film were child artists Harsh and Niru, along with their Baa- Nathiba. The CD illustrated various conditions.

**Flood :** Harsh and Niru were giving information about the flood in the river. Because of the flood there was a lot of inconvenience in this region. Rescue operations were taken up by the **government** and other organizations. Workers of rescue operations were instructing again and again.

“Take a battery and essential things for daily life and reach to the higher areas.”

**Cyclone :** The wind was blowing. Dust was flying all around. The roofs of people’s houses were also flying away. Dirt, paper, plastic were also in the air. Repeatedly instructions were given through the microphone.

“Do not stand near a tree, electric pole, houses with tin roofs or such dangerous places. Everyone should stand together in an open ground in the vicinity.”

**To slip :** A monsoon day was shown. Children were returning home from school. They were running but just then, Ruchan slipped because it had rained. The children stopped. Ruchan was crying. He had hurt his elbow. Just then his brother Pancham came. He helped Ruchan to slowly get up and tied his hand to the neck in a sling so that it wouldn’t move. Then he arranged for him to reach the hospital.



**Write :**

Sr. No.	Accident	What can be done for rescue?
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		



**Write :**

**Collect informations and note :**

Sr. No.	Name of the Disaster / Accident	Place	Year	Who were affected?
1.	Flood	Surat	2006	People of Surat
2.				
3.				
4.				

