**Worksheet**

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Activity 1 (Students make a good preparation for the activity. )

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| What I have known | What I want to know |
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Activity 2

If you were a news reporter, what do you want to tell in the report?

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Activity 3 Listen and fill in the blanks.

**News report 1**

Good morning, it's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A strong \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hit Ecuador yesterday. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­magnitude earthquake damaged many \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and early reports said that about 230 people were killed and more than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were injured. Volunteers and rescue workers\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the survivors.

**News report 2**

Good evening. Today is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. More news about the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in central China. The government is helping more than 12,000 people in Hunan and Jiangxi get away from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Homes and land have been destroyed, but no one has been killed. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ workers and soldiers are working day and night to make sure that people are safe. They are also bringing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and water to those whose homes were lost in the disaster.

**News report 3**

Breaking news, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 12 August. A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was just seen in southern Memphis, the USA. Eyewitnesses said that at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ am, the tornado destroyed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ homes. A police officer tells us that at least one person has died. More tornados are possible, and the police advise avoiding the area.

**News report 4**

And in Seoul, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ damaged a library and a supermarket in a southern \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The landslide was caused by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that has fallen in Seoul over the past week. According to the police, no one was injured in the landslide, but several cars were damaged. Those are the top news for today, Wednesday\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Activity 4 Make a summary

What makes a good report?

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| content | Language features |
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Activity 5: Let’s make a news report (work in groups of 4).

Read about the disasters on page 49 and prepare a short news report on one of them.

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