

**Actuele lesbrief Engels – Bushfires – uitwerking**

*Actuele lesbrief 4 - A2 - 2019-2020*

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Assignment 1 (voorbeelduitwerking)

a Natural disasters are caused by nature. Man-made disasters are caused by humans. Sometimes it is not clear if a disaster is caused by nature or humans. It can also be caused by both

b avalanches, blizzards, droughts, earthquakes, erupting volcanoes, extreme temperatures, floods, hurricanes, sinkholes, tornadoes, tsunami, wildfires, ...

c chemical disasters, gas leaks, industrial accidents, nuclear disasters/meltdown, oil spills, some fires, ...

Assignment 2

Read the text. Connect the words and expressions in the two columns that have the same meaning.

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| 1. property
 | *c.* *a piece of land often with buildings on it that is owned by a person, business, etc.* |
| 1. siblings
 | *f.* *brothers or sisters* |
| 1. hoses
 | *h.* *long, rubber tubes that water can flow through* |
| 1. locals
 | *i.* *people who live in a particular area, city, or town* |
| 1. wildlife
 | *l.* *wild animals living in their natural environment* |
| 1. damaged
 | *e.* *broken, no longer functioning* |
| 1. joeys
 | *d.* *baby kangaroos* |
| 1. drought
 | *b.* *a long period of time during which there is very little or no rain*  |
| 1. tamer
 | *g.* *less wild, more gentle and used to people* |
| 1. saucepan
 | *a.* *a deep, round cooking pan with a handle* |
| 1. yummy
 | *j.* *tasting very good, very nice to eat* |
| 1. belongings
 | *k.* *the things that belong to someone* |

Assignment 3

a 1 Charlotte and her parents are staying in Port Macquarie. **FALSE**

2 Charlotte had to leave her home because the fire got too close. **TRUE**

3 The fire did not damage Charlotte’s home. **TRUE**

4 The fire damaged bush and hurt animals. **TRUE**

5 Charlotte is feeding rabbits that were hurt in the fire. **FALSE**

b **3** Yes, but less than usual because they know Charlotte can help them.

c **1** Firefighters from other places are arriving and people are donating many things.