



Landslides

During a landslide, pieces of rock, earth or other debris move down a slope, such as a hillside. The volume of flow can range from a few cubic meters to more than 10 km^3 , and the rate of movement can range from virtually imperceptible to greater than 100 km/hour. That's faster than an Olympic downhill skier!



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Answer the following questions using what your teacher has taught you about this hazard and what you've learned through your own independent research.

1. Give a description of how this hazard happens and why:

2. Are there any warning signs that this hazard is on its way or may occur where you live?

3. What are some trusted organizations that you could go to for information about this hazard?

4. Name a time and place where this hazard has occurred in the past and one thing we can learn from that event:

Place:

Time/Year:

What can we learn:

5. What can you do to prepare for this hazard before it happens?



6. Write a description of a plan you might discuss with your family to prepare for this hazard:

7. What did you learn about this hazard that you did not know before this lesson?

8. What do you still wonder about this hazard?
