

# HOW TO PREPARE FOR A HURRICANE



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| Fertigkeit                                       | Lesen   |
| Relevante(r) Deskriptor(en)                      | <b>Deskriptor 5:</b><br>Kann einfache Anleitungen für Apparate, mit denen man im Alltag zu tun hat, und Vorschriften (z.B. Sicherheitsvorschriften) verstehen. (A2) |
| Themenbereich(e)                                 | Umwelt und Gesellschaft   |
| Zeitbedarf                                       | 12 Minuten  |
| Länge des Lesetextes                             | 150 Wörter  |
| Material- und Medienbedarf                       | Schreibmaterial   |
| Besondere Bemerkungen, Hinweise zur Durchführung | ---   |
| Quelle   | Gerngroß, Günter, et al. <i>THE NEW YOU &amp; ME. Textbook 3. Basic Course</i> . Wien/ München: Langenscheidt, 1996. S. 110. [adaptiert]                            |

# UNTERLAGE FÜR SCHÜLERINNEN



Read the checklist about “How to prepare for a hurricane”. There are things you have to do before the storm breaks out and things you have to do after the storm.

**Four sentences in the BEFORE part and three sentences in the AFTER part are wrong – they do not belong there. Tick (✓) these sentences that are in the wrong part! One sentence has already been done for you!**

You will find the underlined word at the bottom of the page.

## HOW TO PREPARE FOR A HURRICANE

### BEFORE THE HURRICANE:

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| A |   | Walk and drive with great care: bridges and roads could be damaged.   |
| B |   | Check that you have: a radio with batteries, candles, matches, flash lights, a full tank of gas in your car, food and drinking water. |
| C |   | Make sure you have enough cash.   |
| D |   | Stay close to your radio.   |
| E |   | If you smell gas, open doors and windows.   |
| F |   | If there is water in your home, don't turn on the electricity.  |
| G |   | If you are told to leave your home, do not take too many things with you.   |
| H | ✓ | Watch out for broken gas pipes and electric cables on the ground.   |

**Tick (✓) the other three wrong sentences!**

### AFTER THE HURRICANE:

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| I |  | Make sure that all doors and windows are shut.                          |
| J |  | Watch out for broken glass.   |
| K |  | Fill some containers with extra drinking water.                         |
| L |  | Don't use <u>tap water</u> <sup>1</sup> until you hear that it is safe. |
| M |  | Fasten things which could be blown away.                                |
| N |  | Make as few telephone calls as possible.                                |
| O |  | Listen to your radio.   |

**Tick (✓) the three wrong sentences!**

<sup>1</sup> tap water – Wasser aus der Wasserleitung

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**AFTER THE HURRICANE:**

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|---|---|---|
| I | ✓ | Make sure that all doors and windows are shut.      |
| J |   | Watch out for broken glass.                         |
| K | ✓ | Fill some containers with extra drinking water.     |
| L |   | Don't use tap water until you hear that it is safe. |
| M | ✓ | Fasten things which could be blown away.            |
| N |   | Make as few telephone calls as possible.            |
| O |   | Listen to your radio.                               |