



### WORD LIST

#### avalanche

*lawine*

Look at the snow sliding down. It's an avalanche.



#### blizzard

*sneeuwstorm*

It is dangerous to drive a car in a blizzard.



#### climate

*klimaat*

A cactus can grow in a dry climate.



#### damage

*schade*

The falling tree caused damage to the house.



#### drought

*droogte*

During the long drought the plants didn't grow.



#### extreme

*extreem*

Upside down rock climbing is an extreme sport.



#### flood

*overstroming*

We can't go to school today because of the flood.



#### heat wave

*hittegolf*

During a heat wave it is much hotter than usual.



#### hurricane

*orkaan*

The storm got worse and turned into a hurricane.



#### landslide

*aardverschuiving*

The landslide came close to the house.



#### monsoon

*moesson, regentijd*

Take shelter during the monsoon showers.



#### mudslide

*modderstroom*

After the mudslide, the road was blocked.



#### natural disaster

*natuurramp*

Mudslides and floods are natural disasters.



#### sandstorm

*zandstorm*

There is a sandstorm coming.



#### severe

*erg, zwaar*

The tornado caused severe damage to our house.



#### snow shower

*sneeuwbuie*

It's hard to cycle in a snow shower.



#### thunderstorm

*onweersbui*

There is thunder and lightning in a thunderstorm.



**tornado**

*wervelwind*

The tornado almost hit our car.



**tropical storm**

*tropische storm*

During a tropical storm it pours with rain.



**tsunami**

*vloedgolf*

Run! There is a tsunami coming.



**unbearable**

*ondraaglijk*

The heat is unbearable.



**unusual**

*ongewoon*

An upside down house is very unusual.



**warning**

*waarschuwing*

Warning: the path is slippery because of the ice.



**to avoid**

*vermijden*

Avoid eating too much junk food. It is not healthy.



**to escape**

*ontsnappen*

In case of an emergency: escape through this door!



**to report**

*verslag doen*

Journalists report the news.



**to rescue**

*redden*

This dog knows how to rescue people.



**to take shelter**

*schuilen*

The monkeys take shelter during the rain.



**Don't ... unless you ...**

*Doe het niet ... tenzij ...*

Don't dive from the rock unless you know the water is very deep.



**There will be severe thunderstorms.**

*Het gaat hard onweren.*

There will be severe thunderstorms in the east



**continental climate**

*landklimaat*

Russia has a continental climate.



**to destroy**

*vernietigen*

The house was completely destroyed by the storm.



**polar climate**

*poolklimaat*

Reindeer live in a polar climate.



**to protect**

*beschermen*

The dykes protect the land from the sea.



**temperate climate**

*gematigd klimaat*

The Netherlands has a temperate climate.

