

SANGAM SKM COLLEGE-NADI

GEOGRAPHY YEAR 12 REVISIONAL WORKSHEET 2-WEEK 3

TOPIC- NATURAL HAZARDS

A.SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. State **one** reason why developed countries like Japan act so quickly after an earthquake or a tsunami.

2. Give **one** precaution that could be taken to cope with high rainfall in cities and explain why this would be helpful.

3. State the major cause of tsunami.

4. Outline 2 socio- economic effects of earthquake.

5. Describe two ways in which flooding affects land use.

6. Describe two economic impacts of tropical cyclone.

7. Briefly discuss why international co-operation is necessary in dealing with natural hazards.

B. DEFINITIONS

Define clearly the following terms:

1. Focus

2. Gale

3. Monsoon

4. Magma

5. Heat wave

6. Tsunami

7. Sand storm

8. Coriolis force

9. Cultural hazard

10. Maar

11. Avalanche

12. Jet stream

13. Epicenter

14. Lapilli

15. Blizzard

C. ESSAY WRITING

Write an essay of 180-200 words on the given question. (To be written in the geography essay book or in the geography note book)

With reference to a specific hazard that occurred in either Fiji or Monsoon Asia, discuss two human activities that can worsen the effects of the hazard and two measures to reduce the effects

