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Project Lead	Description	Target age group	Weblink and further information
AHRC funded project: University of Leeds and University of the West of England: Multi Story Water	School river project work, fieldwork and exhibition of work at a community learning centre. A practical toolbox learning resource has been produced.	5-11 years.	Multi-story-Eastville.co.uk
Science Kids	Educational resources for children and parents	Age not specified.	<a href="http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/weather/floods.html">www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/weather/floods.html</a>
British Red Cross	Classroom activities:  Flood Response - photo-based activities encouraging students to think about the practical and emotional impact of the recent floods.	Ideal for citizenship and PSHE teaching, tutor time and across the curriculum.	<a href="http://www.redcross.org.uk/What-we-do/Teaching-resources/Quick-activities/Flood-response">http://www.redcross.org.uk/What-we-do/Teaching-resources/Quick-activities/Flood-response</a>
Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency	Cool Flood Ready Kids - Flood Academy: flood facts, quiz, make your own disaster survival kit, packing a flood kiddie kit.	For younger household members.	<a href="http://weready.org/flood/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=35&amp;Itemid=35">http://weready.org/flood/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=article&amp;id=35&amp;Itemid=35</a>
Christian Aid	Learning resources for teachers and youth leaders.  Disaster Alert: March 2013 assembly and presentation.  Disaster Strikes: education on Natural Hazards: classroom	11-14 years.  7-11 years.  7-11 years.	<a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/assembly-march-2013-disaster-alert.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/assembly-march-2013-disaster-alert.aspx</a>  <a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/disaster-strikes.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/disaster-strikes.aspx</a>

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	<p>activities on hurricanes, droughts, flooding, earthquakes, tsunamis.</p> <p>Disaster Strikes: The Typhoon Town Challenge game gives an insight into what life is like for a community located in a particularly poor part of Metro Manila, the capital region of the Philippines.</p> <p><b>Disaster Zone: Resources to explore disasters with secondary school students.</b></p> <p>Disaster Zone Game: Emergency Exit is an interactive game showing the devastating impact of a disaster on a community living in poverty.</p> <p>Forest Foods Forever: Interactive game that gives an insight into what life is like for a community in the Amazon rainforest.</p> <p>Global Explorers: Interactive whiteboard resource featuring facts, quizzes, video footage, photos, lesson plans, worksheets</p>	<p>11-14 years.</p> <p>9+ years.</p> <p>7-11 years.</p> <p>For primary schools.</p> <p>11-14 years.</p>	<p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/disaster-strikes-game.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/disaster-strikes-game.aspx</a></p> <p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/disaster-zone.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/disaster-zone.aspx</a></p> <p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/disaster-zone-game.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/disaster-zone-game.aspx</a></p> <p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/forest-foods-forever-game.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/forest-foods-forever-game.aspx</a></p> <p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/global-explorers.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/primary/global-explorers.aspx</a></p> <p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/</a></p>
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	<p>and the real-life stories of children all over the world.</p> <p>Pakistan Floods - Disaster Relief Assembly: assembly will help children to understand what is happening in Pakistan and how disaster relief works to help those affected by natural disasters.</p> <p>Pakistan Floods 2010 - Disaster Response: assembly to understand more about the floods in Pakistan; to show what Christian Aid is doing to help and to reflect upon how the children can help too.</p>	7-11 years.	<p><a href="http://www.christianaid.org.uk/secondary-assembly-Pakistan-floods.aspx">dary/secondary-assembly-Pakistan-floods.aspx</a></p> <p><a href="http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/secondary-assembly-Pakistan-floods.aspx">http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/TeachersResources/secondary/secondary-assembly-Pakistan-floods.aspx</a></p>
Cool the Earth	A climate change assembly programme that educates students and their families about climate change and inspires them to take simple actions to reduce their carbon emissions. Website contains instructions, materials, resources and tools needed to implement the programme.	K-8 students.	<a href="http://www.cooltheearth.org/pages/our-programs/what-is-cool-the-earth">http://www.cooltheearth.org/pages/our-programs/what-is-cool-the-earth</a>
Education Scotland: Ready for Emergencies resource	A resource that contains a range of materials to help children and young people prepare for and deal with emergencies - Learning Journeys and Videos. It has been developed for use by practitioners	Age not specified.	<a href="http://www.educationscotland.gov.uk/readyforemergencies/flooding/resources.asp">http://www.educationscotland.gov.uk/readyforemergencies/flooding/resources.asp</a>

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	using real-life emergency situations wherever possible. It aims to engage and inform the audience about the benefits of resilience education.		
Essex County Council (Developing Community Resilience programme)	Books, on-line games, videos, puzzles, stationary and colouring resources.	Age not specified.	<a href="http://www.whatif-guidance.org/">http://www.whatif-guidance.org/</a>
Hampshire Fire and Rescue Service	<a href="#">Susie</a> the child-minder: 'The flood' book – hard copy and online.	Age not specified. Primary school children.	<a href="http://www3.hants.gov.uk/su-siethchildminder/theflood.htm">http://www3.hants.gov.uk/su-siethchildminder/theflood.htm</a>
Lancaster University & Save the Children - Hull Children's flood project	Journey of Hope workshops: for schools and local authorities, six to 12 weeks after a disaster to help children to normalise their emotions. To enable them to think about their fears and grief and encourage conversation, to let them know it's okay to feel anxious and that everybody worries about things.	Key stage 3	<a href="http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/news/articles/2013/-childrens-journey-of-hope-drawings-by-children-affected-by-the-2007-hull-flood/">http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/news/articles/2013/-childrens-journey-of-hope-drawings-by-children-affected-by-the-2007-hull-flood/</a>
Mercy Corps: Flood education in Nepal	Children participate in hands-on drills and first aid training, and learn about safety precautions through games, art projects and drama competition. Actual activities not available through weblink.	Age not specified.	<a href="http://www.mercycorps.org/photos/nepal/teaching-kids-prepare-floods">http://www.mercycorps.org/photos/nepal/teaching-kids-prepare-floods</a>
Pima Country Flood Control District, Tucson (USA)	Sherrif Hank Highwaters Flood Safety Homepage: fun things and	Age not specified.	<a href="http://rfcd.pima.gov/outreach/hank/index.htm">http://rfcd.pima.gov/outreach/hank/index.htm</a>

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	facts about water and desert environment incl. Photos & videos, facts & science, puzzles & games, things to make and do, related webs links.		
Public Broadcasting Service	Educational flood resources including programme and lesson plan.	Grades 3-6.	<a href="http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/education/programs/2307_flood.html">http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/education/programs/2307_flood.html</a>
Queensland Government: Natural Hazard's Children's programme	<p>Learning and teaching resources for kids, young people and schools.</p> <p>Natural Hazard's Children's programme: 30 second animated stories and education resources for teachers.</p> <p>Disaster resilience Education for Schools: a toolkit of disaster resilience education resources focusing on both individual and community resilience.</p> <p><i>Get Ready Kidnas!:</i> a fun, interactive and self-directed educational resource which recognises the roles children can play in raising disaster awareness and preparedness in their household.</p>	<p>6-12 years.</p> <p>For teachers and students - age not specified.</p> <p>Age not specified.</p> <p>12-18 years.</p>	<a href="http://www.emergency.qld.gov.au/emq/css/kids.asp">http://www.emergency.qld.gov.au/emq/css/kids.asp</a>

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	<p>Red Alert! Digital Stories: developed by young people aged between 12 and 18 years for their peers, the <i>Red Alert!</i> web-page contains a collection of fifteen two-minute digital stories about cyclones, bushfires and severe storms and floods.</p> <p>Dingo Creek: an engaging, easy-to-use multimedia resource, with associated classroom activities, resources and curricula links.</p> <p>Stormwatchers: a 3D interactive web based game developed by the Australian Bureau of Meteorology and James Cook University.</p>	<p>Primary and secondary school age.</p> <p>7-13 years.</p>	
<p>Save the Children; Disaster Risk Reduction programme; Philippines</p>	<p>Information about being prepared delivered by Save the Children in school – combined with giving useful items to children/families.</p>	<p>Age not specified.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.savethechildren.org.uk/sites/default/files/docs/Reducing_Risks_Saving_Lives_1.pdf">http://www.savethechildren.org.uk/sites/default/files/docs/Reducing_Risks_Saving_Lives_1.pdf</a></p>
<p>Scottish Environment Protection Agency</p>	<p>SEPA Kids. Flood facts including information on coastal flooding, how floods can affect people. Animations on flood kits, a family flood plan and what causes flooding.</p> <p>Flood play devised by SEPA theatre.</p>	<p>7-11 years.</p> <p>Primary school age.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.Sepakids.com">www.Sepakids.com</a></p>

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<p>The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in connection with The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) (USA)</p>	<p>Be A Hero: various online activities aimed at information and preparedness for the whole family. Kids: online games, build a kit, alert education. Parents: emergency kit checklist, family plan, learn how to help children cope during and after a disaster, learn what is the best way to respond to a child during and after a disaster.</p>	<p>8-12 years.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.ready.gov/kids">http://www.ready.gov/kids</a></p>
<p>United Nations &amp; International Strategy for Disaster Reduction</p>	<p>Stop Disasters! Online disaster simulation game.</p>	<p>Core age 9-16 years, but anyone can play and enjoy the game.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.stopdisastersgame.org/en/playgame.html">http://www.stopdisastersgame.org/en/playgame.html</a></p>