


# WORKSHEET: FLOOD WARNINGS MATCH UP



This is a match-up exercise. Match the correct image, meanings and actions to the 3 types of flood alerts and warnings.

**FLOOD ALERT**



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**FLOOD WARNING**




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**SEVERE FLOOD WARNING**



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## WARNING SYMBOL



## WHAT THE WARNING MEANS

Flooding is expected

There is a danger to life from the flooding

Flooding is possible

## WHAT ACTIONS YOU SHOULD TAKE

- Call 999 if you are in danger
- Move things upstairs
- Check flood warnings
- Turn off gas, water and electricity
- Get your flood kit
- Follow advice from emergency services





# HOUSEHOLD FLOOD PLAN

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## Flood Kit Checklist

- Copy of flood plan
- Torch
- Warm and waterproof clothing
- Wellies
- Rubber gloves
- Camera
- Food and bottled water
- Medication
- First aid kit
- Mobile phone and chargers
- Notepad and pen
- Battery operated radio
- Important documents
- Spare keys
- Emergency cash and cards
- Blankets
- Pet Supplies

### Where is it located?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## Emergency Contact Details

Parents or guardians names:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Addresses:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

| RADIO       |  | Channel number |
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| TV CHANNELS |  |                |
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| WEBSITES    |  |                |
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# HOUSEHOLD FLOOD PLAN

## Contact list




## Contact details and Twitter handle

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|--|--|--|
| <b>Environment Agency Floodline</b>      |  |  |
| <b>Electricity North West</b>            |  |  |
| <b>Electricity Helpline</b>              |  |  |
| <b>National Grid</b>                     |  |  |
| <b>United Utilities (sewer flooding)</b> |  |  |
| <b>Local Council</b>                     |  |  |
| <b>Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA)</b> |  |  |
| <b>Insurance Company</b>                 |  |  |
| <b>Gauge Map monitoring station</b>      |  |  |
| <b>Flood Warden</b>                      |  |  |
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## Property Flood Resilience (PFR)

Write down what measures you have, where to install them and where they are stored.

## Utility Supplies

| Utility  | Location | How to turn them off |
|--|----------|----------------------|
|  Gas      |          |                      |
|  Electric |          |                      |
|  Water    |          |                      |



# HOUSEHOLD FLOOD PLAN

| Vulnerable neighbours | Address |
|-----------------------|---------|
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## Arrangements for pets

|   |  |
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| <p>Name of someone to look after pet if we are unable to</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Address and contact details</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> | <p><b>CHECKLIST</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dog food and treats</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dog Bed</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dog Bowl</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dog waste bags</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Lead</p> |
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**Name, address and contact details of place(s) to evacuate**

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**Where is the safest exit from your home?** (which door or window)

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\_\_\_\_\_





# HOUSEHOLD FLOOD PLAN



## Flood Alert

(Met Office: Yellow warning)

Flooding is possible.

Stay vigilant and make early preparations for a potential flood.

## ACTIONS TO TAKE



## Flood Warning

(Met Office: Amber warning)

Flooding is expected.

Immediate action is required to protect yourself and your property.

## ACTIONS TO TAKE



## Severe Flood Warning

(Met Office: Red warning)

Severe flooding is expected.

Significant risk to life and property.

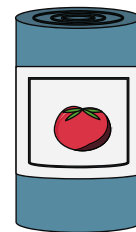
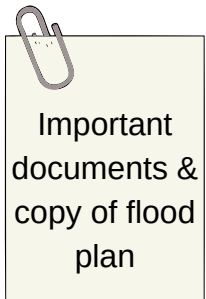
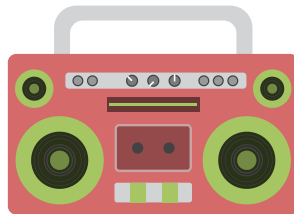
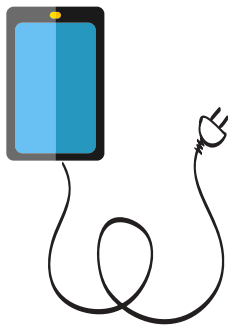
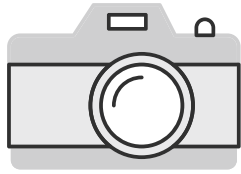
Prepare to evacuate and cooperate with emergency services.

## ACTIONS TO TAKE



# WORKSHEET: WHAT TO PUT IN YOUR FLOOD KIT

Circle the items that you think should be in a flood kit.





# WORKSHEET: WHAT TO DO IN AN EMERGENCY

**Complete the questionnaire by answering the following questions.**

**Name:**

**Age:**

**Q1: What number would you call in an emergency? (Tick one box)**

888

911

999

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**Q2: Who would you call in the following situation? (Draw a line to the correct answer)**

If there is smoke coming from a window

Police

If somebody was stealing from a house

Ambulance Service

If somebody is badly injured

Fire Brigade

**Q3: Which of the following are emergencies? (Tick the correct answers)**

Your games console breaking

Bad weather, e.g snow

A flood

Washing machine breaking

Somebody who is injured

Power cut

**Q4: What is a flood plan?** \_\_\_\_\_



# WORKSHEET: WHAT TO DO IN AN EMERGENCY

Complete the questionnaire by answering the following questions.

**Q5: What do each of these Environment Agency flood symbols mean? (Draw lines to the correct answer)**



Flood Warning



Severe Flood Warning



Flood Alert

**Q6: Which of the following would you take with you if you had to evacuate in an emergency? (Tick the correct answers)**

Food

Warm clothes

Games console

Bottled water

Makeup

Money

Medication

Torch

Blankets

Laptop





# HOMWORK: MAKE YOUR HOME FLOOD RESILIENT

## 1. CHECK YOUR FLOOD RISK

- Go online to <https://flood-warning-information.service.gov.uk/long-term-flood-risk/postcode>
- Enter your postcode and select your address
- Click 'View a map of the risk of flooding from surface water'
- Use the drop down button to change the type of flood risk
- Look at the colour key at the bottom for High Medium and Low

What is your risk of flooding from surface water? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your risk of flooding from rivers and the sea? \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. MAKE A FLOOD KIT

What items do you have in your house that you could put in a flood kit?

|       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |

## 2. INSPECT YOUR HOUSE

With an adult, use the template provided in class and write your household's flood plan.

