

## **DANTE'S PEAK**

### **BEFORE WATCHING THE FILM:**

#### ***VOCABULARY:***

♦ Check if you understand the following vocabulary. Look up in a dictionary all the words you don't understand:

- Natural disaster
- Volcano
- Earthquake
- Catastrophe...catastrophic
- Ash/ashes
- Lava
- Seismic activity
- Blow up... erupt...eruption
- gas emission
- spring...hot spring
- safe....dangerous
- threat
- to scare...scary
- do good...do harm
- put on alert
- engine..work
- robot
- city council...Mayor
- geologist..vulcanologist

### **AFTER WATCHING THE FILM:**

♦ ***MATCH THE BEGINNINGS WITH THE ENDINGS IN ORDER TO MAKE CORRECT SENTENCES:***

- 1-Dante's Peak is a small town....
- 2-Harry Dalton is ....
- 3-Harry suspects that....
- 4-Harry's boss believes....
- 5-The business people in the town don't want to listen to Harry ....
- 6-Harry and Rachel go to look for the children....
- 7-They cannot get back to town by car....
- 8-They take Ruth's boat to cross the lake.....
- 9-Ruth gets in the water to push the boat....
- 10-Harry, Rachel and the children go into the mine ...

- A -.... but it stops.  
B -... because it could ruin their plans.  
C - ... situated on the side of an inactive volcano.  
D - ... when the volcano erupts.  
E - ... and eventually can call for help.  
F - ... the volcano is going to erupt.  
G - ... an expert on volcanoes.  
H - ... but the acid hurts her legs and kills her.  
I - ... there is nothing to worry about.  
J - ... because there are rocks on the road.

◆ *WRITE TRUE OR FALSE:*

- 1- Harry's boss thinks he is exaggerating the danger.
- 2- Harry's girlfriend was killed in an earthquake.
- 3- Rachel is the mayor of Dante's Peak.
- 4- Two people are killed by wild animals when they are swimming in a hot spring.
- 5- Harry, Rachel and the kids can't drive across the lava.
- 6- They can't get out of the mine and stayed there for a week.

◆ *EXTRA:*

If you have time you can go to the link below and do the activities: ( really interesting)

[http://www.windows.ucar.edu/tour/link=/teacher\\_resources/dantes\\_peak\\_edu.html](http://www.windows.ucar.edu/tour/link=/teacher_resources/dantes_peak_edu.html)