Report for Active Learning (Austria)

Title: Natural desasters

Subject: Geography

Classes: 2b, 2c

Age: 12 years

Time: 5 lessons each 45 minutes

Materials: paper, photos from the internet, school book, information from the internet

Contents: volcanoes, fire, avalanches, earthquakes, thunderstorms

Aims: The students represent their theme by a poster and a report in class,

 everything is done at school, the students have to decide who does which part of the project, they have to do everything on their own

Strategy: 1st lesson: the students get together in groups of four and have to discuss and plan how to do their task

 2nd lesson: the pupils search the internet for information and print pictures

 3rd lesson: the pupils get a sheet of paper for making a poster with their printed photos and short texts.

 4th lesson: the students finish their work on the poster and prepare their

 report.

 5th lesson: the students represent their poster and report in class

Activities: reading information in school book, searching the internet for information and photos, designing a poster, making a report in class

Bibliography and websources: school book Geoprofi 1, internet