There are many other kinds of catastrophic events other than the ones mentioned in your lesson. Some examples are listed here:

> Natural pandemic Nuclear war Power grid failure Landslides **Avalanches** Lightening strikes Heat wave Cyclones

Research either one of these events or some other type of catastrophic event you discovered and give details about it. Make sure to predict the environmental impact of your catastrophic event. Use one of these presentation ideas below.



Journal



News Reporter



Pamphlet



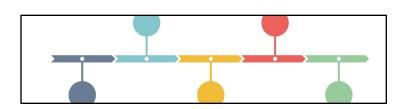
Personal Story



Newspaper Article



Student Choice



Time Line

Research some type of catastrophic event (other than the ones you're already studied) and give details about it. Make sure to predict the environmental impact of your catastrophic event. Use one of these presentation ideas below.



**Journal** – You are a journalist in the field and you discover an event that could be catastrophic. Write five journal entries describing what is happening over a five day period, and how this event is impacting the environment. What might be the end results of this event?



**Pamphlet -** Create a pamphlet that warns people about a particular catastrophic event. Give details as to why this event is harmful for both plants, animals and the environment, including humans. Explain what people can do to protect themselves from the impact of this disaster.



**Newspaper Article** – As a reporter you are reporting on a possible catastrophic disaster. Give details as to why this event is harmful for both plants, animals and the environment, including humans. Explain what people can do to protect themselves from the impact of this disaster.



**News Report** – You are a journalist in the field and you discover an event that could be catastrophic. You quickly assemble your news team and begin covering the event. Give details as to why this event is harmful for both plants, animals, and the environment, including humans. Explain what people can do to protect themselves from the impact of this disaster.



**Personal Story** – You have experienced a catastrophic disaster yourself and want to share it with other. In a story telling way give the details of the disaster and how it impacted you, others, and possibly the environment.



**Student Choice** – Present your idea to the teacher for approval. Give details as to why this event is harmful for both plants, animals and the environment, including humans. Explain what people can do to protect themselves from the impact of this disaster



**Time Line** - Find a catastrophic event which happened over a period of time. List the major events that occurred and give a brief explanation about each. Include pictures or pictographs. Explain how the environment was impacted.