

CLASS VIII ENGLISH – WORK SHEET

THE TSUNAMI

1. How many people and animals died in Yala National Park? (The Tsunami)
2. What happened when the Ignacious family saw the sea rising? (The Tsunami)
3. Name the few unlikely heroes who emerged during the tsunami of 2004 according to the story The Tsunami?
4. Where did the Smith family and the others on the beach go to escape from the tsunami?
5. How did Almas's father and grandfather die? (The Tsunami)
6. How did Sanjeev lose his life?
7. What is the view of some experts about the animals?

8. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow:

Alma's mother and aunts stood clinging to the leaves of a coconut tree, calling out to her. A wave uprooted the tree, and they too were washed away. Alma saw a log of wood floating. She climbed on to it. Then she floated. When she woke up, she was in a hospital in Kamorta, from where she was brought to Port Blair.

- i. Where were Alma's mother and aunt?
- ii. How did Alma save herself?
- iii. Where was Alma when she woke up?