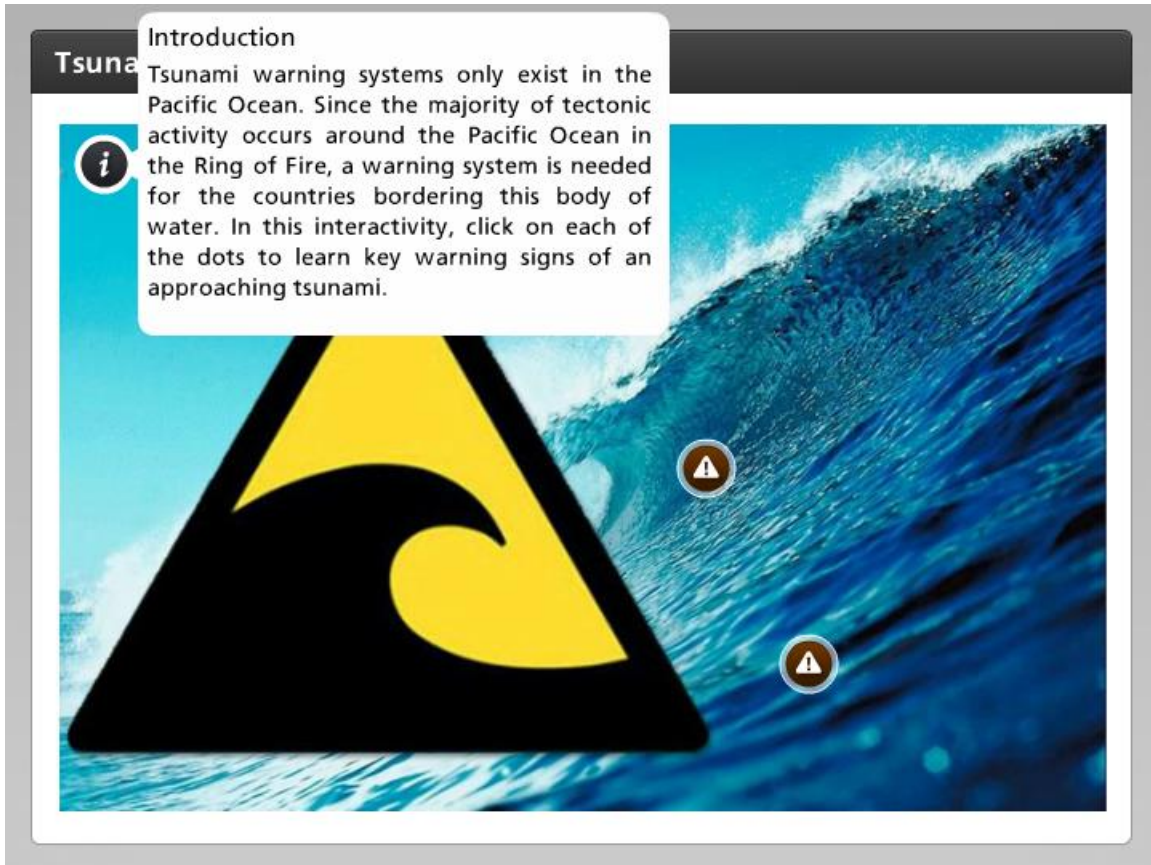


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## Topic 2 Content: Tsunami Warning Signs Notes

### Introduction

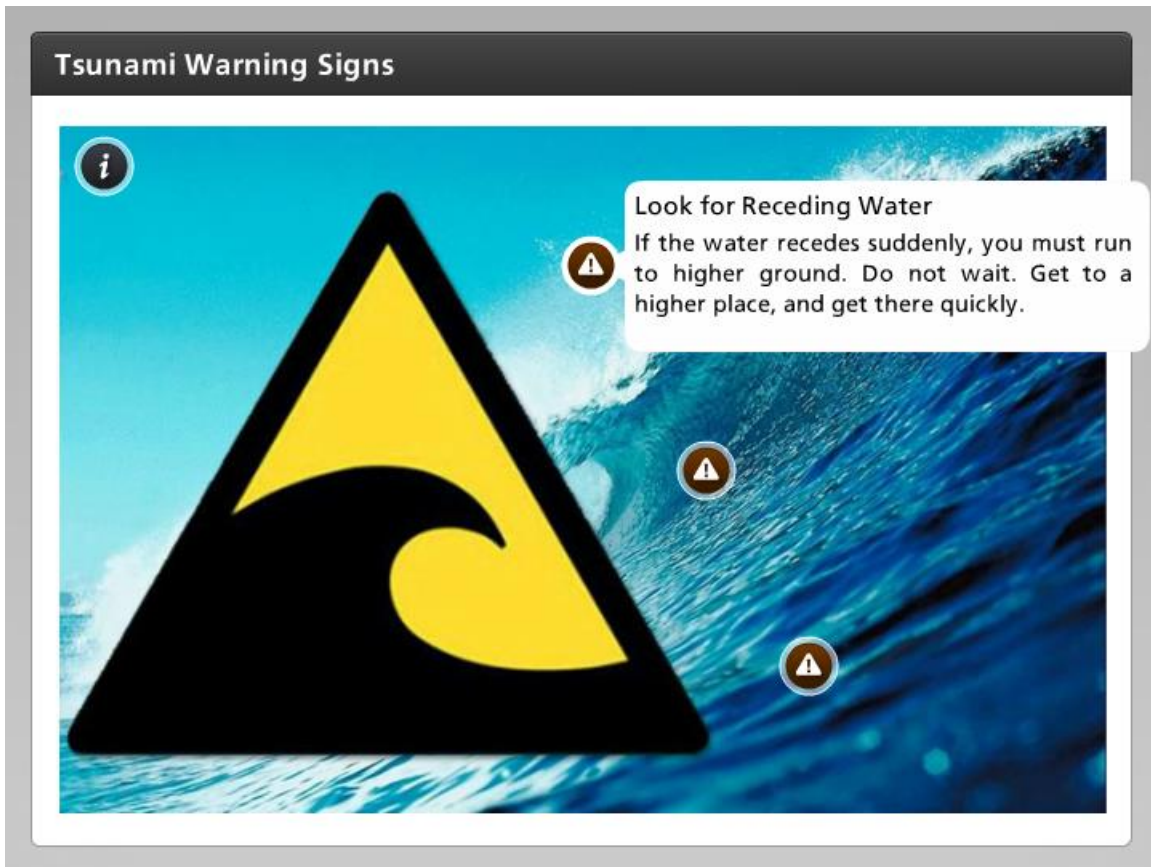


The image shows a digital interface for an interactive lesson. On the left, a dark grey header contains the word "Tsunami" in white. Below it, a white information box with a blue border contains the text: "Introduction Tsunami warning systems only exist in the Pacific Ocean. Since the majority of tectonic activity occurs around the Pacific Ocean in the Ring of Fire, a warning system is needed for the countries bordering this body of water. In this interactivity, click on each of the dots to learn key warning signs of an approaching tsunami." To the right of the text box is a large image of a blue ocean wave. Overlaid on the left side of the wave is a large yellow triangular warning sign with a black border and a black wave symbol. Two small circular icons, each containing a white exclamation mark inside a triangle, are placed on the blue water of the wave.

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**Look for Receding Water**

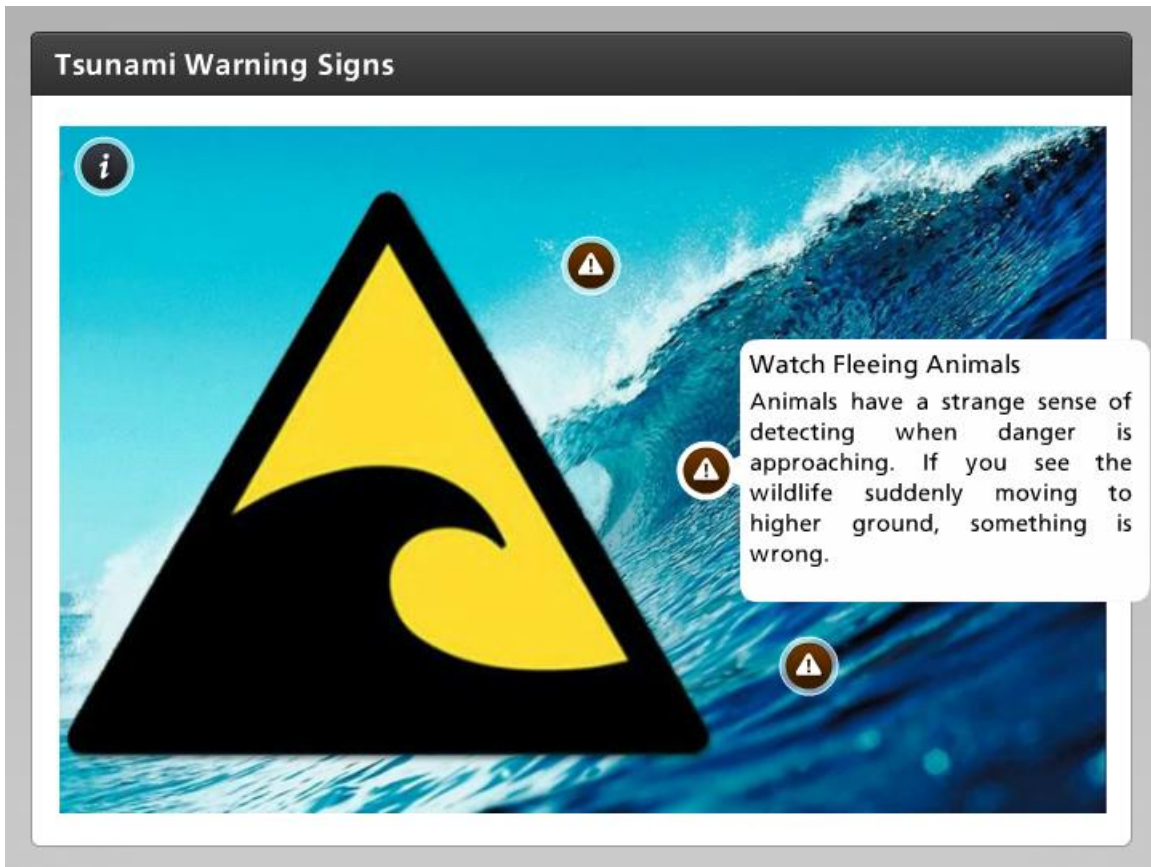


If the water recedes suddenly, you must run to higher ground. Do not wait. Get to a higher place, and get there quickly.

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#### Watch Fleeing Animals

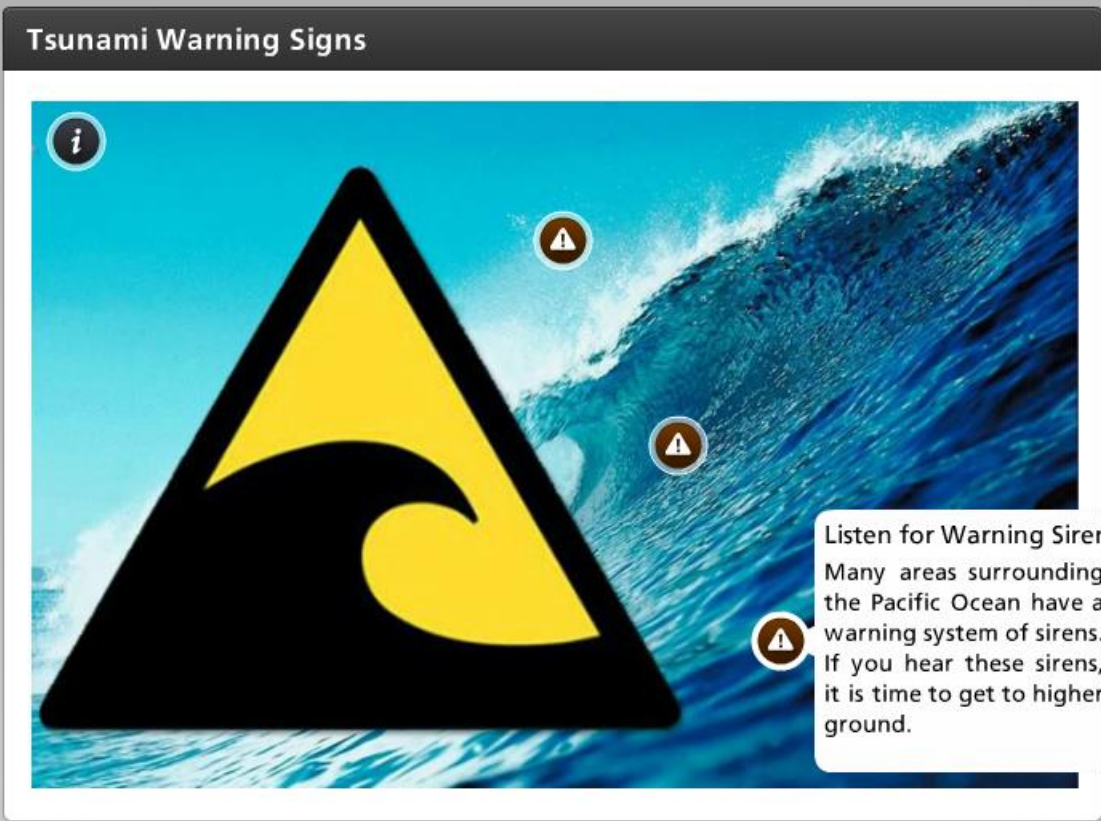


Animals have a strange sense of detecting when danger is approaching. If you see the wildlife suddenly moving to higher ground, something is wrong.

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#### Listen for Warning Sirens



The graphic is titled "Tsunami Warning Signs" and features a large yellow triangle with a black border and a black wave symbol inside, set against a background of a blue ocean wave. There are three small circular icons with exclamation marks inside, positioned around the wave symbol. A white text box in the bottom right corner contains the following text:

Listen for Warning Sirens  
Many areas surrounding the Pacific Ocean have a warning system of sirens. If you hear these sirens, it is time to get to higher ground.

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