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Using the Table of Contents

Reading a table of contents will help you find information you need about a particular subject. Look at the following sample table of contents from a book about earthquakes.

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► Write the page number of the chapter that would most likely contain information about the topics listed below.

1. the earthquake that caused the most damage _____
2. instruments that signal an earthquake is on the way _____
3. where the continents have split and moved apart _____
4. what builders have done to keep buildings safe _____
5. the scale used to tell how bad an earthquake is _____
6. the difference between cracks and faults _____