Planning an Earthquake Survival Kit.

You live in Pacific Heights, San Francisco. You have a small sturdy shed in your garden, well away from the house, which houses your garden tools. On the advice of local fire officers you are going to put together an earthquake emergency kit and store it in this shed so it would be accessible in the event of an earthquake.

Which 6 things from the list below does your group think would be most useful to put in the emergency kit?

Discuss each item carefully and have a clear reason ready to justify your choice.

Fire Extinguisher	First Aid Kit	Swiss Army Knife
Plastic bucket	Torch	TV
Board games	Matches	Candles
Tin opener	Spade	Small tent
4 litres mineral water	Water purifying tablets	Toilet paper
Radio (battery operated)	Toothpaste	Mobile phone
Disinfectant	Tools including pipe wrench	Spare batteries
Batteries	Tinned food	Dried food
Dust mask	Spade	Blankets
Avalanche transmitter	Wind up radio	Camping gas and stove

How and why would your choices be different if you lived in a LEDC?

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