



Year 6 Spring Term Striving for the Summit



Geography
Describing and understanding mountains
Using maps and atlases to locate and describe mountains

What is a mountain?
What mountains do we know?
A hill or a mountain?
Have we ever climbed a mountain?
What do we already know about mountains?

English
To persuade...
Designing equipment for mountaineers
Dragon's Den style selling of the boots
Persuading mountain companies to make our equipment
Advertising our equipment

Being a mountaineer
What is a mountaineer?
What do mountaineers need to consider before climbing a mountain?

English
To recount...
Biographies about famous mountaineers!



Mountains across the world
Where are the world's most famous mountains?
Can we identify mountains on a map?
How can we find out more about mountains from a map?

Art
The 36-views of Mount Fuji by Hokusai Katsushika
Focusing on perspective and block printing

How are mountains formed?
What happens so a mountain forms?
What are the different types of mountains?
Why do mountains grow?



Music
Appreciation of music from different traditions and cultures particularly in mountain communities



Features of mountains
What is it like on a mountain?
What features make up a mountain?
What causes the shapes of mountains?

Mountain climates
What is it like on a mountain?
Are there different climates on a mountain?
How has climate change impacted mountain regions?

English
To entertain...
Adventure stories set in the mountains!

What are the risks of being on a mountain?
What does it mean to acclimatise?
Why are mountains so dangerous?



Science

Evolution and inheritance
How have animals and plants adapted over time to live in their habitats

The Himalayas

What is it like on the most famous mountain range in the world?
Who is able to survive on the Himalayas?

English

To inform...
Information books about Himalayan animals



Comparing mountains?

How are mountains across the world the same?
How are mountains across the world different?



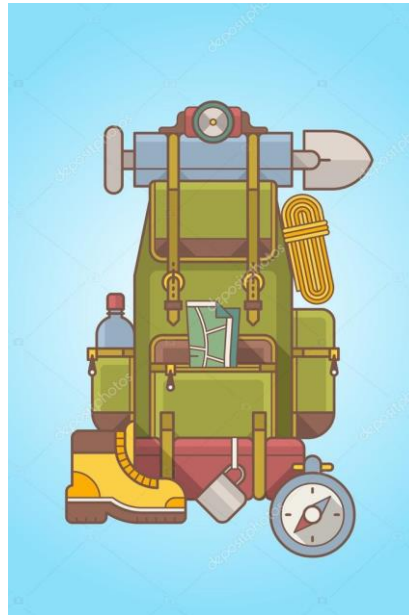
In other areas of the curriculum

RE
Christianity and Easter

Mandarin
Continuing learning a modern language

PE
Tag Rugby, football, gymnastics and orienteering

Grammar and spelling
We will continue to cover the remaining objectives from the Year 5 / 6 English National curriculum



Computing
Creating programs with different kinds of loops, events, functions, and conditionals

PSHCE
New Year's resolutions, peer pressure/ making the right choices, self-esteem, revision strategies, SRE

Maths
We will continue to follow objectives from the National Curriculum
Areas this term include: Number, Fractions, Measures and Geometry

