


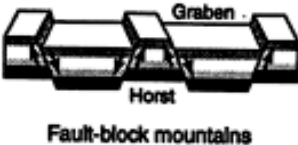



Year 4: Mountains Knowledge Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary		Seven Summits	Important knowledge about mountains
mountain	A landform that rises high above its surroundings. They are made from rocks and earth and are higher than 600 metres.		<input type="checkbox"/> I know what a mountain is and can locate the world's 'Seven Summits' on a map and in an atlas.
landform	A natural feature of the earth's surface.		<input type="checkbox"/> I know the key features of mountains and how they are formed.
summit	The top of a mountain or hill.		<input type="checkbox"/> I know the different types of mountains.
slope	The side of a mountain, a hill, or a valley	Types of Mountains	
valley	A long ditch in the Earth's surface. It usually lies between ranges of hills or mountains.	 <p>Upwarped mountains</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> I know the climate of mountains and how it affects mountain life.
avalanche	A large amount of snow that quickly moves down a slope.	 <p>Volcanic mountains</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> I know the UK's highest mountains, where they are and the key features of them.
mountaineer	A person who climbs or hikes mountains.	 <p>Fault-block mountains</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> I know the importance of the Himalayas for people living in the region
glacier	A thick mass of ice that covers a large area of land	 <p>Folded (complex) mountains</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> I know about a world-famous mountain or a mountainous region.
fold mountain	Fold mountains are created where two or more of Earth's tectonic plates are pushed together.		
climate	The long-term pattern of weather in a particular area.		