

# Mountain Ranges



#### Aim

- I can use a map to find countries and their key features.
- I can locate key mountain ranges of the world.

#### Success Criteria

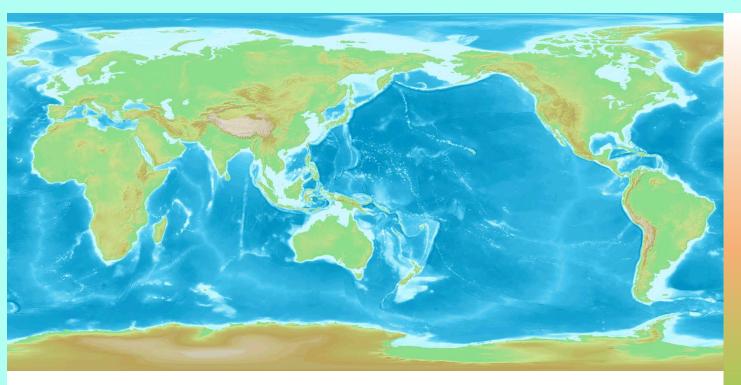
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- I can tell you the country a mountain range is found in.
- I can use the index in an atlas to find mountains.
- I can find the height of a peak on a map.

## This is cool!



## Using the Legend





Do you know the names of any of the highest areas?

Over 5000m

Over 2000m

Over 1000m

Over 1000m

> Over 200m

#### What Is a Mountain?



How would you explain to someone what a mountain is?

When does a hill become a mountain?

A mountain is usually defined as a part of the landscape with steep slopes that rise over 300m.

Some geographers define a mountain as a summit of at least 600m high.

Some mountains are found in groups called ranges, others are isolated summits.



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## Locating Mountains



Where do you think the highest mountain in the world is located on this map?



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Use your atlas to locate the world's major mountain ranges and mark them on your map.

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