Misty Mountain: Home Learning Ideas



Below are some ideas based around our new topic. Please read the ideas to your child and let them choose which activities they would like to complete at home with you or on their own. Try to complete at least 2 activities and make sure you bring your home learning in throughout the half term so that it can be displayed.

Topic

- Find out about animals that inhabit a mountainous area of the world. How do they adapt and survive? Are any of these animals endangered? Why?
- Write an information book explaining how different types of mountains are formed.
 Include labelled diagrams showing each type. You could look at fold, block, dome,
 volcanic or plateau mountains and give examples of each mountain type.
- Research mysterious primates that have inspired people to search for them, such as Bigfoot, in the USA or the Yeren of China. Make 'Wanted' posters featuring an illustration of what you think they may look like.
- Research mountain sports such as skiing, snowboarding, rock climbing or mountain biking. Choose one that excites you, and create a scrapbook of information and images.
 Feature the equipment or clothing needed and the world's best competitors in the sport.
- Create a 3-D food model of a mountain, mountain range or a particular local hill, using ingredients of your choice. You could use jelly, cake, or even mashed potato! Who can make the highest structure? Or the most realistic one? Take a picture to compare with your classmates' model.

Science

- Create a poster about something negative in our environment, something that's important to you whether it be waste, climate change or oil spills.
- Create a model of our environment out of any materials you like.
- Research famous advocates for the environment such as Greta Thunberg or David
 Attenborough—what are their particular interests in our environment?