



The Alps

Concepts		Core Vocabulary			
process	change	tectonic plate	glacier	Mont Blanc	dam

A top geographer...

- can understand geographical concepts such as place and scale, distance, region, change and process.

Geography Knowledge

I know that the Alps are located around France, Switzerland, Monaco, Italy, Liechtenstein, Austria, Germany, and Slovenia.

I know that the Alps contain about 100 peaks that have summits higher than 13 thousand feet.

I know that the mountain ranges were created over ten million years ago as the African and the Eurasian tectonic plates collided.

I know that the Alps are home to over 300 species of animals and 4,500 different types of plants.

I know that Mont Blanc is the highest peak of the alps at 4808m tall.

Geography Skills

Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify countries, continents and oceans.

Use simple compass directions and directional language to describe the location of features and routes on a map.

Use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features.

