

Good morning, Year 5! Today's writing activity follows on from yesterday's comprehension text.

Imagine that you are one of the group beginning the expedition to climb the mountain.

What would be your thoughts and feelings at the start of the trek?

What equipment would you have?

**Describe the first part of your journey.**

Read the writing activity for full details.

## **'The Man Who Bought a Mountain'** **Writing Activity**



"Everyone: stick together, look out for each other and stay on the trail, please. The path is really rocky and steep. It's mostly uphill from here – but I suppose you'd all guessed that! As the elders say, the longest journey begins with a single step."

Yash finished his speech and smiled at the weather-beaten faces looking back at him. He had spoken loudly and clearly to the group of nine men and women, most of whom shuffled from foot to foot, adjusting huge rucksacks as they listened.

From 'The Man Who Bought a Mountain'