

# Himalayas

## Fun fact for kids



Mount Everest, in the Himalayas, is Earth's tallest mountain, towering 8,848 meters above sea level.



Despite their immense size, the Himalayas are relatively young mountains



Legend has it that the Himalayas are home to the mysterious Yeti



The Himalayas are incredibly biodiverse, with thousands of plant and animal species



Many major rivers, such as the Ganges, Brahmaputra, and Indus, originate in the Himalayas



The Himalayas draw climbers worldwide seeking to conquer their towering peaks.



Yaks, sturdy animals adapted to high altitudes, are commonly used for transportation



The Himalayas have ancient mountain passes like the Khyber Pass



The Himalayas are often associated with spirituality and meditation



Many rare and unique species of plants and animals call the Himalayas their home.



The Himalayas are still growing taller due to tectonic plate movement.



The Himalayan region is rich in diverse cultures and traditions.