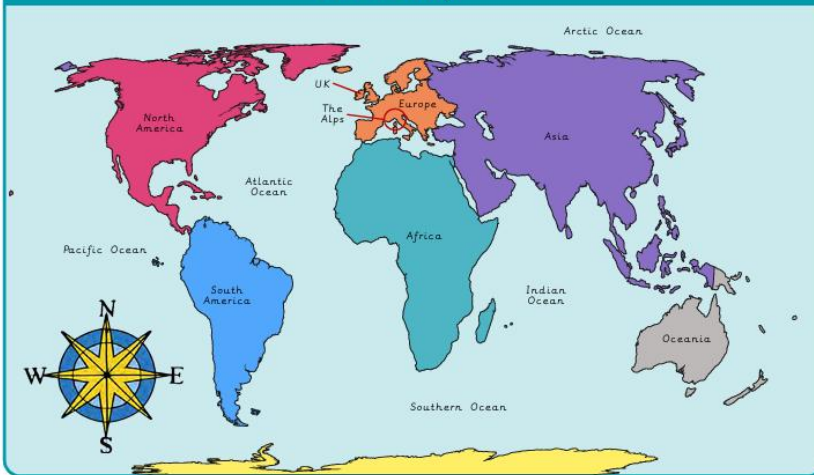


# Year 5 Geography Knowledge Organiser: The Alps

## What is life like in the Alps?



### World map



Mont Blanc is the highest mountain in the Alps.



Popular activities in the Alps include skiing, hiking and sightseeing

### Map of Europe

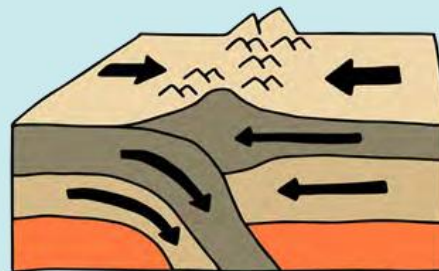
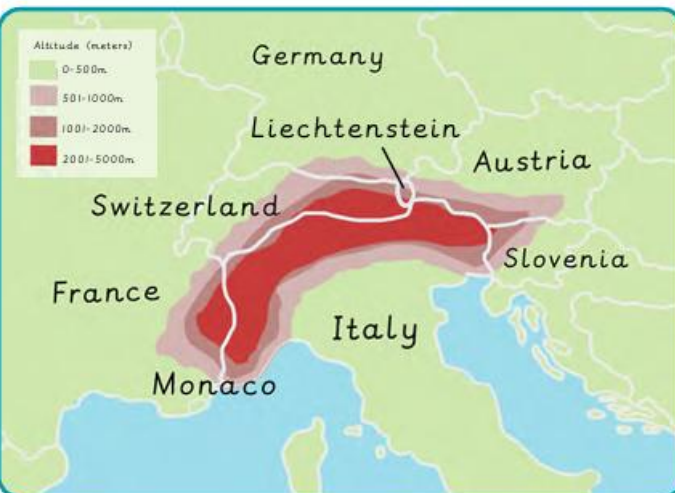


### Climate



Most of the Alps have a mountain climate. It is much colder than the surrounding climate due to the height of the mountains. Lower regions of the Alps have a temperate

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| leisure | The use of free time for enjoyment.                           |
| tourist | A person who travels to a place for pleasure.                 |
| tourism | Travel for pleasure in which people visit places of interest. |



Alpine mountains are fold mountains. They were formed when two tectonic plates pushed together and the ground was forced upwards.