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# Volcanoes, Mountains and Earth Quakes

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## Volcanoes

Volcanoes are fascinating and terrifying. They spew lava, rock, poisonous gases and ash with great power. As it pours out of Earth, it can burn anything in its path. Poisonous gases and ash can cause serious illness or death.



## Mountains

Mountains and snow provide lots of sport such as skiing or para gliding. Did you know that one fifth of the world landscape is occupied by the mountains?

## Earthquake

There are four different types of Earthquakes. The most common one is called Tectonic Earthquake. This is where the plates that make up the outside of the Earth rub against each other which causes a shaking of the Earth's surface.