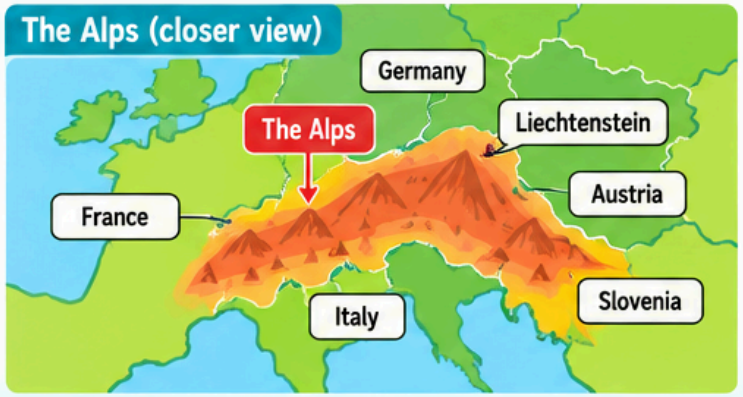
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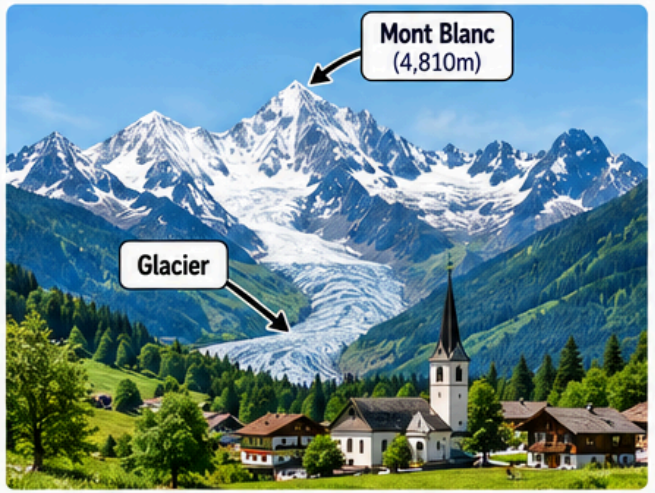
What is life like in the Alps?

1. WHERE ARE THE ALPS?





2. CLIMATE AND LANDSCAPE



- The Alps are a mountain range in Europe.
- Most of the Alps have a mountain climate.
- It is colder at higher altitudes.
- Lower areas can have a temperate climate.
- Mont Blanc is the highest mountain in the Alps.
- The Alps have glaciers, valleys, lakes and forests.

3. LIFE IN THE ALPS



Skiing

- Popular winter activity.
- Brings tourists to the Alps.
- Provides jobs.



Hiking

- Popular summer activity.
- People enjoy the mountains and nature.
- Supports tourism and jobs.



Sightseeing

- People visit for the scenery, lakes and mountain towns.
- Tourism provides jobs but can also bring challenges.
- Travel can be more difficult due to steep slopes, cold weather and snow.

4. SIX KEY WORDS

FOLD MOUNTAIN



A mountain formed when tectonic plates push together and the land is forced upwards.

GLACIER



A large, slow-moving mass of ice.

ALTITUDE



Height above sea level.

MOUNTAIN CLIMATE



A climate that is colder at higher altitudes.

TOURISM



Travel for pleasure to visit places.

LEISURE



Time spent enjoying activities outside work or school.