

Google Earth Landforms

As a part of our landforms unit, we've been using Google Earth in the classroom. Now it's time for your child to experience the fun of using the program at home! For this assignment, they will research a landform and teach it to the class using Google Earth.



If possible, please download and install Google Earth on your computer. Go to <http://earth.google.com> to download this free program. If you are not able to download it and use it at home, you can try the public library. If that's not possible, write me a note and we will time for your child to use a school computer. Thanks for your support with this assignment!

Assignment: Choose one landform from those we have studied - mountain, volcano, delta, canyon, glacier, mesa, etc. Research a real life example of that landform and locate it on Google Earth. Hint: Many national parks have amazing landforms! Record the name and location of the landform (absolute and/or relative location) so you can find it again later. Research and record how that landform was created. Be able to share this information with the class. While you are teaching the class, you may also demonstrate one interesting feature of the Google Earth program.



Presentation Date: _____

Student Name _____

Name of Landform _____

Type of Landform _____ Location _____

How it was formed _____

Sources of information _____

Parent Signature _____