Student Activity

The Strange Mountains Moko

Vocabulary:

Mountains, pass, fear, doubt, bravery, courage, canyon, gorge, river, plate tectonics, erosion

Pre-Viewing Discussion:

Have you ever had to face one of your fears? Describe the experience.

What do you think is distinctive about the Grand Canyon?

Post-Viewing Discussion:

Do you think Moko and Totemie were brave? Why or why not?

How does erosion contribute to the formation of canyons?

Further Activities:

Imagine you are writing a story about a brave person and a less brave person. Create character profiles for each. What kinds of words do you use to describe these characters?