### PEAK DISTRICT NATIONAL PARK LEARNING & DISCOVERY TEAM

# **ONLINE EDUCATION SESSIONS**



These sessions are presented live by our Learning & Discovery Rangers, with interactive activities and additional video content included. They are aimed at KS2.

We will host the sessions on WebEx for the optimum interactive experience, but if you prefer we can join you on your school's online platform of choice. Sessions are designed to be 45 minutes, but this can be flexible, and can be extended to include a Q & A following the session. To enquire about booking, email learning.discovery@peakdistrict.gov.uk

### A VIRTUAL WALK IN THE NATIONAL PARK

Join us to virtually explore the beautiful area around Edale as we journey onto the hills and moorland to



learn about special qualities of the National Park! Along the way we will practise some map reading skills, and learn about habitats and wildlife.

### Key curriculum links:

Science: Living things and their habitats

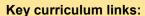
Geography

Using simple fieldwork and observational skills, including map reading Observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area

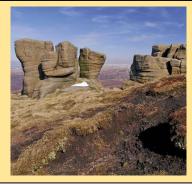
Asking & answering geographical questions.

## **GEOLOGY ROCKS! An introduction to Rocks & Soils**

How are rocks and soils made, and how do they affect the world we see around us? With a focus on the rocks found in the Peak District, this session investigates how they are formed, and the special landscape they have created.



Geography: Rocks & Soils; Asking & answering geographical questions



# ARE THERE MOUNTAINS IN THE PEAK DISTRICT?



The Peak District's Upland areas are high enough to be classed as mountains, but they are quite different to how we often imagine mountains! Through a series of interactive activities, this session examines the features of mountains and moorlands, the special creatures that live there, and some map reading skills.

## Key curriculum links:

<u>Geography:</u> Mountains; Asking & answering geographical questions <u>Science:</u> Living things and their habitats; adaptation.

## WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT NATIONAL PARKS?

What are National Parks? Why are they special and why do we need them? Learn about john Muir, the national parks movement, and what makes the Peak District such a special place. As well as a stand-alone session, this works particularly well as a primer for your class if you are about to come on one of our educational visits.

## **Key curriculum links:**

<u>Geography:</u> comparing and contrasting different places; fieldwork skills. <u>Science:</u> Living things and their habitats

