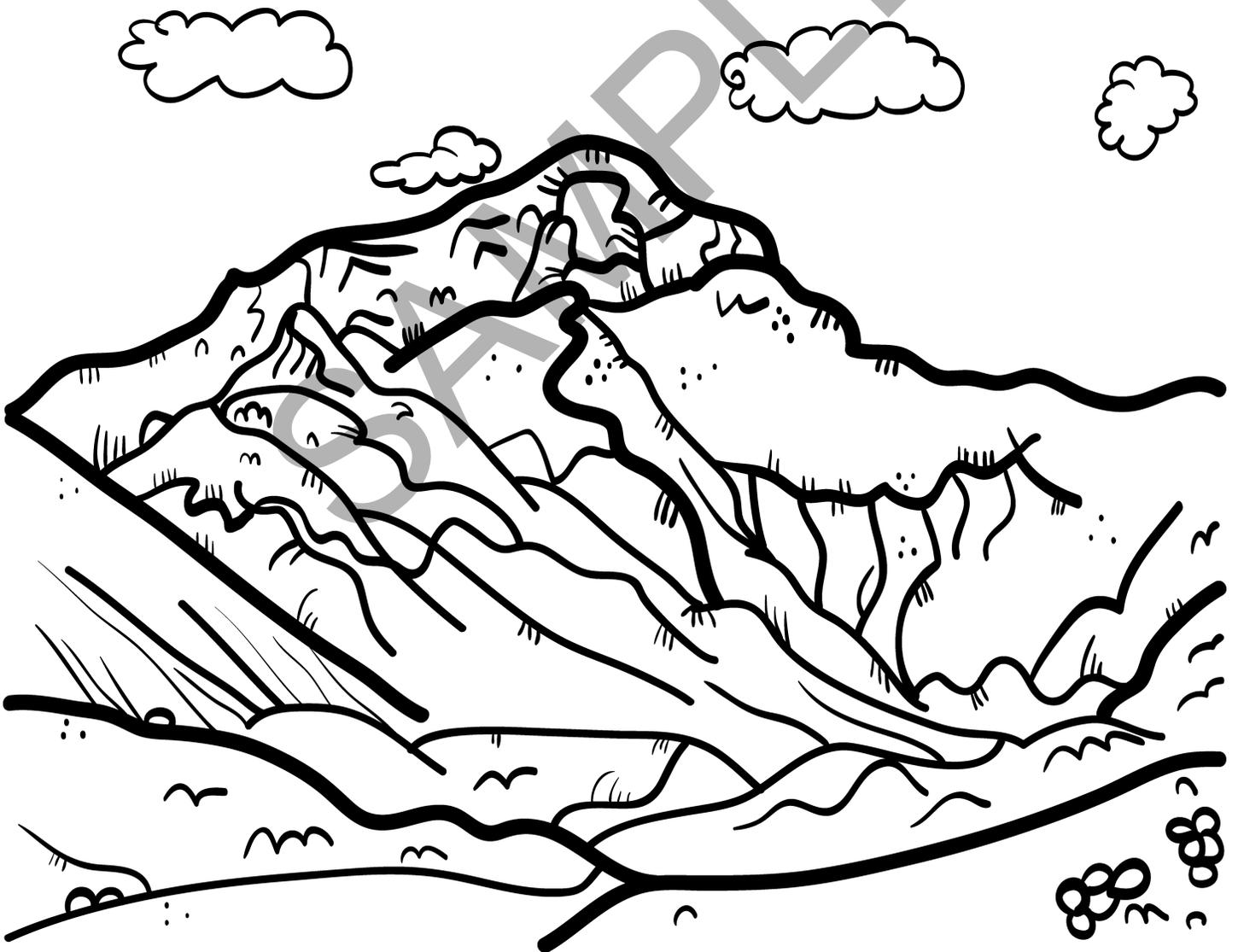


Mountain Animal Facts

Color & Copy

Welcome to Mountain Animal Facts Color & Copy! In this book, you'll find information about fifteen animals that make the mountains their home. Each animal unit begins with a short description of the animal that can be read aloud or independently. Next, students can practice handwriting by tracing key facts about the animal or by copying the facts onto the lined paper that follows. A page is included for students to record additional information about the animal if they wish. Each animal unit concludes with a picture of the animal to color. I hope you enjoy discovering the animals of the mountains!



American Pika

The American pika is a small animal that looks a lot like a guinea pig but is actually related to hares and rabbits. Different kinds of pikas live in Asia, Europe, and western North America. They are about 7 inches (18 cm) long and usually weigh between 4.5 and 7.1 ounces (125 and 200 gm). They have very small tails.

American pikas are very furry, with gray-brown fur on their backs and white or very light brown fur on their stomachs. They live in large groups called colonies around the loose rocks on the sides of mountains. They eat plants and collect a lot of food for the winter. Their enemies are animals like eagles and weasels.





American Pika



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Handwriting practice lines consisting of two sets of three horizontal lines (top solid, middle dashed, bottom solid).



Main handwriting practice area with multiple sets of three horizontal lines (top solid, middle dashed, bottom solid).

SAMPLE



American Pika