



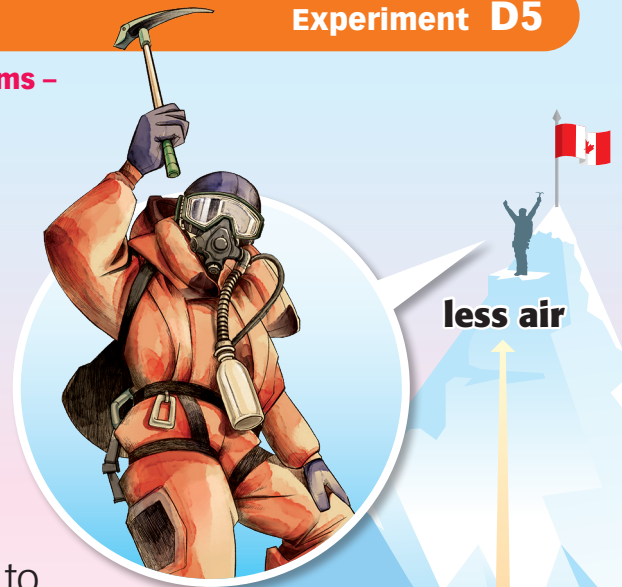
## THE FORCE OF AIR

# Scuba Gear on Land?

We all know that scuba divers need air tanks to breathe when exploring under the sea. But did you know that air tanks are also necessary on land?

It turns out that the amount of air available for us to breathe is not the same everywhere. In places high above the sea, such as Mount Everest, there is actually less air available for us to breathe! This is because as we go higher and higher, the air gets thinner and thinner.

For this reason, people who are visiting places high above sea level or are planning on climbing tall mountains such as Mount Everest must bring air tanks with them so they can breathe.



less air



more air