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Il est interdit aux candidats de signer leur composition ou d'y mettre un signe quelconque pouvant indiquer sa provenance.

### MOUTAIN OF GARBAGE

After years of assaults by thousands of climbers on its peaks, the « roof of the world » was starting to look more like its trash bin. Literally tons of articles : everything from oxygen cylinders to empty cans to abandoned tents littered the slopes of the world's highest peak, Mount Everest.

After four years of cleanup, limited to two months due to the harsh conditions on the 8,848-meter mountain, alpinist Ken Noguchi, 29, and other climbers from six nations have succeeded in removing 7,7 tons of trash.

The group spent May and June of the last four years cleaning the paths and campsites on the China and Nepal sides. In all they removed an astonishing 423 empty oxygen tanks, mountaineering wear, food packets, playing cards and torn-up letters.

The number of climbers attempting to scale Mount Everest has steadily increased over the years. According to Noguchi, more than 1,000 climbers reached the summit between 1990 and 2002. During the two-month climbing season this year, more than 800 people from 25 expeditions worldwide have passed through the base camp on the Nepalese side. « They even lined up to wait their turn to scale the peak. It's no longer simply about getting to the summit, » Noguchi said. « Nowadays, we need to think about the environmental impact of climbing a moutain.»

Brought to Japan, the trash will be put on display at several sites nationwide to promote public awareness of environmental issues.

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#### Vocabulary :

Garbage = trash : détritrus

Slope : pente

Harsh : rude, dur

Awareness : conscience

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**COMPRÉHENSION**

**A. Cochez la bonne réponse :**

The text is about :

- a famous climber, Ken Noguchi.
- pollution on Mount Everest.
- mountaineering equipment.

**B. Choisissez entre les deux expressions soulignées et recopiez la proposition correcte.  
Justifiez en vous appuyant sur le texte :**

- 1) A lot of people / very few people climb Mount Everest.
- 2) The cleanup campaign on Mount Everest lasts four / two months every year.
- 3) The campaign started four / two years ago.
- 4) A Japanese team / an international team cleaned up the mountain.
- 5) The number of people climbing Mount Everest has gone up / down over the years.

**C. Répondez en anglais. Faites des phrases complètes.**

- 1) Why was the cleanup campaign short ?
- 2) How much trash did Noguchi and his team remove ?
- 3) What did the trash consist of ?
- 4) Why will the trash be shown in different Japanese places ?

**D. Reliez les mots de la colonne de gauche avec un synonyme de la colonne de droite**

- climber
- peak
- issue

- summit
- problem
- alpinist

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**COMPÉTENCE LINGUISTIQUE**

**A. Complétez les phrases suivantes par a / an / the ou Ø :**

- 1) Noguchi is ..... famous climber .
- 2) It is ..... highest mountain in Asia .
- 3) The famous alpinist is rather optimistic about ..... future.
- 4) A lot of alpinists dream of climbing ..... Mount Everest .

**B. Mettez les verbes entre parenthèses à la forme voulue par le contexte:**

- 1) More and more people ..... the summit every year (scale) and there ..... even more in the next few years ( be).
- 2) Hillary and Tenzing ..... the first to reach Mount Everest in 1953 (be).
- 3) The international team ..... the trash to Japan three months ago (bring).

**EXPRESSION**

**BEP uniquement**

**A partir des informations ci-dessous, écrivez un paragraphe (environ 60 mots) retraçant la vie de Tenzing premier alpiniste avec Hillary à avoir vaincu l'Everest.**

- Date of birth : May 1914
- Place of birth : Nepal
- Family : twelve brothers and sisters
- Languages spoken : seven
- Qualities : cheerful and courageous
- Marriage : 1933 ( Dawa Puthie , a Sherpa girl )
- 1944 : death of Dawa Puthie
- Successful assault on Everest : May 29<sup>th</sup> 1953
- 1978 : creation of a company " Tenzing Norgay Adventures" (trekking in the Himalayas)
- Date of death : May 9, 1986, in Darjeeling

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