

## TOPIC 3: ED'S JOURNEY TO THE TOP OF THE WORLD

### WORKSHEET: ED ON EVEREST

1. From what you've learned about Mount Everest, why do you think Mount Everest is so hard to climb? Can you list at least three difficulties that climbers face?
2. Who is in the famous photo of the reaching the summit in 1953?
3. Are you surprised that Ed didn't get a selfie on the top?
4. Why did Ed think it was pointless to ask the question who got to the top first?
5. Would Ed have made it to the summit without help from the Nepalese climbers?

### FURTHER INVESTIGATION

6. What can you find out about high altitude where there is less oxygen in the air and the impact this has on the human body?
7. What can you find out about the role of porters on Everest today?