

Volcanologist Discussion Questions

Meet the Expert: Jess Phoenix

1. Who is Jess Phoenix?
2. Where and how has she explored volcanoes?
3. What does she love about being a scientist and an explorer?
4. What was she afraid of, and how did she overcome her fear?
5. What is the most important question a scientist can ask?
6. How do scientists test out their ideas?
7. According to Phoenix, what is something you really need to become a scientist?

Reflect and write about what this statement means:

"Keep curious and ask questions. We are all born scientists!"

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Volcanologist Handout

Meet the Expert: Dr. Janine Krippner

1. Who is Dr. Janine Krippner?
2. What are the different types of volcanologists, and what do they do?
3. What subjects are important for studying volcanology?
4. What is Dr. Krippner's favorite part of her job?
5. How did Dr. Krippner become a volcanologist?
6. What does Dr. Krippner like about being a scientist?

Reflect and write about what this statement means:

"Being a scientist is figuring out things that haven't been figured out before, and then applying those things to help society."

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