

Now I know!
Mountains are always interesting and always different. I must respect and protect them.



See you!

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Mountains are part of nature. Here, we are merely visitors. So let us be cautious and considerate towards other mountain visitors and inhabitants.

Let us keep to the regular marked paths. In this way, we are unlikely to get lost and will not disturb the mountain inhabitants.

Let us respect the mountains. Set out on a hike only in stable weather conditions, suitably shod and dressed. Walk carefully and be careful not to crumble off any stones.

Do not destroy mountain wildflowers. Let us respect the rules regarding the picking of mushrooms and flowers.

Let us get to know nature with all our senses. Save the memories in your thoughts and camera.

Keep quiet. Noise, shouting and music disturb the animals while feeding and resting. They are especially sensitive at the time of mating, rearing their young, and during the winter.

Mountains are not a rubbish dump. Everything we've brought with us, is to be taken back to the valley.



ON A VISIT TO THE MOUNTAINS



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Which choice in the two in each pair is better if you decide to go mountain hiking?

G **1** **A**

T **2** **O**

H **3** **M**

K **5** **A**

I **4** **R**

P **6** **I**

W **7** **N**

8 **S** **G**

Enter the letter of the correct answer into the squares below and then read what you can do!

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

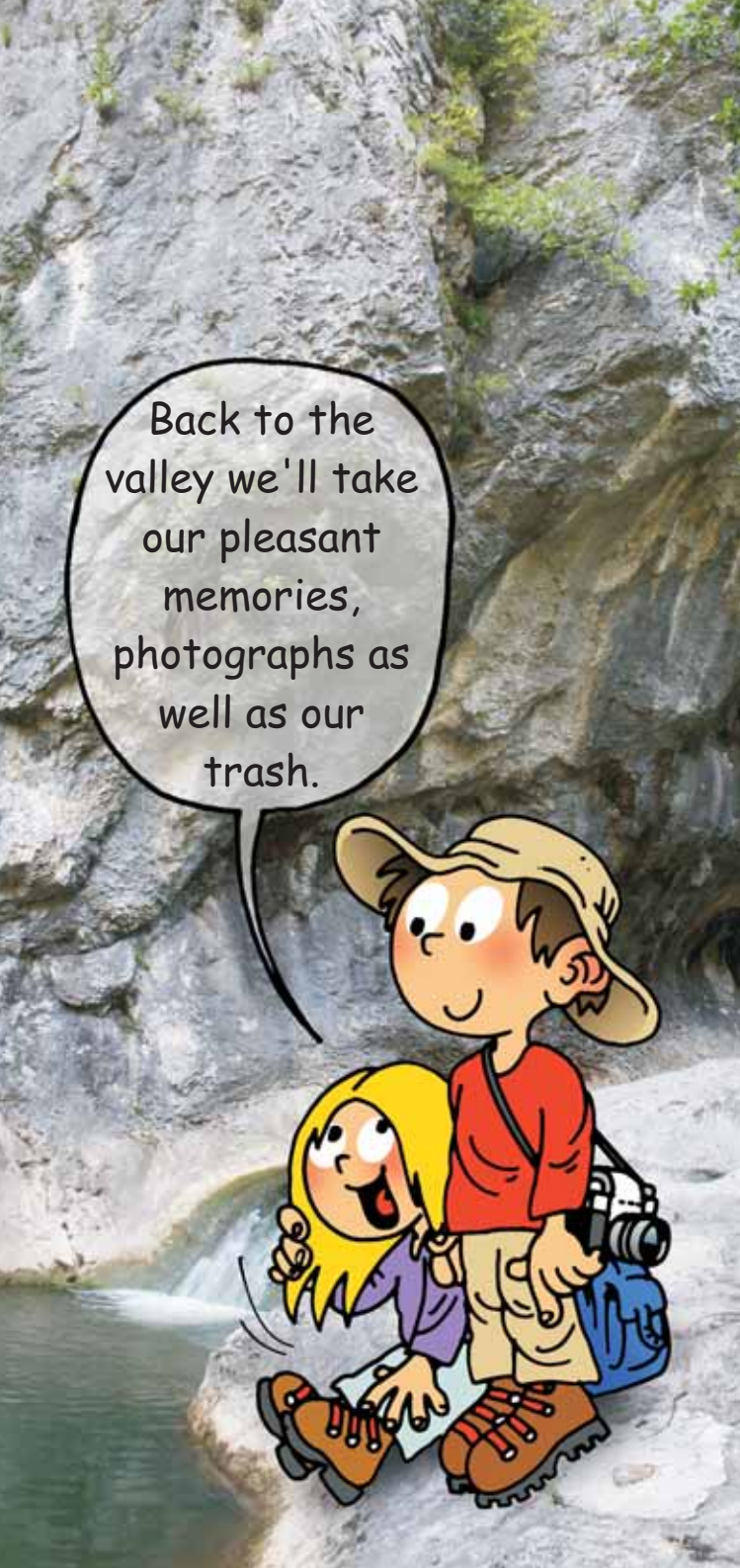
... and enjoy yourself!



Why on earth can't he keep to the marked path!



Leave me alone, or I'll dial 999.



Back to the valley we'll take our pleasant memories, photographs as well as our trash.



During the winter, nature rests, so don't disturb us!