GEOGRAPHY WORKSHEET

The Earth is a dynamic and incredibly heterogeneous place. There are a number of important places on Earth you should know about in order to get a sense of the magnitude of the Earth's processes. Using your Atlases, find out the following:

1. Mountain Ranges:

(complete the chart)

Range	Location	Length
ANDES	South America	7,240 km
ROCKIES		6,030 km
HIMALAYAS		3,860 km
GREAT DIVIDING	Australia	
RANGE		
URALS		

2. Mountain ranges are millions of years old, but they are not all the same age. Using the geologic time scale in this manual, estimate how many millions of years old each mountain range is. The first one is done for you.

Mountain Range	Geologic Time Period	Age (millions of years)
Scottish Highlands	Early Devonian	400
Appalachians	Late Permian	
Urals	Late Permian	
Andes	Late Cretaceous (Campanion)	
Rockies	Late Cretaceous (Maastrichian)	
Alps	Middle Miocene	
Himalayas	Late Eocene	

3. The capital city with the highest elevation is La Paz. What country is it in? Estimate the elevation of La Paz, using the nearby mountain of Ancohuma.