



Three Wise Kangaroos

Video – answer key

1. Google Earth HR. It lets you explore any location on the planet. It comes with an added bonus of a bird's eye view.
2. NASA's Mars 2030. Created in collaboration with NASA, it lets you breathe in panoramic views of the Martian surface. You can wonder around the landscape, gaze at Martian skies, drive a rover and even plant a flag.
3. Boulevard brings to you collections from museums and art galleries from around the world. It's currently free and the company encourages teachers to use it as an educational tool in the classroom.
4. Everest VR allows you to experience all the stages of a climbing expedition from the preparation stage, to traversing through the Khumbu Icefall to finally reaching the peak where you can activate the God mode that gives you a unique vantage point of the Himalayas.
5. The Blue gives you a sample of what it's like to go scuba-diving and come face to face with the biggest creature on the planet - the blue whale.

Vocabulary practice – answer key

1. The verb traverse means to travel across an extended area.
2. A good vantage point allows a good view.
3. Setting foot on/in a place means getting somewhere for the first time. Elon Musk assures us humans will be able to set foot on Mars within the next couple of decades.
4. If you gaze at something, you look intently and for a long time, especially in admiration or surprise.
5. More immersive apps will allow the user to feel even more involved, blurring the boundary between virtual reality and real life even more.