Map Reading Activity: Topography

Topography is the study of elevations on land in relation to each other. It includes all valleys, mountains, and any sort of rise or dip in the ground. Topography is shown on a map with lines radiating out from sea level. The more lines in between sea level and any point, the higher in elevation it is. These lines are generally called contour lines.

For the activity below, draw a line from the contour image of the mountain range on the left to the correct side view of the mountain range on the right.



