K2 (above) is the second highest peak in the world and is part of Pakistan’s northern Gilgit-Baltistan region. Pakistan has over 108 peaks above 7,000 m, and 5 of the 14 tallest peaks in the world.

**Education**
- Adult literacy rate: 54.9%
- Compulsory schooling: age 5 - 9
- Academic year: April – March

**Official Language:** Urdu, English
- **Hello:** ممّاااللسﺱ (salaam)
- **Good-bye:** عﻉاﺍدﺩوﻭلﻝاﺍ (al-wida)
- **Please:** ككررن خوش (khush karna)
- **Thank you:** ہﮧیﯼرﺭکﮎشﺵ (shukria)

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