



Student Activity

The Hills of the Round Earth **Moko**

Vocabulary:

Earth, round, outer space, shape, origin story, folktale

Pre-Viewing Discussion:

How do we know the earth is round? What shape did people used to think it was?

How do you think past cultures would explain the shape of the earth?

Post-Viewing Discussion:

How did Moko try to find out what shape the earth was?

Why did it confuse Moko that he ended up in the place he started?

Further Activities:

Write a different origin story or folktale to discover the shape of the earth.

Find another folktale you enjoy. Research the science behind the story.