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**T**he famous Yeti is an animal that lives in the Himalayas, big and strong like an orangutan.



The native populations adore him as a glacier and a god of hunting, which carries a large stone as a weapon, and emits a hissing sound. In spite of its notoriety it is one of the most elusive mythological creatures, having effectively avoided dozens of expeditions destined to find it.

Although it avoids contact with people, it is believed that it can be dangerous if it is cornered.

In addition to Yeti (rocky bear), he receives other names in Tibetan such as Michê (man-bear), Migoi (wildman) or Kang Admi (snowman).



Yeti is a **LEPCHA** creature

Current population: 80.316





**T**he first documented mention of the Yeti, prior to the 19th century, informs of the adoration that the Lepcha people felt for this glacier being. Other peoples of the Himalayas also recognize this creature, with different names and aspects

The Lepcha form an ethnic group that lives on the southern and eastern slopes of Mount Kanchen Junga, and they speak languages belonging to the Tibetan-Burmese family. They are usually short stature and Mongoloid features.

Although centuries ago they have converted to Buddhism, their ancient animistic religion, called Mun, coexists and their rituals are frequently practiced.

Stateless people and constantly abused by their neighbors, the Lepcha are a town without high class, composed of farmers and day laborers.