No Summit Out of Sight
By Jordan Romero with Linda LeBlanc

Grade Levels:
- Grade 6 and up

Synopsis:
- Jordan Romero was only nine-years-old when he announced to his father that he’d like to conquer the Seven Summits - the highest peaks on each continent. Over the next six years, Jordan accomplished exactly that. In No Summit Out of Sight, Jordan tells his story, peak by peak, including his training regimen, how he helped raise money to fund his adventures, and how his family supported him in this endeavor. This memoir also includes Jordan’s insights on the different cultures and various obstacles he encountered along the way. Jordan’s journey is filled with action, adventure, and makes readers feel as if they were along for the trip.

Author Website:
- http://www.jordanromero.com/ (does not mention book)

Curricular Connections:
- Personal Narrative
- Geography
- Cultural connections
- Mountaineering

Lesson Ideas:

Suggested Companion Titles:
- Everest: you decide how to survive! by Bill Doyle
- Within Reach by Mark Pfetzer
- To the Top: the story of Everest by Stephen Venables
- The Young Adventurer’s Guide to Everest: from avalanche to zopkio by Jonathan Chester
- Tales from the Top of the World: climbing Everest with Pete Athans by Sandra Athans
- Mystery on Everest: a photobiography of George Mallory by Audrey Salkeld
- Hillary and Norgay’s Mount Everest Adventure by James Kerr

Professional Reviews:
- Booklist, August 2014
- Horn Book Guide, October 2014
• Kirkus Review, May 2014
• Library Media Connection, January, 2015
• Publisher’s Weekly Annex, May 2014
• School Library Journal, June 2014