extreme sports can help build character

- The effect of extreme sports on character is a controversial topic. While some people believe that doing extreme kinds of sports is helpful in building character, others disagree.
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In my opinion, extreme sports help build character. Firstly, extreme sports, such as rock climbing, are hard to do because they need a lot of effort, attention and focus and to react and decide quickly. This leads to being physically and mentally strong, improving decision-making skills and developing character qualities such as discipline and persistence. Secondly, these extreme activities, such as parachuting, are full of **emotional obstacles** like fear, so a person needs to be confident and aware of their abilities. Thus, they boost self-esteem, build up confidence and improve psychological abilities as overcoming fear and being calm which **<u>create a better character</u>**.

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Character as person's inner strength

- **To form, make up | reveal**
- strength of character
- To undergo a complete character change
- Considerable/ great

Adventure camps are considered to be character-building.

Obstacle

- big, chief, main, major | enormous, formidable, serious
- pose, prove, remain | come across, encounter | overcome, remove, surmount

Ability

- exceptional, extraordinary, great, outstanding, remarkable, uncanny | inherent, innate, natural
- I proven | academic, acting, artistic, athletic, creative, intellectual, linguistic, mathematical, musical, reading, technical | mental, physical
- have | demonstrate, show
- acquire, develop | lack | lose

Мнение оппонента +

Nevertheless, there are people who disagree with me and they believe that extreme sports cannot help build character as they make people careless about their lives doing these risky sports which can lead to serious injuries or end life.

Опровергаем +

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Despite the above-mentioned arguments, I cannot agree with the opposing opinion. There will be no injuries or any negative impacts on a person's charater at all If all the safety measures are applied and all the needed equipment is used. Moreover, doing these sports requires being able to calculate risk which teaches people to be responsible and careful.

To assess risk/ measure risk

Заключение +

To sum up, I am convinced that extreme sports are helpful in building one's character since they develop and improve a lot of abilities, skills and character qualities.