## Jumar ascender [1]

## Type of Speech:

noun [2]

## **Definition:**

The most common type of ascender, a mechanical safety device used to ascend on a rope when climbing mountains. The device locks onto the climber's ropes and attaches to his or her harness. As the climber moves up the rope, the device slides up, gripping the rope to prevent the climber from sliding backward.

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