

ice ax

Definition

n. a mountaineering tool combining an adzlike blade and a pick on the head of a long wooden handle with a spike on the end used for cutting into ice and for support

Example Sentence

He used an **ice ax** to cut steps into the ice to climb the mountain.

Synonyms

piolet; bladed mountaineering tool; mountain climber's ax

Antonyms

frozen tundra

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