INDONESIA

Read the text

Indonesia is a country with 17,000 islands. You might have to take a boat to visit your grandmother or to buy clothes. The country lies between the Pacific and Indian Oceans. Most of the islands are low plains. The larger islands have mountains and volcanoes. Indonesia is a hot place with jungles and special animals.

Indonesia was ruled by the Netherlands until 1945. Since then, the country has had many wars. Indonesia is the largest Muslim country in the world.

The Indian Ocean tsunami hit Indonesia in 2004. An earthquake in the ocean sent 50 foot waves crashing into the islands. Over 150,000 people died.

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS IN COMPLETE SENTENCES

1. How many islands does Indonesia have?

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2. Indonesia is between the Pacific Ocean and which other ocean?

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3. What do the larger islands have?

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4. Is Indonesia a hot or a cold country?

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5. The Netherlands ruled Indonesia until what year?

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6. What happened to Indonesia in 2004?

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7. How many feet high were the waves of the tsunami?

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8. How many people died?

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