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**Island Encounter**



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1. How did we get into the inflatable zodiac boat to go to the island?

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**A** We jumped off the ship into the water and swam to the zodiac boat.

**B** The crew lowered the zodiac boat close to our cabin so we could get into it.

**C** We walked down stairs to a lower deck to get into the zodiac boat.



2. What size was the island we explored?

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**A** The island was very big, even bigger than the island of Madagascar.

**B** The island was so big we couldn't see all of it in one visit.

**C** The island was so small we wondered if we would see anything interesting there.



3. What came out of a hole in the beach?

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**A** A sand crab the same color as the sand came out.

**B** A big octopus waved one of its tentacles out of the hole.

**C** A baby tropicbird came out of the hole.



4. Where did we find a red sea urchin?

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**A** The red sea urchin was walking on the beach.

**B** The red sea urchin was in water near the beach.

**C** The red sea urchin was in deep water on the coral reef.



5. Why did we think that a coral reef was out in the deeper water?

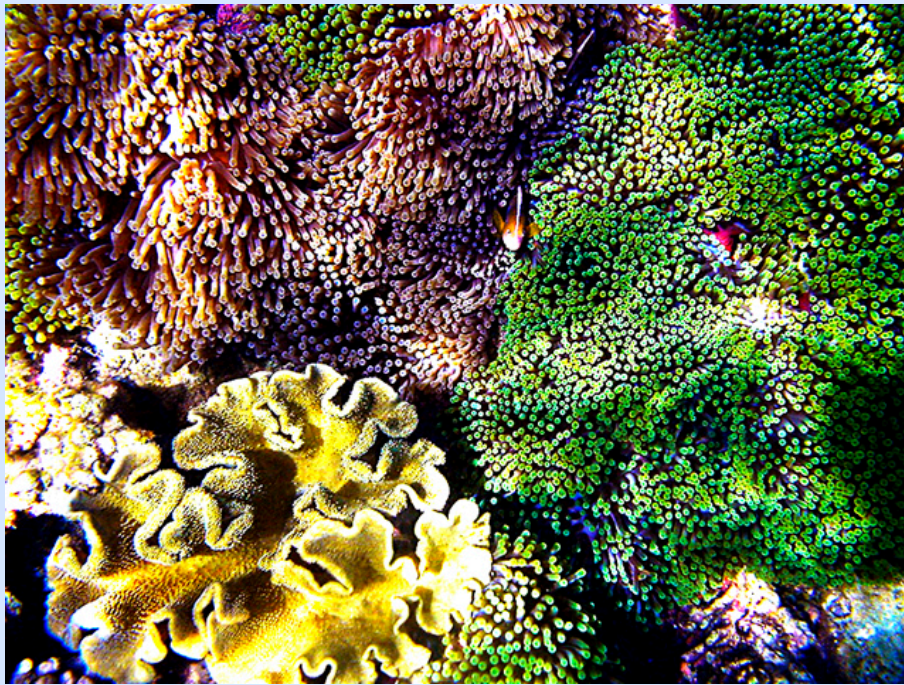
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**A** We found a piece of white coral and a reef crab on the beach, so we knew a reef was nearby.

**B** We could see fish jumping out of the water, so we knew there was a reef nearby.

**C** A tropicbird flew over and squawked, so we knew there was a coral reef nearby.



6. What did we **NOT** see near the coral reef while we were swimming underwater?

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**A** A skunk anemone fish hiding in a sea anemone.

**B** Crested terns diving underwater, hunting for fish to eat.

**C** A big school of silvery moon fish.



7. Where was the tropicbird's nest?

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**A** The tropicbird's nest was floating in the water.

**B** The tropicbird had built a nest in a thick bush.

**C** The tropicbird had built a nest on the ground.



8. How did we get back to the ship at the end of the day?

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**A** We rode back on a fisherman's small sailboat.

**B** We walked along the beach and got into the zodiac boat.

**C** We swam all the way out to the ship.



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