

Review the video to answer the closing question:

Why do you think it is important to preserve the environment of the Malay Archipelago?

Visual Summary

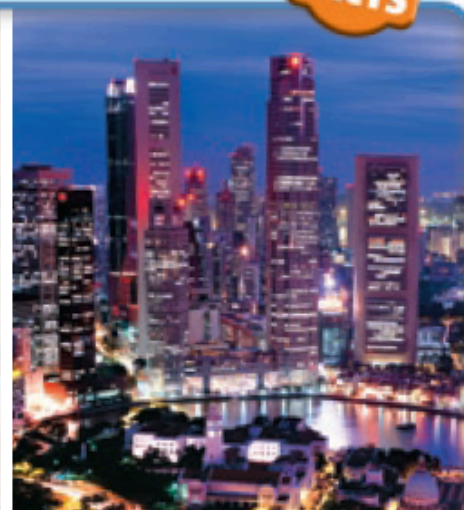
Use the visual summary below to help you review the main ideas of the chapter.



Southeast Asia is a tropical region of peninsulas, islands, and water. Its history includes empires and colonization.



Mainland Southeast Asia is rural with growing cities. Many of the countries are poor but have rich resources.



Island Southeast Asia is more urban, and some countries are wealthy. Many of the area's people are poor, though.

QUICK FACTS

Reviewing Vocabulary, Terms, and Places

For each group of terms below, write a sentence that shows how all the terms in the group are related.

1. archipelagos
Indonesia
Philippines
2. Aung San Suu Kyi
human rights
Myanmar
3. Bangkok
klongs
4. Indochina
domino theory
5. Jakarta
kampongs
6. Singapore
free port
7. Brunei
sultan

Comprehension and Critical Thinking

SECTION 1 (Pages 618–621)

- Identify** What are the two peninsulas and the two archipelagos that make up the region of Southeast Asia?
- Compare and Contrast** In what ways are the main climate of Mainland Southeast Asia and of Island Southeast Asia similar and different?
- Develop** What different needs should people weigh when considering how best to protect the region's tropical rain forests?

SECTION 2 (Pages 624–627)

- Recall** What theory led the U.S. military to become involved in Southeast Asia?
- Identify Cause and Effect** Why are so many languages spoken in Southeast Asia?
- Predict** How do you think Southeast Asia might be different today if Europeans had never explored and colonized the area?

SECTION 3 (Pages 629–633)

10. a. **Describe** Where do most people live and work in Mainland Southeast Asia?
- b. **Summarize** What factors have slowed economic progress in Mainland Southeast Asia?
- c. **Develop** What actions might Myanmar take to try to improve its economy?

SECTION 4 (Pages 634–638)

11. a. **Identify** Which two countries in Island Southeast Asia have wealthy economies?
- b. **Compare** What are some ways in which Indonesia and the Philippines are similar?
- c. **Elaborate** How has ethnic diversity affected the countries of Island Southeast Asia?

Using the Internet

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12. **Activity: Writing a Report on Rain Forests** The tropical rain forests of Indonesia are home to a rich diversity of life. Enter the activity keyword to research these rain forests. Then write a short report that summarizes the threats they face.

FOCUS ON READING AND SPEAKING

Using Context Clues—Definitions Add a phrase or sentence to provide a definition for the underlined word.

13. In Thailand, many young men serve for short periods in Buddhist monasteries.
14. Much of the cultivated land in Southeast Asia is used to grow rice.

Presenting an Interview Use your interview notes to complete the activity below.

15. Working with your partner, choose the five best questions and answers for your interview. Write a brief introduction and conclusion for the journalist to present at the start and end of the interview. Decide who will play the journalist and who will play the expert. Practice the interview until it sounds natural and then present it to your class.

Social Studies Skills

Analyzing Visuals Turn to Section 3 and analyze the large photograph of a Bangkok canal. Then answer the following questions about the photograph.

16. What are the title and location of the photo?
17. How do the captions help you understand the information in the photograph?
18. What types of activities are taking place in the photograph?
19. Based on the information in the photo, what conclusions can you draw about the use of canals in the city of Bangkok?

Map Activity

20. **Southeast Asia** On a separate sheet of paper, match the letters on the map with their correct labels below.

Bangkok, Thailand	Jakarta, Indonesia
Borneo	Malay Peninsula
Hanoi, Vietnam	Manila, Philippines
Indochina Peninsula	Singapore



DIRECTIONS: Read questions 1 through 7 and write the letter of the best response. Then read question 8 and write your own well-constructed response.

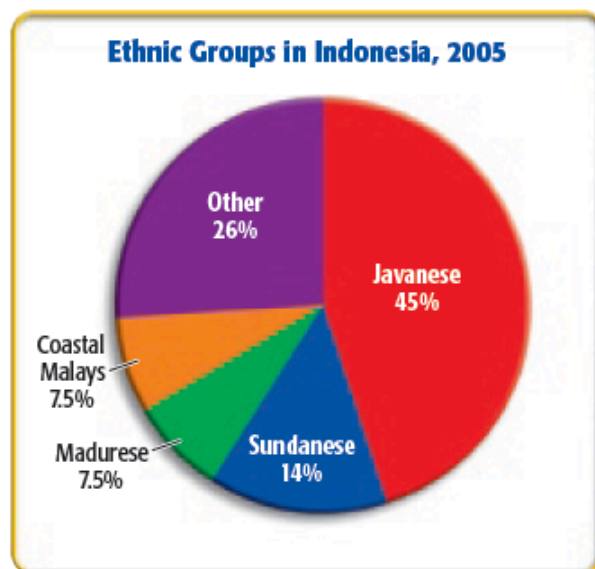
- 1** The two peninsulas in Southeast Asia are the Indochina Peninsula and the
 - A Burma Peninsula.
 - B Malay Peninsula.
 - C Philippine Peninsula.
 - D Thai Peninsula.

- 2** What is the largest island in this region?
 - A Bali
 - B Borneo
 - C Java
 - D New Guinea

- 3** Which early advanced society in Southeast Asia was located in what is now Cambodia?
 - A Burmese
 - B Khmer
 - C Malays
 - D Thais

- 4** Which country in Mainland Southeast Asia has a harsh military government?
 - A Cambodia
 - B Laos
 - C Myanmar
 - D Thailand

- 5** What interesting feature of Bangkok helps people get around the city?
 - A kampongs
 - B klongs
 - C sultans
 - D wats



Source: Central Intelligence Agency, *The World Factbook 2005*

- 6** Based on the circle graph above, which of the following was the largest ethnic group in Indonesia in 2005?
 - A Coastal Malays
 - B Javanese
 - C Madurese
 - D Sundanese

- 7** Which small country in Island Southeast Asia has become wealthy from oil?
 - A Brunei
 - B East Timor
 - C Indonesia
 - D Philippines

- 8** **Extended Response** Examine the Section 1 map titled Southeast Asia: Climate. Based on the information in the map and in the text, write two or three paragraphs explaining how climate affects life in Southeast Asia. Consider plant life, animal life, and how people live and work.