**Easter Island**

Easter Island is a small triangle of rock situated in the Pacific Ocean. It’s about 2,000 miles **(1)**…………. the nearest city. Easter Island is **(2)**…………. for its statues. Hundreds of these huge stone faces can be **(3)**……….. all over the island. Who made them? How **(4)**…………. they move these giant pieces of rock? What happened **(5)**………… the people who lived there? Studies show that people **(6)**………….. arrived on the island about 1600 years ago. They had a very advanced culture. They made many objects and they had their **(7)**………… written language. However, the number of people in the island grew and grew **(8)**…………. it reached about 10,000 people. Soon there were too many people and there wasn’t **(9)**…………… food to eat. A terrible war started and **(10)**…………… of the statues were broken. When western explorers **(11)**………….. the island on Easter Day in 1722, the huge rock statues were the only **(12)**…………. that a great society had once lived there.

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| **1.** | a) for | b) from | c) on | d) by |
| **2.** | a) important | b) interesting | c) famous | d) fascinating |
| **3.** | a) looked | b) located | c) found | d) situated |
| **4.** | a) have | b) were | c) had | d) did |
| **5.** | a) to | b) with | c) about | d) for |
| **6.** | a) once | b) first | c) just | d) already |
| **7.** | a) only | b) own | c) clever | d) self |
| **8.** | a) so | b) until | c) although | d) because |
| **9.** | a) many | b) some | c) too | d) enough |
| **10.** | a) many | b) few | c) lot | d) enough |
| **11.** | a) invented | b) discovered  | c) sailed | d) came |
| **12.** | a) symbol | b) signal | c) sign | d) mark |