

# New Australian PM joins Quad talks

Within hours of taking office, Australia's new Prime Minister Anthony Albanese headed to Tokyo for the "Quad" summit – an informal security alliance between Australia, India, Japan and the United States



**Anthony Albanese**



**Narendra Modi**

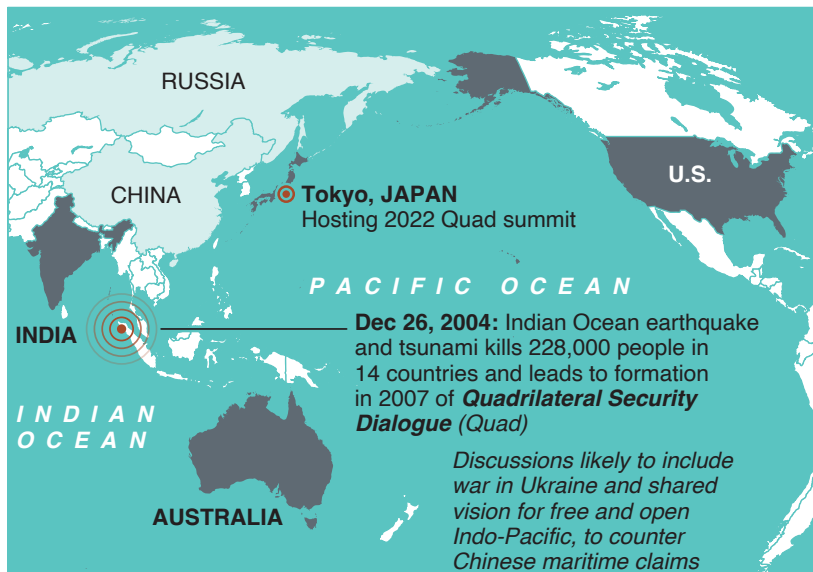


**Fumio Kishida**



**Joe Biden**

▶ Albanese is sworn into office on May 23 following Labor Party's election victory, and immediately jets off to Tokyo for Quad meeting



**Tokyo, JAPAN**  
Hosting 2022 Quad summit

**PACIFIC OCEAN**

**Dec 26, 2004:** Indian Ocean earthquake and tsunami kills 228,000 people in 14 countries and leads to formation in 2007 of **Quadrilateral Security Dialogue (Quad)**

*Discussions likely to include war in Ukraine and shared vision for free and open Indo-Pacific, to counter Chinese maritime claims*