

1. Ottoman Empire
 - A. Power & Expansion—how far reaching at its height?
 - B. Decline & End—when?
 - C. Name of agreement that defined new boundaries for Middle Eastern countries, identifying the groups responsible for the agreement, and explanation of the reason for the problems that resulted from these boundaries.
 - D. Name the countries took control of the Middle East with the partitioning of the Ottoman Empire:
2. Describe the main reason that the Middle East been an area of economic concern for many of the countries of the world, including the US?
3. Define the following, and describe their significance to the creation of the nation-state of Israel:
 - A. Zionism:
 - B. Anti-Semitism:
 - C. Balfour Declaration:
 - D. Holocaust:
 - E. United Nations & 1947 Partition Plan of Palestine:
 - F. Jewish & Islamic ties to the land of Palestine:
4. Describe the participants and reasons for these conflicts, and the results and outcomes:
 - A. 1948 War of Independence:
 - B. Six-Day War 1967:
 - C. Persian Gulf War 1990-1991:
 - D. Afghanistan 2001-Present:
 - E. Operation Iraqi Freedom 2003:
5. Describe the following:
 - A. Traditional Economy-
 - B. Command Economy-
 - C. Market Economy-
 - D. Mixed Economy-
 - E. Specialization-
 - F. Entrepreneurs-

- G. Tariff-
- H. Quota-
- I. Embargo-
- J. Human Capital Investment-
- K. Physical Capital Investment-

- L. Literacy Rate-
- M. OPEC-
- N. Autocracy-
- O. Oligarchy-
- P. Democracy-
- Q. Unitary-
- R. Federal-
- S. Confederation-

T. Parliamentary Democracy-

U. Presidential Democracy-

V. Currency exchange rates-

6. Government Power Distribution & Citizen Participation (include description of executive & legislative branches of government for each):

A. Israel-

B. Saudi Arabia-

C. Iran-

7. Describe the economic systems of each of the following, including who answers what, how & for whom to produce, and what the main economic activities and levels of investment by government and individuals:

A. Israel-

B. Saudi Arabia-

C. Iran-

