

Geography ME Study Guide

Make sure you can locate the following on a map:

1. _____
2. _____Afghanistan
3. _____Algeria
4. _____Armenia
5. _____Azerbaijan
6. _____Bahrain
7. _____Egypt
8. _____Georgia
9. _____Iran
10. _____Iraq
11. _____Israel/Palestine
12. _____Jordan
13. _____Kazakhstan
14. _____Kuwait
15. _____Kyrgyzstan
16. _____Lebanon
17. _____Libya
18. _____Morocco/Western Sahara
19. _____Oman
20. _____Qatar
21. _____Saudi Arabia
22. _____Syria
23. _____Tajikistan
24. _____Tunisia
25. _____Turkey
26. _____Turkmenistan
27. _____United Arab Emirates (UAE)
28. _____Uzbekistan
29. _____Yemen

1. _____ is responsible for the 9/11 attacks.
2. _____ is the major religious group in Israel.
3. The _____ won the Yom Kippur War.
4. We began fighting against _____ in 2003.
5. The United States traditionally defends _____ in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.
6. _____ is where the Taliban was the ruling political party for nearly ten years.
7. The Jewish temple in _____ was built and rebuilt many times throughout the years.
8. _____ This man is considered the last great prophet of Islam.
9. The capture and death of _____ on April 30, 2011 may change the War on Terrorism.
10. _____ held elections in 2010 that created a standstill because the Sunni and Shiite parties were almost tied.
11. The _____ area of Israel that is controlled by Hamas.
12. _____ is the name of the Palestinian terrorist group.
13. The United States accused _____ nation of harboring weapons of Mass Destruction.
14. The _____ war officially ended on August 31, 2010
15. This United States is currently fighting a war in _____ because of the 9/11 attacks.
16. _____ were discriminated against and brutally killed during the Holocaust.
17. _____ was created by UN Resolution 181.

18. George W. Bush and his advisors were insistent that _____ had violated United Nation's sanctions.
19. The former President of _____ was hanged in December 2006.
20. This is the country where Osama bin Laden was found in _____.
21. President Kharzai is the current ruler of this _____.
22. _____ control the West Bank in Israel.
23. This is the country where Al-Qaida has a strong presence in _____.
24. The _____ they have a right to Israel because they are descendents of Ishmael.
25. _____ claims that they have a right to Israel because they are descendents of Isaac.

Be sure you can explain the United States' involvement in Iraq and Afghanistan. Also know some of the major events in the Israeli/Palestinian conflict and know why each side feels the way they do.

Don't forget to study!!!