

Mr. Hilbert Geography Final Study Guide

Part One: Mapping



Know the names of all the countries listed above.

Part Two – Comparative Religion

Please know the basic information about these world religions

Name	Founder	Area Practiced	Name of God	Major Figures	Afterlife Concept
Islam					
Christianity					
Hinduism					
Buddhism					
Judaism					
Sikhism					
Confucianism					

Part Three: Israel – Palestine Conflict

1. *Define and describe the significance of the following terms:*

Balfour Declaration

Zionism

Six Day War

Israel

West Bank

Gaza Strip

Palestine

Refugee

Jerusalem

2. *Please be prepared to answer the following questions:*

What is the basis of the conflict between Israel and Palestine?

What are the Holy Sites in Jerusalem that are sacred to all the groups there?

What SPECIFIC issues does the film “Promises” highlight about the struggle between Israelis and Palestinians living in Jerusalem? (Be ready to compare and contrast)

What impact did the recent move of the American Embassy to Jerusalem have on the region?

Part Four – Gulf War

1. *Define and describe the significance of the following terms:*

Saddam Hussein

George H.W. Bush

Desert Storm

Iraq

Kuwait

2. *Please be prepared to answer the following questions:*

Why did Iraq invade Kuwait?

How did the international community react to the invasion SPECIFICALLY?

What did the United States do to aid Kuwait?

What negatives came out of the Gulf War?

Part Five – Arab Spring

1. *Define and describe the significance of the following terms:*

Arab Spring

Tunisia

President Ali

Egypt

Hosni Mubarak

Libya

Colonel Qaddafi

2. *Please be prepared to answer the following questions:*

How did the Arab Spring start?

Be able to name three countries affected by the Arab Spring.

Be able to name three leaders removed during the Arab Spring

What were the goals of the Arab Spring?

What are Western governments worried about when these countries change governments?

Part Six – Syrian Civil War

1. *Define and describe the significance of the following terms:*

President Assad

ISIS

Refugee Crisis

2. *Please be prepared to answer the following questions:*

What is the basis of the Syrian Civil War?

How has the United States reacted to chemical strikes during the conflict?

How has the Syrian civil war become a humanitarian crisis?

What is the role of ISIS in the conflict and how have they impacted international affairs?