Middle East Unit Plan

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**Essential Questions** :

1) Why has peace between Israel and the Palestinians been so difficult to achieve?

2) What is the impact of tradition & modernization on culture in the Muslim World?

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| **Knowledge Targets**“What do I need to know?” | I can identify: 1. Middle East Maps
2. Monotheistic Religions: Judaism, Christianity, Islam
3. Oil in the Middle East-OPEC
4. Ottoman Empire
5. Millet System
6. Major Events in Creation of Modern Middle East
7. Zionism
8. Imperialism
 | 1. Sykes-Picot Agreement
2. Balfour Declaration
3. Pogroms
4. Arab Revolt
5. UN Partition Plan
6. Secular
7. 1948 War-Israeli Declaration of Independence
8. 1967 War
9. Peace Conference
10. Hamas
11. Arab-Israelis
12. Palestinian Refugees
 | 1. PLO
2. Peace Now
3. Labor Party
4. Likud Biock
5. Ultra-Orthodox Party
6. Yasir Arafat
7. Yitzhak Rabin
8. Camp David Accords
9. Oslo Declaration of Principles
10. Arab Nationalism
11. Extremism Spectrum
12. Arab Spring
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| **Reasoning Targets**“What can I do with what I know?” | 1. I can identify countries & physiographic features of the Middle East.
2. I can make a Venn Diagram of 3 monotheistic religions originating in the Middle East.
3. I can place Israeli & Palestinian groups on an Extremism Spectrum.
4. I can create a T Chart listing traditional and modern influences behind post-WWII Middle East events, including the Arab Spring uprisings.
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| **Skill Targets**“What can I demonstrate?” | 1. I can promote a solution to the Arab/Israeli conflict from an assigned POV.
2. I can identify & analyze elements of tradition & modernization in at least one post-WWII Event.
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