**10/15 Unit 4, day 3- Ethnic Groups in The Middle East**

1. **Bell Ringer:** Answer the following test prep questions on your own.

1. Which of the following describes a place using cultural geography only?

A. There was diverse vegetation, a stable economy, and a high population density

B. There was diverse vegetation and a humid climate on the side of the mountain.

C. The people were mostly catholic, white, and from Europe.

D. Georgia has a large population of Baptists, African Americans, and farms.

2. Cash crops would most likely be grown on a:

1. Campesino
2. Minifundia
3. Latifundia
4. Drug cartel

3. The main climate of North Africa / Southwest Asia is:

1. Humid continental
2. Desert
3. Humid Subtropical
4. Arctic

4. The main reason oil-producing states formed the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) is to

A. promote foreign ownership of oil fields

B. life economic sanctions and establish free trade

C. improve trade relations with the West

D. influence the price of oil and set production levels

**2. Map Analysis:** Look at the map on the board and answer the questions below.

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| Level 1: WHAT? Of what is this map? What is this map showing us? |
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| Level 2: WHERE? Where are the highest/ lowest concentrations of Muslims according to this map? |
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| LEVEL 3: WHY THERE? Why are there many Muslims all in one region? Why are there some places where there are none? |
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| LEVEL 4: SO WHAT? Is the Middle East a diverse place? How does the data from this map affect the region? |
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**3. Malala Video: Summarize the video and write down your opinion on girls’ education in Pakistan.**

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**4. Notes on Ethnic Groups**

Vocab Terms:

* **Ethnicity:** includes religion, location, beliefs, traditions, race
* **Religion** is a specific set of beliefs
* **Islam** is a religion
* **Muslim** is a follower of Islam
* **Sunni and Shia** are two different branches or denominations of Islam

**Ethnic Groups of North Africa**

* Egypt, Libya, Algeria, Morocco
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are the main ethnic group
  + Speak \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + United by culture, religion and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Mostly followers of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Ethnic Groups of the Eastern Mediterranean**

* Syria, Jordan, Lebanon, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Christianity and Judaism

*Israelis*

* In Israel
* 80% are Jewish
* Mostly\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ living
* Conflict with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ over land they both believe is theirs
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Jews) returned to their homeland of Israel in the late 1800s
* Arabs and Israelis have fought over land in Israel (West Bank and Gaza Strip) for the past \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ years.

**Ethnic Groups of the Northeast**

* *Turks*
  + Speak the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_language
  + Live in Turkey
  + Mostly followers of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* *Iranians*
  + Speak Farsi
  + Live in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Mostly Shia \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_of Islam
  + Sometimes called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Arabs*

* + Mostly live in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Northeast
  + Most are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Muslims, and 35% are Sunni Muslims
  + Speak \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* *Kurds*
  + Do not have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of their own, instead they are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ throughout the region
  + Most are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Muslims
  + Speak Kurdish

**Ethnic Groups of the Arabian Peninsula**

* Most people are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Most speak Arabic
* Many governments follow \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Law, or Islamic Law, limiting many \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the people who live there.
* Most are followers of\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Ethnic Groups of Central Asia**

* Ethnic diversity
* Most speak a form of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ language or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* In \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, most people are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but the majority of people in the region are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.