

Final Exam Review Sheet

1. Originally where did Zionists want to build their state?
2. What are the reasons for the strength of AIPAC?
3. Which religious party currently has the most seats in the Israeli parliament?
4. What is the demographic make-up of Israel?
5. What were Jewish immigration trips to Palestine known as?
6. What did PM Ariel Sharon advocate after he was elected PM in 2001?
7. How do Israeli Jews differ from American Jews?
8. Who guarantees Israel's loans when it borrows on international financial markets?
9. What has Israel done during its occupation of the West Bank?
10. What do Jews get when they return permanently to Israel?
11. What did the selection of Netanyahu as PM of Israel lead to?
12. What is/was Kadima?
13. Does Israel have legally defined boundaries?
14. What were the 1979 Camp David Accords?
15. What was decided at the first World Zionist Congress?
16. Who did France and Britain fail to inform when they attacked Egypt in 1956?
17. What was the impetus for the creation of the PLO?
18. According to international law, what is the status of the "separation wall" that Israel has built?
19. What did the Israeli-Palestinian Oslo Agreement include?
20. Why didn't Israel Annex the West Bank following the 1967 war?
21. According to UN statistics, what percent of the land did Jews own in Palestine by 1946?
22. Why was there a possibility to resolve the Arab-Israeli conflict at the beginning of the 1990s?
23. What did Theodore Herzl consider the Zionist movement to be a part of?
24. Aside from financial aid, what does the US government provide Israel with?
25. What was the Jewish community in Palestine known as between 1917 and 1948?
26. Who was credited with the creation of the Zionist movement?
27. What was the Intifada all about in 1987?
28. What was the 1939 British White paper?
29. According to your book, Where did Jews live better during the 1800s: the Christian West or the Muslim world? p. 287
30. According to your book, what was "classical religious Zionism?"
31. What did Zionist military forces do when the British tried to restrict Jewish immigration to Palestine?
32. What are the elements of the Arab-Israeli conflict?
33. What made Zionism grow?
34. Who was/is Jonathan Pollard?
35. What do Israel and United States have in common?
36. What functions does the President of Israel fulfill?
37. Which Israeli Prime minister was assassinated in 1995?
38. According to your book, what was the *haskalah*?
39. According to your book, what was the Jewish Colonial Trust?
40. Why does Israel receive its foreign aid from the US at the beginning of the year?
41. Which religious party is part of the current governing coalition in Israel?
42. Why did the fifth Jewish immigration trip bring the most Jews to Israel?
43. What is the difference between the Likud and Labor Parties when it comes to peace with the Palestinians?
44. During what time period did Jewish immigration from Russia to Israel increase?
45. Why are conservative Christian interest groups strong supporters of Israel?
46. Which wars are included in the Arab-Israeli conflict?
47. What does UN Security Council resolution 242 state?
48. Who had more deaths/injuries during the first and second Intifadas?
49. How would you describe Israel's culture today?
50. What is HADASH?
51. How does Likud differ ideologically from labor?

52. How did the Palestinians initially voice their dissatisfaction about increased Jewish immigration to Palestine in the 1930s?
53. What does the US do when Israel faces a financial crisis?
54. Who was Larry Franklin?
55. What should an Israeli PM do to form a coalition government in Israel?
56. According to your book, who dominated Palestinian society during the 1920s?
57. Was Israel's annexation of the Golan Heights illegal under international law?
58. What is "proportional representation?"
59. In December of 2004, PM Sharon announced a policy of unilateral and partial disengagement from the occupied territories. What did this policy shift signify?
60. Which countries border Israel?
61. According to your book, what was the purpose of the Supreme Muslims Council in Palestine?
62. According to your book, what was the response of Zionists to the British creation of a separate Jordan from Palestine?
63. According to your book, what was the main demand of the Revisionist Party of Vladimir Jabotinsky?
64. According to your book, what did the Haycraft Commission emphasize was the cause of violence in Palestine during the 1920s?
65. What does AIPAC do if a member of Congress takes an anti-Israel stand?
66. Which political parties are within the "labor-socialist-leftist" category in Israel?
67. What was the name of the Jewish community's labor union in Palestine?
68. Who are the Ashkenazi Jews?
69. Who are the Sephardic Jews?
70. What did Ariel Sharon's armed visit to a holy Muslim site in East Jerusalem trigger?
71. Which does a typical US aid package to Israel include?
72. What is the difference between HAMAS and the PLO?
73. Where does HAMAS get its financial support?
74. What concessions did the Labor Party give to the religious parties in exchange for their participation in Labor lead government coalitions?
75. Which organizations are/were members of the PLO?
76. How many members are there in the Israeli parliament?
77. What is the name of the Israeli parliament?
78. What was the name of the first agreement between Israel and the Palestinians?
79. Which Israeli political party led all government coalitions from 1948 to 1977?
80. Was Jewish immigration to Palestine possible without British colonial control?
81. What happened in the January 2006 elections to the Palestinian legislative council?
82. Why has FATAH lost legitimacy in the eyes of the Palestinian people?
83. What does HAMAS reject that FATAH accepts?
84. Which country originally supported the creation of HAMAS?
85. What issues did "The Declaration of Principles" fail to resolve?
86. Which political party do Pro-Israel political action committees (PACs) give a large majority of their campaign contributions to?
87. What are the aim(s) of the Jewish Orthodox parties in Israel?
88. Which Palestinian political organization had its legitimacy undermined by the continued Israeli building of settlements in the West Bank?
89. According to your book, who did the Zionists blame for the violence in Palestine during the 1920s?
90. According to your book, what was the impact of the 1936-1939 Palestinian uprising?
91. Does a single party ever win a majority of the seats in the Israeli parliament?
92. What is Meretz?
93. Why are parliaments and governments inter-dependent in a parliamentary system?
94. What did the British do when the Palestinians began their uprising against Jewish settlements in Palestine between 1936-39?
95. According to the Peel Commission (white paper), what was the cause of the 1936 violence in Palestine?
96. According to your book, what were the recommendations of the UNSCOP?
97. According to your book, how did the Zionists label their acceptance of UNSCOP's recommendations?
98. According to your book, what analogy did Palestinians use when they rejected UNSCOP's recommendations for Palestine?
99. What form of government does Israel have?
100. Which ingredients made the creation of the state of Israel possible?
101. What did Israel achieve in the 1967 Arab-Israeli war?

102. Why was HAMAS able to build a base of support among the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza?
103. What is the largest party in Israel within the "labor-Socialist" category?
104. What are the characteristics of the three regions that make up Israel?
105. According to your book, what was Plan D? What was its intent?
106. According to your book, who was the first PM of Israel?
107. According to your book, why did Palestinians flee Palestine during 1948?
108. According to your book, between 1948-1967 which dimension to the conflict over Palestine was ascendant: the Palestinian-Zionist dimension or the Arab-Israeli dimension?
109. According to your book, what was the "Lavon Affair?"
110. According to your book, in what sense did Israel win the 1956 Suez War and in what sense did it lose that war?
111. According to your book, what was the source of conflict between Israel and Syria during the 1957-67 period?
112. According to your book, was the PLO important in the struggle with Israel when it was first created?
113. According to your book, why did the USSR provide Arab states with false intelligence prior to the 1967 Six Day war?
114. According to your book, what were the four elements of UNSCR 242?
115. According to your book, what was the immediate result of the 1967 Six Day War?
116. According to your book, who was Gunnar Jarring? What did he seek to do after the 1967 Six Day War?
117. According to your book, aside from being guerrilla organizations what did FATAH and the PLO provide?
118. According to your book, why was secularism appealing to the Palestinians?
119. According to your book, what type of state did FATAH and Yasir Arafat support for the Palestinians?
120. According to your book, what was the "war of attrition?" Who fought in it?
121. According to your book, why did the US propose a cessation in the "war of attrition?"
122. According to your book, what was "Black September?"
123. According to your book, how did the US help Israel during the 1973 War?
124. According to your book, how did the 1973 War impact the Labor Party fortunes in parliamentary elections?
125. According to your book, what did Sadat seek out of the 1973 War?
126. According to your book, what was "shuttle diplomacy?" Who initiated it?
127. According to your book, what was the 1974 evolution in the PLO's political thought?
128. According to your book, how did Palestinian employment in Israel impact the traditional political class in the West Bank and Gaza?
129. According to your book, what did the PLO create in Lebanon by the late 1970s?
130. According to your book, why did Sephardic (Mizrahi) Jews vote for Likud?
131. According to your book, what were the two frameworks agreed upon at Camp David in 1978?
132. According to your book, what was the policy of transfer advocated by the Israeli right wing?
133. According to your book, what motivated PM Begin to annex the Golan Heights to Israel in 1981?
134. According to your book, what did the sinking of the Altadena in 1948 lead to?
135. According to your book, what was the relationship between the Histadrut and the Mapai during the 1950s?
136. According to your book, what did the creation of agricultural settlements in 1950s Israel lead to?
137. According to your book, what concessions did David Ben-Gurion give to the ultra orthodox religious community in Israel?
138. According to your book, which political party dominated the first period of state creation in Israel?
139. According to your book, what were the defining features of the second period of state building in Israel?
140. According to your book, what three events enabled the recovery the Israeli economy after 1953?
141. According to your book, where did Jewish immigrants that arrived after the collapse of the USSR settle?
142. According to your book, who started the 1959 Wadi Salib incident in Israel?
143. According to your book, what are the three main distinctions amongst Jews in Israel?
144. According to your book, how do Ashkenazi Jews view the culture of the Mizrahi Jews?
145. According to your book, how did Mizrahi Jews show their discontent for discrimination against them?
146. According to your book, did Likud improve the socio-economic conditions of Mizrahi Jews?
147. According to your book, what are the two interpretation of the phrase "Israel is a Jewish state?"
148. According to your book, what type of Jews were the pioneer Zionists of Israel?
149. According to your book, which ministries does Shas seek control when it joins a governing coalition?
150. According to your book, which type of political parties are not allowed to participate in elections in Israel?
151. According to your book, on which issues has the Israeli Supreme Court been liberal and on which issues has it been conservative?
152. According to your book, which policy area commands the most attention in Israel?
153. According to your book, Israeli Arabs are denied military service, therefore they are denied _____ .

154. According to your book, which two parties founded the Likud Bloc?
155. According to your book, which issues did Likud emphasize during the 1977 election?
156. According to your book, what type of spending is Israel's economy heavily dependent on?
157. According to your book, how did the 1967 war contribute to internal changes within the PLO and the emergence of Yasir Arafat as leader?
158. What were some of the factors that contributed to Hamas's establishment and growth in popularity?
159. How did Arafat's governing style affect the economy of the West Bank and Gaza.