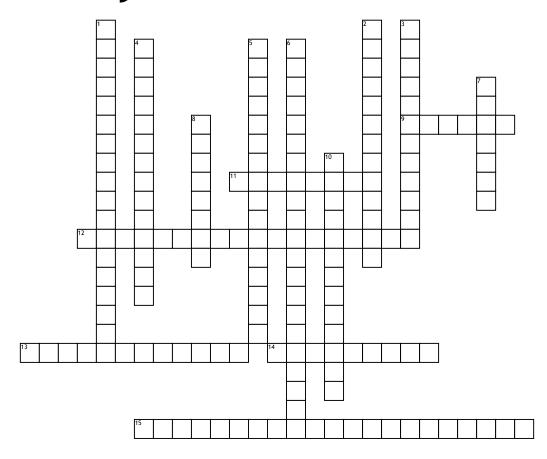
## History of the Middle East



## Across

- 9. The country in the Middle East thought to be a holy land by Jews, Christians, and Muslims
- **11.** Those who felt the world's Jews deserved to return to a homeland in Zion
- **12.** This was an agreement by Britain that showed support for the Jews to get back to their homeland
- 13. The hatred/discrimination of Jews
- **14.** A war over land between Israel and Egypt, Syria, and Jordan that was very short

**15.** Countries believed that Iraq was developing WMD and might carry out another attack like 9/11 resulting in this war

## Down

- 1. Terrorists disagreed with the role the US was playing in SW Asia. As a result, they attacked the World Trade Center, The Pentagon, and a plane crash in Shanksville, Pennsylvania
- **2.** Cruel dictator of Iraq caught and overthrown by the US military
- 3. Giving up your culture for another
- **4.** Saddam Hussein ordered the invasion of his neighboring country Kuwait resulting in the \_\_\_\_\_

- **5.** Increased efforts in peace between Egypt and Israel with this treaty
- 6. The US Gov't determined that Osama bin Landin planned out the 9/11 Attacks and was hiding out with the Taliban. This led to the \_\_\_\_
- 7. Although Israel became an active member of the UN, the Arab countries refused to recognize the existence of the Jewish state resulting in this war
- **8.** The scattering of Jews across the world
- **10.** Leader of al-Qaeda who planned 9/11 Attacks against the US

## **Word Bank**

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Zionists assimilation Israel PersianGulfWar
Antisemitism InvasionofAfghanistan SuezWar BalfourDeclaration
SaddamHussein CampDavidAccords September11Attacks

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