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1. What great civilizations arose in No Africa, So West Asia and Central Asia?
2. How did countries of the region gain independence in the modern era?
3. Define the following terms in complete sentences;
   1. Domesticate
   2. Cultural Hearth
   3. Cuneiform
   4. Hieroglyphics
   5. Qanat
   6. Monotheism
   7. Prophet
   8. Mosque
   9. Nationalism
   10. Nationalize
   11. Embargo
4. Describe the process by which Israel became a nation. ( more than 2 sentences!!!)
5. How are Judaism, Islam and Christianity alike? How do they differ? Describe the similarities and differences
6. Describe and discuss the main causes of the conflicts in the region today. Must be at least a 5 sentence paragraph