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The Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: A Lesson in Perspective - PowerPoint Notes

Respond to each of the prompts on the slides in the right column in 2-3 sentences .

Reflection #s	Your Responses
#1 (Slide 6)	If you were Israeli, why might you think you should live on the land that is now Israel? If you were Palestinian, why might you think you should live on the land that is now Israel?
#2 (Slide 10)	If you were Israeli, how might you feel about the creation of the state of Israel and the war that began the next day? If you were Palestinian, how might you feel about the creation of the state of Israel and the war that began the next day?
#3 (Slide 14)	If you were Israeli, how might you feel about the 1967 war and its outcome? If you were Palestinian, how might you feel about the 1967 war and its outcome?
#4 (Slide 17)	If you were Israeli, how might you feel about the Camp David Accords? If you were Palestinian or a resident of an Arab country, how might you feel about the Camp David Accords?
#5 (Slide 21)	If you were Israeli, how might you feel about the Intifadas and peace efforts during the 1990's? If you were Palestinian, how might you feel about the Intifadas and peace efforts during the 1990's?
#6 (Slide 30)	If you were Israeli, how might you feel about the Two State Solution and the current issues in the Israel-Palestinian Conflict? If you were Palestinian, how might you feel about the Two State Solution and the current issues in the Israel-Palestinian Conflict?

Historical Background

- What two countries/empires controlled Palestine at one point? When?
- Describe the Balfour Declaration of 1917.
- What is a Zionist?

Claims to the Land

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

UN Plan for Palestine (1947)

- _____% land goes to the Jews
- _____% land goes to the Arabs
- Who controlled Jerusalem?

1948 War

- Israel is formed on May 14, 1948, what happened the next day?
- Who controls?
 - Gaza Strip
 - West Bank
 - Most of Palestine and western part of Jerusalem

Perspectives on Partition and 1948 War

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

1956 Suez Canal Crisis

- What happened to Israel after Egypt nationalized the Suez Canal in 1956 and closed the Straits of Tiran to Israel?
- Who supported Israel after they attacked Egypt?
- Eventually, who was sent in to maintain the peace?

1967 War

- Name two reasons why Israel believed their neighbors were preparing for war?
- How many days did it take Israel to defeat Egypt, Syria, and Jordan?
- Name three areas Israel gained control of after their victory.

Perspectives on and Aftermath of 1967 War

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian and other Arab Nations' Perspective

Camp David Accords

- What happens at the Camp David Accords?

Perspectives on Camp David Accords

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian and other Arab Nations' Perspective

The Intifada

- Why did the Palestinians begin an uprising from the Israelis in 1987?
- What was Israel's response to the uprising?

Peace Efforts Continued

- What was happening in the 1990s between Israel and Palestine?

Second Intifada

- What year did the Second Intifada begin?
- Name three areas Palestinian suicide bombers attacked.
- Number of Palestinians killed from 2000-June 2008.
- Number of Israelis killed from 2000-June 2008.

The Gaza Strip

- Who gained control of the Gaza Strip in 2005 after Israel removed its settlements?
- Describe the Hamas who took control of the Gaza strip.
- What agreement did Israel and Hamas enter into as of June 2008?

Current Issue: Jerusalem

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

Current Issue: Settlements

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

Current Issue: Security Barrier

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

Current Issue: Movement

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

Current Issue: Security and Terrorism

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective

Current Issue: Right of Return

- Israeli Perspective
- Palestinian Perspective