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## Advanced Study Guide—Part I

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1. How did World War I and the peace conference that followed shape the “outlines of today’s Middle East”?
2. Why did World War II prompt U.S. leaders to pay greater attention to the oil resources of the Persian Gulf region?
3. How did the Zionist movement set the stage for long-term conflict in the Middle East and contribute to the rise of Arab nationalism?
4. Why did the Cold War influence U.S. decision-making in the Middle East?
5. What were the most important changes resulting from Israel’s victory in the Six-Day War?

