Southwest Asia and North Africa Scavenger Hunt

**Directions:** **Answer the following questions using Units 6 and 7 in your textbook.**

1. What is the largest country in Southwest Asia and North Africa?
2. What is the smallest country in Southwest Asia and North Africa?
3. Name five (5) bodies of water within or surrounding Southwest Asia and North Africa?

a. d.

b. e.

c.

1. Where is the Gaza Strip located?
2. How do you think the “West Bank” got its name?
3. What country holds control of the Sinai Peninsula today?
4. Which four nations surround the Golan Heights?
   1. c.
   2. d.
5. When was the nation of Israel created?
6. The Tropic of Cancer runs through which three countries in Southwest Asia?
7. What is the smallest ethnic group in terms of percentages in Southwest Asia?
8. Why is the control of the Suez Canal important to Egypt?
9. Rai is a type of what that can be found in North Africa?
10. According to the chart on pg. 505, what country has the largest percentage of GDP (Gross Domestic Product) from oil?
11. Which mountain in Southwest Asia and North Africa is known for having the highest altitude?
12. What is the world’s largest dry/hot desert and what is its size in square miles?
13. Define the term: souk -
14. North Africa’s population is most heavily concentrated around this body of water?
15. What are the three (3) major religious groups in Southwest Asia?
16. Which two Southwestern Asian countries have a life expectancy that is the same or greater to that of the United States?
    1. b.
17. Name the most predominant religion in North Africa.