

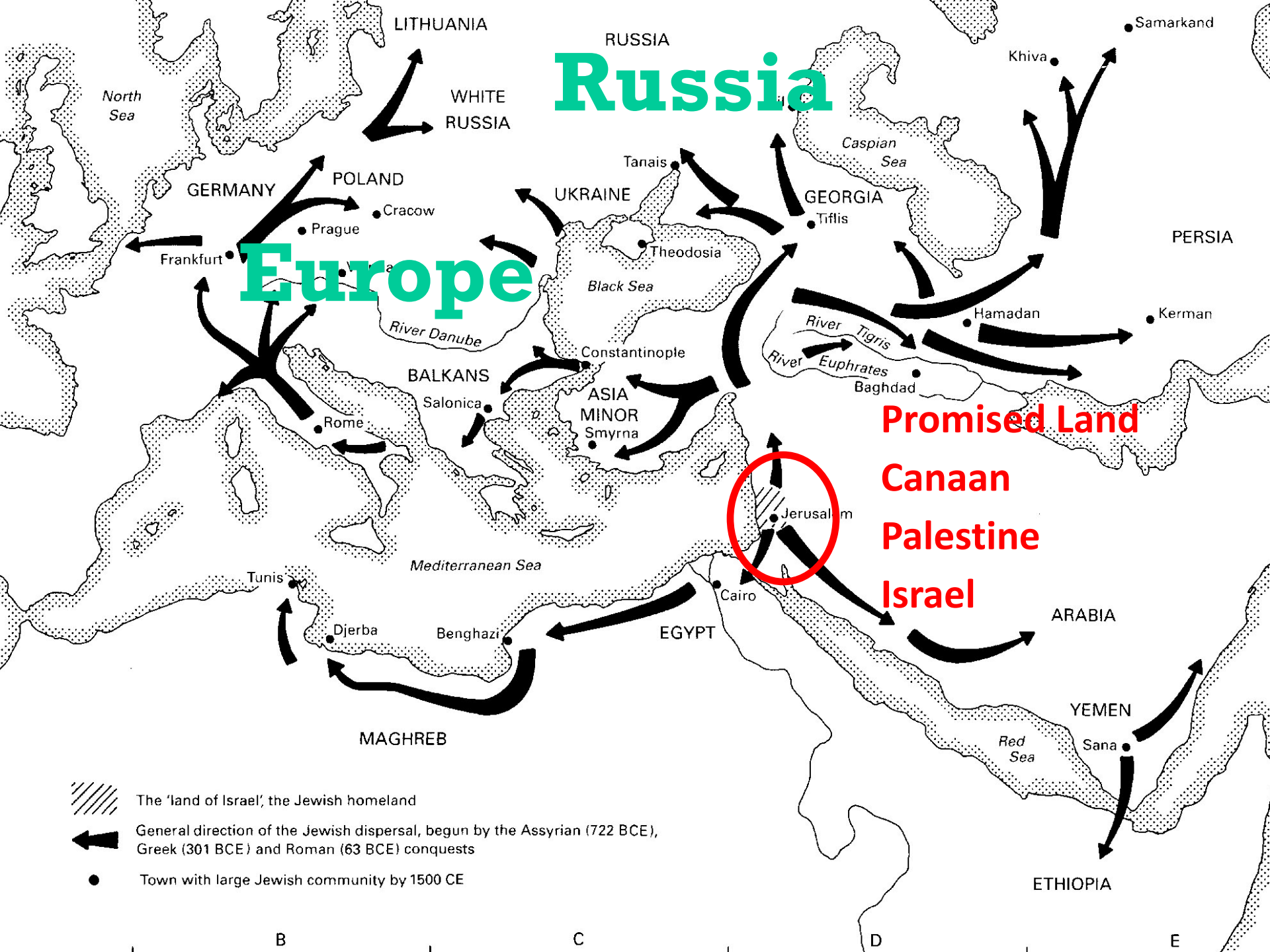
The Creation of Israel



Jewish Diaspora

The forced **scattering** of Jewish people from their homeland by foreign invaders




(see your handout on “A Brief History of the Jews”)



Russia

Europe

**Promised Land
Canaan
Palestine
Israel**

-  The 'land of Israel', the Jewish homeland
-  General direction of the Jewish dispersal, begun by the Assyrian (722 BCE), Greek (301 BCE) and Roman (63 BCE) conquests
-  Town with large Jewish community by 1500 CE

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Anti-Semitism:



Hatred, mistreatment, or
discrimination against
Jewish people

POGROMS

During the 1800s, Jews faced **organized massacres** particularly in Russia & Eastern Europe.

POGROMS



Holocaust



- Worst case of **anti-Semitism**
- Carried out by Hitler's **Nazi** party in the 1930-40s
- Nazis adopted a policy of **genocide**, the purposeful and organized extermination of a group of people based on their race, religion, or culture.

Holocaust

- Gangs attacked & burned synagogues & Jewish business throughout Germany
- Jewish hospitals, homes, schools & cemeteries were also vandalized

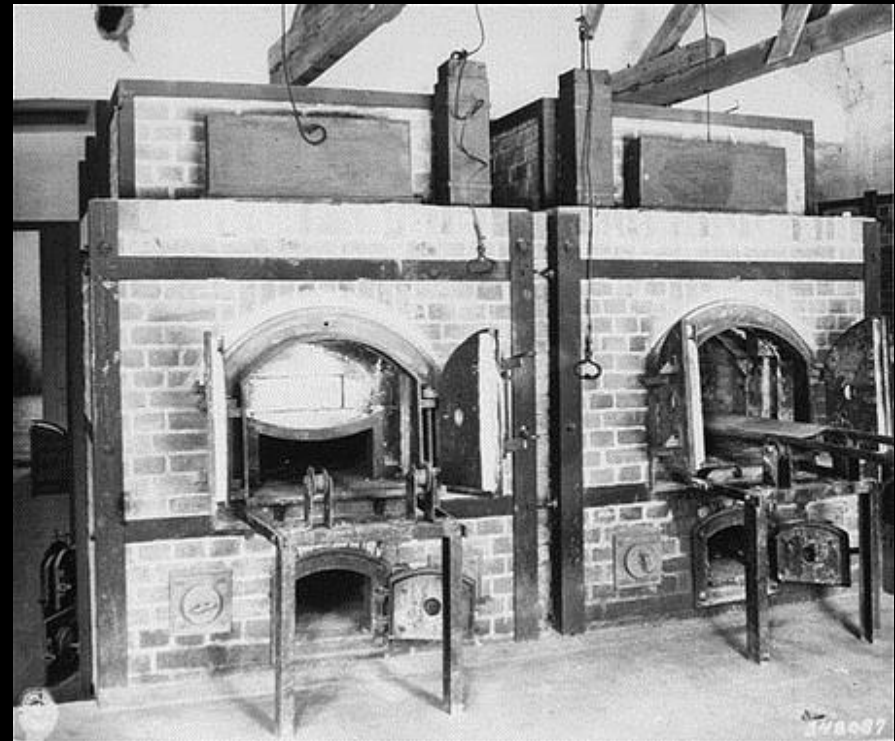


Holocaust

Jews were arrested & placed in prisons called **concentration camps** (slave labor, medical experiments, death).



Holocaust



Holocaust

- 6 million Jews murdered
- CMS students multiplied 7500 times
- City of Roswell population 60 times
- Metro Atlanta Population just under 6 million

*1 Minute of silence for each victim would
take almost 12 years*

ZIONISM

- An international movement for the creation of a Jewish community in Palestine
- Later supported the creation of the modern state of Israel



Theodor Herzl

Founder of Zionism



Why Zionism?

- ZION = “the Promised Land”
- Torah says God promised the land of Israel to the descendants of the Jewish patriarchs Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob
- Israel supposed to be a SAFE place for Jews

The Movement of the Jewish People

- Movement is one of the 5 themes of geography and deals with why people, ideas, and goods migrate
- Push factors – bad things that make a person want to leave a place
- Pull factors – good things that make a person want to come to a place

The Movement of the Jewish People

- Decide which of the key words on your guided notes are push factors and which are pull factors.
- To the side of each key word, write “push” or “pull.”
- Key words: Anti-Semitism, Promised Land, Zionism, Pogroms, Holocaust

If you were a Jewish person, which one of these factors would influence you the **Most? Why? Least? Why?**

Push Factors

1. Anti-Semitism
2. Pogroms
3. Holocaust

Pull Factors

1. Promised Land
2. Zionism