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Study Guide

MODERN CONFLICTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

List the beginning and end dates of each of the following events:

1. Persian Gulf War: _____
2. War on Terror (Invasion of Afghanistan); _____
3. Iraq War: _____

List the cause of the following events:

4. Persian Gulf War: _____
5. September 11th attacks: _____
6. War on Terror (Invasion of Afghanistan); _____
7. Iraq War: _____

Answer the following short answer questions:

8. Who was the leader of Iraq during the Persian Gulf War and Iraq War?
9. Who is the leader of the terrorist group *Al Qaeda*?
10. Who was responsible for the September 11th attacks?
11. What are the two main reasons for the United States' presence in the Middle East (ex. Persian Gulf War and invasions of Afghanistan & Iraq)?