

Study Guide 5

Islam, Rise of the Caliphates, Readings: *Origins and Fundamentals of Islam, Umayyad and Abbasid Dynasties*, Voyages p. 244-258, AMSCO p. 146-150

AP World History

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Key terms:

Muhammad

Shari'a

Mecca

Jihad

Shiites (Shia or Shi'a)

Sunnis or Sunnites

Sufis

Dar al Islam

Umayyad Caliphate

Abbasid Caliphate

Baghdad

Andalusian Kingdom

Cordoba, Seville, and Toledo

Seljuk Turks

Essential questions:

What are the primary differences between Shia, Sunni, and Sufi Muslims?

Discuss factors that led to the spread of Islam.

Discuss examples of synthesis between Persian and Arab cultures, also known as the "Persianization" of Islam.

Arabs wanted to include Persia in the Islamic world for what economic reason?

Discuss the similarities of Baghdad, Cordoba, Seville, and Toledo.