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Quizlet

Part 3

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| 1. jihad | a Muslim holy war or spiritual struggle against non-believers | 19. racism | a theory and attitude that leads to the ill-treatment of individuals because they are thought to embody a general, supposedly inferior, category of person entirely determined by race; racism is the opposite of individualism and the upholding of human rights |
| 2. koran | the sacred writings of Islam revealed to the prophet Muhammad | | |
| 3. linguistic | related to language | | |
| 4. majority rule | the idea that all the people in a group or society should be held to the rules and decisions established by more than half the people | 20. referendum | a vote of the entire electorate on a law or proposal |
| 5. mandate | the authority granted by an electorate to act as its representative | | |
| 6. mediate | act between parties with a view to reconciling differences | | |
| 7. multicultural | the existence of many cultures within a state | | |
| 8. multi-ethnic | a mix of people with distinctive racial, national, religious, linguistic or cultural heritages | | |
| 9. multilateral | involving more than two sides or nation-states | | |
| 10. nation | a group of people with a common and distinctive racial, national, religious, linguistic or culture heritage | | |
| 11. nationalism | loyalty and devotion to a nation or ethnic group that places emphasis on promoting the interests, cultural and social values, or religion of one group above all others | | |
| 12. pandemic | a situation where a disease affects many people in different regions around the world | | |
| 13. persecution | the persistent mistreatment of an individual or group by another group | | |
| 14. plebiscite | a general vote or referendum of the population in order to decide on a particular issue | | |
| 15. political philosophies and theories | general ideas about how politics should work; about proper structure and role of political constitutions, institutions and governments; about electoral systems; and about how politics does and should relate to societies, economies and culture | | |
| 16. political power | the power to govern states and their peoples and thus control the destinies of states and peoples | | |
| 17. pressure group | a group of people with common interests who attempt to influence government policy and decisions in their favour | | |
| 18. quasi-federal | having some resemblance to federal | | |