**Six-Day War Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

[The Six-Day War: Why Israel's blitzkrieg offensive still casts a long shadow over today's peace efforts - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/modern-history/six-day-war/)

1. In what year was the State of Israel established?
2. What is the "Green Line" a reference to?
3. Which event in 1956 further strained Israel's relationship with Egypt?
4. Who championed the rise of Arab nationalism?
5. What was the United Arab Republic?
6. Which two superpowers were deeply involved in the Middle East by the mid-1960s?
7. What significant action did Egypt take on May 22, 1967?
8. Who were the key military decision-makers for Israel during the war?
9. Which territory did Syria control that was of strategic importance?
10. On which date did the Six-Day War begin?
11. What was the result of Operation Focus?
12. Which city did Israeli paratroopers enter and secure during the war?
13. How did the United Nations react when Egypt demanded the withdrawal of UNEF troops from Sinai?
14. What stance did the Khartoum Resolution, issued by the Arab League, take towards Israel?
15. What is one of the primary debates regarding the initiation of the Six-Day War?
16. How does most of the international community view the establishment of Israeli settlements in the occupied territories?
17. What significance does East Jerusalem hold for Palestinians?
18. What was one of the most immediate outcomes of the war in terms of Israel's territory?
19. How did the war impact the Palestinian territories?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you learnt in your reading, answer the following question in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*What* [*changes*](https://www.historyskills.com/historical-knowledge/change-and-continuity/) *occurred as a result of the Six-Day War?*