

Essential Question unit 8

During the First World War the Palestinians had joined the allies because they were promised to have more land from the country of Britain. In 1917, after the Balfour Declaration, they switched to the axis side after they realized they would not get any land from the British. Meanwhile, Israel on the allies side had plenty of land. With Israel still on the allies side when they won the war they benefited them. They were able to keep most of the land after the WWI and also after WWII. The success in the Middle East in WWI and WWII showed that the allies were very powerful and were smart enough to defeat any other country that opposed them.