

DBQ Question: Why Did Islam Spread So Quickly?

Reason #1: Trade Routes

Restate the question and the reason in your own words. _____

Document	Based on these documents, why did Islam spread so quickly?	Evidence from documents to support these reasons
A: Trade Routes (Map)		

Reason #2: The Message

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Document	Based on these documents, why did Islam spread so quickly?	Evidence from documents to support these reasons
B: Verses from the Qur'an		

Initial Claim: Why did Islam Spread So Quickly?

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Reason #3: Military Conquest

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Document	Based on this documents, why did Islam spread so quickly?	Evidence from documents to support these reasons	Is this document reliable? Why or why not?
C: The Spread of Islam (map)			
D: The Ghazu			

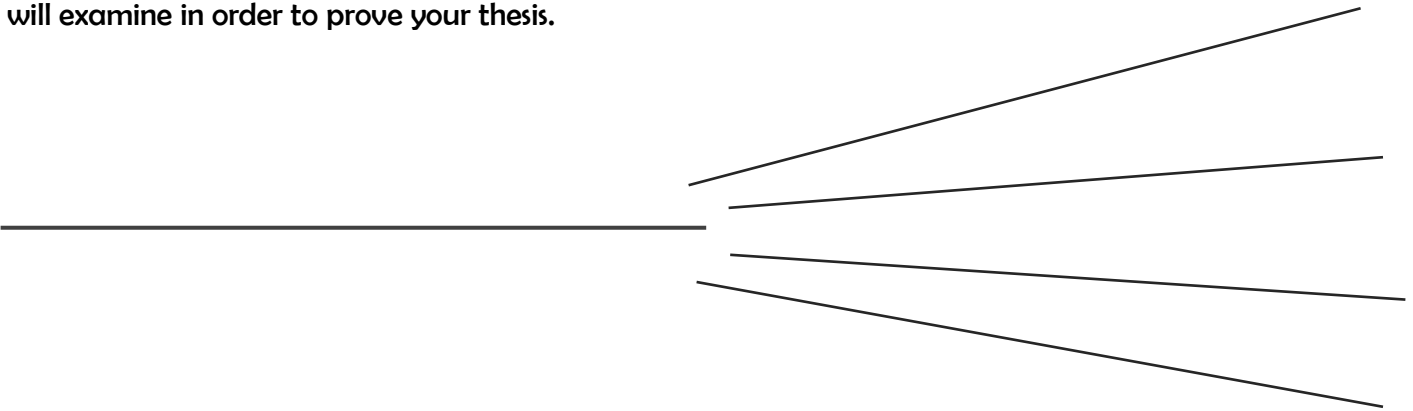
Reason #4: Political Order

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E: Abu al-Hasan Al-Mawardi			
F: Ahmad Ibn-Jabir al-Baladhuri			

Thesis Development and Road Map

On the chicken foot below, write your thesis and your road map. Your thesis is always an opinion that answers the DBQ question. The road map is reason 1, reason 2, reason 3, and reason 4. The topic areas you will examine in order to prove your thesis.



Final Claim: Why Did Islam Spread So Quickly?

Your final claim should reflect your understanding of the topic. It should include a lead in, quotes (use quotations marks for direct citations), (cite) source, and your reasoning. Include information from docs A-F. Use the chicken foot (Thesis) to guide your writing.

