Al-Fustat Quiz

Answer the following questions based on the Al-Fustat Unit

1) Muhammad is the prophet of the _____ Faith. Islamic; Muslim

2) Muhammad and his followers were based in this city in Arabia. Mecca

3) The Islamic Calendar starts counting from this year, the year when Muhammad and his followers were invited to come and live in Medina. 622 C.E.

4) The Arabic word for God is _____. Muslims believe that their God is the same as that of the Christian and Jewish faiths. *Allah*.

5) There are two sources of Islamic doctrine: the Qur'an and the _____, which are the collected sayings of the prophet Muhammad and his companions. *hadith*

6) True or False: The Coptic Christians were forcibly converted to Islam when armies of Amr ibn al-'As conquered Egypt. *False*

7) Muslims use this phrase to describe Christians and Jews. People of the Book

8) Amr ibn al-'As was the representative of this Caliph, who was the head of the Umayyad Empire. *Umar*

9) True or False: Al-Fustat was one of the most important and influential cities in the world, with tall buildings and an extensive system of pipes and sewers. *True*

10) What is the name for an Islamic place of worship, like the one built by Amr ibn al-'As? *A mosque or masjid.*