

Terrorist Group Profiles

<http://www.nps.edu/Library/Research/SubjectGuides/SpecialTopics/TerroristProfile/TerroristGroupProfiles.html>

Using the web address above, you will find the information about the terrorist groups listed below. Answer the questions for each group and then the summary questions after completing the group questions.
ANSWER ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER!

Groups:

Hizballah (Hezbollah)

HAMAS

Al-Aqsa Martyrs Brigade

Al-Jihad

Al-Qaida (Al Qaeda)

Abu Nidal Organization

Ansar Al-Islam

Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP)

Answer for each of the above groups:

1. What are the goals of the group?
2. Where is the group located? (bases of operation)
3. Past & present activities.
4. Sources of external aid.

SUMMARY QUESTIONS – answer completely!

1. What are some common characteristics of the groups?
2. Which of the groups do you think pose the greatest threat to the U.S.? Be sure to explain your reasoning completely using details.