

MEDIEVAL HISTORY IN SPAIN: AL-ÁNDALUS



1. Match the events to the dates.

410 476 557–585 589 711

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- a. The Visigoth king Recaredo converted to Catholicism.
- b. The Visigoths made Toledo their capital city.
- c. The Moors defeated the Visigoths.
- d. The Visigoths attacked Rome.
- e. The Roman Empire fell.

2. Circle *true* or *false*.

- a. The Visigoths were a tribe from Rome. true / false
- b. They were good at metalworking. true / false
- c. They occupied most of the Iberian Peninsula. true / false
- d. They were defeated at the battle of Guadalupe. true / false

3. Complete the sentences.

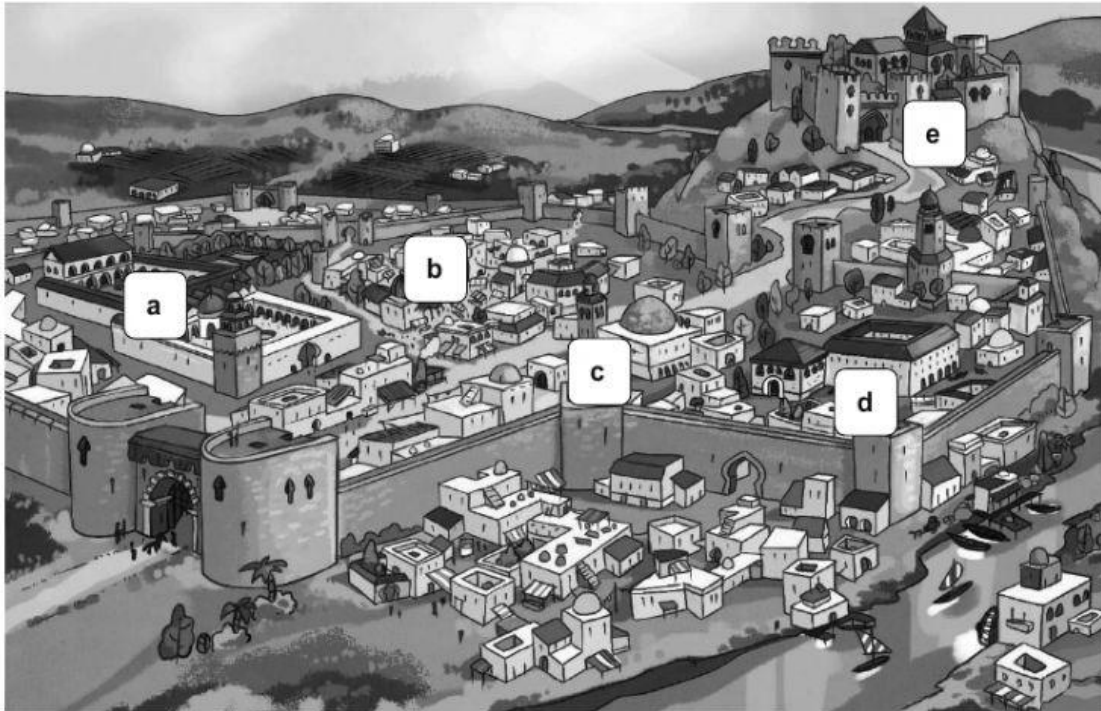
Al-Ándalus Muslims Iberian Africa Peninsula

The Moors were (a) _____ people from north (b) _____. They conquered and ruled the (c) _____ (d) _____ between 711 and 1492. They called their territory (e) _____.

4. Order the events after the Moor invasion of the Iberian Peninsula.

- a. The Emirate of Córdoba was established.
- b. When the Moors took Zaragoza, the Christians moved north.
- c. The Caliphate of Córdoba was established.
- d. The King of Asturias, Don Pelayo, stopped the Moors moving north.
- e. The Kingdom of Navarra was founded then Aragón.

5. Label the picture.



- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.
- e.

6. Complete the sentences with the words in the box. You can use some words twice.

Muslims	Jews	Christians
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- a. The..... had most of the administrative jobs.
- b. The Mozarabs were..... who adopted Muslim language and culture.
- c. The..... lived in quarters.
- d. The *Muladis* werewho converted to Islam.