

CONCEPTS FOR FINAL EXAM STUDY

- Conflict
- Violence
- Incompatibility of goals
- Payoff matrices
- Structural conflict vs actor conflict
- Conflict behavior vs conflict action
- Rationality
- Rationalism/rational choice theory
- Classical realism
- Structural realism/neorealism
- Constructivism
- Peace
- Coercive vs noncoercive conflict action
- Conflict escalation
- Conflict de-escalation
- International anarchy
- Hegemon
- Balance of power theory
- Defensive vs offensive realism
- Hegemonic stability theory
- Polarity (in international politics)
- Levels of analysis
- Status quo vs revisionist states
- Security dilemma
- Preventive vs preemptive war
- Bounded rationality
- Cognitive bias
- Democratic peace theory
- Static vs dynamic identity approach
- Primordialism vs modernism
- Civil war
- Grievance
- Greed vs grievance
- Ethnic conflict
- Ethnicity
- Myth-symbol complex
- Militarism
- Nationalism
- Offense-defense balance
- Asymmetric conflict
- Role of technology in conflict
- Role of geography in conflict
- Elite-predation model
- Economic endowments
- Social endowments
- Activist vs opportunistic rebellion
- Information starvation
- COIN warfare
- Guerilla warfare
- Insurgency
- Peacebuilding
- Peacekeeping
- Peace enforcement
- Peace settlement
- Credible-commitment theory
- Stalemate