The History of the Struggle for a Homeland in Judea/Israel/Palestine

Week 1 – Antiquity to Pre 1880
Week 2 – Underpinnings of Jewish and Arab Nationalism
Week 3 – Development of Jewish “Palestine” through WWI
Week 4 – The Aftermath of WWI and WWII
Week 5 – Israeli Statehood and the Rise of Palestinian Nationalism
Week 6 – War(s) and Peace: Its Impact on both Peoples (nations)

Four Books for Consideration

1) The Israel-Arab Reader: A documentary History of the Middle East Conflict by Laquer and Rubin

2) Palestine and the Arab-Israeli Conflict: A History with Documents by Smith, C.D.

3) Arab Nationalism: An Anthology by Haim, S.G.

4) The Zionist Ideology by Shimoni, G.