Muslim Head Coverings- Questions

1. According to this article, is a head covering required in Islam?
2. According to this article, is the niqab (face covering) required in Islam?
3. Describe the difference between the hijab, niqab, and burka.
4. Muslims follow two sources of religious doctrine, Quran (written by Muhammad) and Hadiths (stories written about Muhammad). What is two citations, **from the Quran,** do Muslims use as evidence that women should cover themselves? (Write them out)
5. In what way could these verses be interpreted differently?
6. Why might a Hadith not be as reliable of a source (This is not in the reading. Think it through)?
7. What two examples are provided that suggest that women are not required to wear the head covering?

Using the Chart

1. Which two countries seem to believe that women should be required to wear the Niqab?
2. Describe the head covering that the majority of Middle Eastern people find appropriate
3. What country had a majority of its people say that no head covering was appropriate?