

CHAPTER  
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## RETEACHING ACTIVITY

*The Byzantine Empire*

## Section 1

**Multiple Choice** Choose the best answer for each item. Write the letter of your answer in the blank.

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| <p>_____ 1. The eastern Roman Empire became known as</p> <p>a. Constantinople.<br/>b. Greece.<br/>c. Byzantium.<br/>d. Istanbul.</p> <p>_____ 2. A high-ranking Byzantine nobleman who took the throne of the Eastern Empire in 527 was</p> <p>a. Constantine.<br/>b. Belisarius.<br/>c. Caesar.<br/>d. Justinian.</p> <p>_____ 3. The Justinian Code was</p> <p>a. a body of civil law that controlled Byzantine life.<br/>b. a code for entering Constantinople.<br/>c. a collection of religious laws.<br/>d. a code of honor governing the Byzantine Empire.</p> <p>_____ 4. The crowning religious glory of Justinian's building program was</p> <p>a. the statue of Herodotus.<br/>b. the Hagia Sophia.<br/>c. a series of law courts.<br/>d. the "Middle Way."</p> | <p>_____ 5. The site of wild chariot races in Constantinople was the</p> <p>a. "Middle Way."<br/>b. Colosseum.<br/>c. Hippodrome.<br/>d. Forum of Constantine.</p> <p>_____ 6. From 398-404, Saint John Chrysostom served in Constantinople as bishop, or</p> <p>a. scholar.<br/>b. emperor.<br/>c. pope.<br/>d. patriarch.</p> <p>_____ 7. Religious images used by eastern Christians in their devotions were called</p> <p>a. icons.<br/>b. idols.<br/>c. relics.<br/>d. artifacts.</p> <p>_____ 8. When the pope casts an official out of the Church it is called</p> <p>a. heresy.<br/>b. iconology.<br/>c. excommunication.<br/>d. succession.</p> <p>_____ 9. The Cyrillic alphabet for the Slavic languages was created by</p> <p>a. Herodotus.<br/>b. Saint John Chrysostom and Saint Cyril.<br/>c. Saint Methodios and Saint Cyril.<br/>d. Empress Theodora.</p> |
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*The Russian Empire*

Section 2

**Determining Main Ideas** The following questions deal with the development of the Russian culture. Answer them in the space provided.

1. What role did Vladimir play in bringing Christianity to Kiev?

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2. What contributions did Yaroslav the Wise make to Kievan Russia?

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3. What effect did the Mongol invasions have on Kievan Russia?

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4. How did Moscow's princes overcome the Mongols?

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**Reading Comprehension** Find the name or term in the second column that best matches the description in the first column. Then write the letter of your answer in the blank.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. Russia's first important city

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. ruler who converted Kiev to Christianity

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. ruler who built the first library in Kiev

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. Novgorod's prince and military hero who cooperated with the Mongols

\_\_\_\_\_ 9. ruler who led the Russian state to become an empire

\_\_\_\_\_ 10. the Russian version of the word "king"

a. Ivan III

b. Novgorod

c. czar

d. Alexander Nevsky

e. Vladimir

f. Yaroslav the Wise

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## Section 3

## RETEACHING ACTIVITY

## Turkish Empires Rise in Anatolia

**Reading Comprehension** Find the name or term in the second column that best matches the description in the first column. Then write the letter of your answer in the blank.

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| ___ 1. armies from this country moved into Baghdad and ended the power of the caliph in 945      | a. Seljuks       |
| ___ 2. these people were noted for their military skills   | b. Vizier        |
| ___ 3. this Turkish group captured Baghdad from the Persians in 1055                             | c. Crusades      |
| ___ 4. the founder of the Seljuk Dynasty   | d. Hulagu        |
| ___ 5. the capital of Seljuk kingdom   | e. Persia        |
| ___ 6. Seljuk prime minister   | f. Isfahan       |
| ___ 7. the most famous Seljuk sultan   | g. mamelukes     |
| ___ 8. series of military campaigns against Turks and other Muslims for control of the Holy Land | h. Malik Shah    |
| ___ 9. Turkish military slaves   | i. Turks         |
| ___ 10. the person who launched the first crusade in 1095  | j. Taghril Beg   |
| ___ 11. famous Kurdish captain who helped the Muslims recover Jerusalem in 1187                  | k. Saladin       |
| ___ 12. Genghis Khan's grandson who captured Baghdad in 1258                                     | l. Pope Urban II |