

CHAPTER
11

BUILDING VOCABULARY

*Byzantines, Russians,
and Turks Interact*

A. Matching Match the description in the second column with the term or name in the first column. Write the appropriate letter next to the word.

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| ___ 1. Justinian Code | a. a leading bishop of Eastern Christianity |
| ___ 2. Ivan III | b. ruler of Kiev who made all his subjects convert to Byzantine Christianity |
| ___ 3. patriarch | c. ruler who created the first Russian empire |
| ___ 4. Slavs | d. the Russian version of Caesar |
| ___ 5. Vladimir | e. Turkish term for prime minister |
| ___ 6. Alexander Nevsky | f. groups inhabiting the forests north of the Black Sea |
| ___ 7. czar | g. Novgorod prince who advised cooperation with the Mongols |
| ___ 8. vizier | h. uniform system of laws for the Byzantine Empire |

B. Evaluating Write *T* in the blank if the statement is true. If the statement is false, write *F* in the blank and then write the corrected statement on the line below.

- ___ 1. The Hagia Sophia was a great Byzantine library built by Justinian.

- ___ 2. Icons are religious images that Eastern Christians used in their devotions.

- ___ 3. Excommunication was a sacrament of the Christian Church.

- ___ 4. The Cyrillic alphabet was invented for the Greek language.

- ___ 5. The Seljuks were one of the first Turkish groups to migrate into the Abbasid Empire in the tenth century.

C. Writing Identify the following rulers and describe something they had in common.

- Justinian Yaroslav the Wise Malik Shah