

CHAPTER 10B: Byzantine Christendom (p. 415-424)

Textbook Divide and Conquer

Directions: Using your notes and the textbook, organize a response for your group's assigned question. Type up response using google docs and email/share your answer with Mr. Tickler. Your response should include a 2-3 sentence claim that directly answers the assigned prompt. In addition, you must include key details and facts that would support and explain your claim. Your group must decide how best to organize that additional evidence list (ex. bullet point list, use of bold headings to denote themes or categorical connections, graphic organizer or chart to group information, etc.) Class responses will be posted to the class website and each group will present their information to the class.

1. Characterize the structure of the Byzantine Empire.
2. List the causes of the decline of the Byzantine Empire.
3. Identify the differences between Eastern Orthodox Christianity and Roman Catholicism.
4. Explain the causes of the split with the Christian Church into Latin (Roman) Christianity and Eastern (Orthodox) Christianity in the eleventh century.
5. Summarize ways in which the Byzantine Empire linked to a wider world.
6. Describe the factors that gave rise to the Russian state Kievan Rus.