The Early Middle Ages   Chapter Review
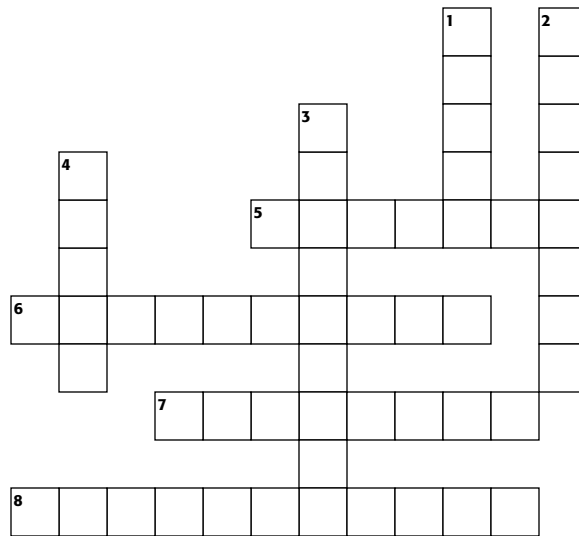
💡 **BIG IDEAS**

1. Because Europe has many types of landforms and climates, different ways of life have developed there.

2. Despite the efforts of Christians to maintain order, Europe was a dangerous place after the fall of Rome.

3. A complex web of duties and obligations governed relationships between people in the Middle Ages.

4. Although the feudal systems of Europe and Japan were similar, their cultures were very different.

REVIEWING VOCABULARY, TERMS, AND PEOPLE

Use the clues provided to fill in the crossword puzzle below.

Across

5. The landmass that includes Europe and Asia

6. The shape and elevation of land in a region

7. The Middle Ages is also called the _____ period.

8. The king who built up a huge empire in Europe in the late 700s

Down

1. Workers who could not leave their land without permission

2. The knights' code of honor

3. The system that ruled the relationships between lords and vassals

4. A large estate owned by a knight or lord

COMPREHENSION AND CRITICAL THINKING

Read the **FALSE** statement below. On the line provided, replace the underlined words to make this statement **TRUE**.

1. Warriors who fought on horseback were called <u>vassals</u>.

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2. <u>Saint Patrick</u> defeated the English king in 1066.

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3. Japanese poets created the <u>daimyo</u>, a short, three-line poem.

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4. The <u>Stone Ages</u> lasted from about 500 to 1500.

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REVIEWING THEMES

In the space provided, explain how each term relates to the theme listed below.

    Theme: *religion*

1. monastery _____

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2. missionary _____

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REVIEW ACTIVITY: MEDIEVAL ABC CHALLENGE

On a separate sheet of paper, write each letter of the alphabet on its own line. For each letter, list a vocabulary term, person, or medieval-related word from the chapter. Be sure to review the maps, biographies, and other special features to locate words. You may not be able to find a word for every letter, but try to find as many as possible.