

Section 2 Guided Reading and Review



The Rise of Russia (textbook pp. 244–248)

A. Main Ideas

Complete the outline by writing the missing words or phrases from Section 2 in the blanks.

The Russian Land

1. Three broad zones with different climates and resources helped shape Russian life.
They included:

2. Russia's network of rivers provided

Growth of Kiev

3. The Vikings, or Varangians, swept out of Scandinavia to

4. The monks Cyril and Methodius invented the Cyrillic alphabet. Olga, the princess of Kiev, converted to _____, beginning a _____.

The Mongol Conquest

5. Led by Batu, the Mongol Golden Horde looted and burned Kiev and then set up a government that was

6. Mongol rule had six effects on Russia:

Moscow Takes the Lead

7. During his reign, Ivan the Great

8. The most lasting legacy of Ivan the Terrible was

B. Reviewing Key Terms and People

Briefly identify each of the following on the back of this paper or on a separate sheet of paper.

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| 9. boyar | 12. Time of Troubles |
| 10. czar | 13. Michael Romanov |
| 11. Vladimir | |