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**Eurasian History:** European History - The European Middle Ages

**Due:**

**Directions:** Read pages 351-363 in your textbook and respond to the prompts below.

**Rationale:** In order to understand the rise of many modern European nations, the establishment of the constitutional principles of government that we use today, and the evolving relationship between established religion and the state it is important to seek an understanding of the European Middle Ages.

1. How many groups are listed on the map on page 351? To what extent do the various kingdoms correspond with the modern nations of Europe?

2. Page 352 asks you to consider the lives of peasants in Europe during the Middle Ages. After reading the page, answer the questions in the “Examining the Issues” box at the bottom of the page.

3. After reading page 353 explain how the fall of Rome affected the culture, society and government of the Middle Ages.

4. How did the values of Germanic people affect political organization in northern Europe?

