**Chapter 14-Formation of Western Europe Vocabulary Match-up Activity**

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| **Vocabulary Term** | **Definition** | **Section/Page Number** |
| **Guilds**  | An organization of individuals in the same business striving to improve the economic and social conditions for its members |  |
| **Inquisition** | Christian court used by Isabella and Ferdinand of Spain to suppress heresy |  |
| **Scholastics**  | Wise school men who used their knowledge of Aristotle to debate the issues of the day |  |
| **Usury**  | Policy where the Catholic Church banned lending money with interest |  |
| **University**  | Higher institutes of learning and education |  |
| **Heretic**  | Someone who’s beliefs differed from those of the Catholic Church  |  |
| **The Bubonic Plague**  | A deadly epidemic (disease) during the 1300’s that killed nearly one-third of Europe |  |
| **Cathedrals**  | Large churches built in major cities designed to be a representation of the “City of God”  |  |
| **Magna Carta** | “Great Document” drawn up by English nobles that guaranteed certain political rights to the people  |  |
| **Hundreds Year War** | Conflict launched by Edward III in 1337 A.D. to capture the French throne. These battles were fought off and on until 1453. |  |