



### CHAPTER 11 SECTION #1

**Directions:** After reading pages 365-371, complete the questions below.

#### Vocabulary

1. Savanna
2. Tropical Rain Forest
3. Tariff
4. Mansa

#### Fill in the Blank

5. \_\_\_\_\_ was easy for the early peoples of \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ were not only skilled \_\_\_\_\_ but also good \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The Songhays could not hold off the \_\_\_\_\_ attacks.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ trading influence \_\_\_\_\_.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ was worth a lot in West Africa because it was a \_\_\_\_\_ resource.
10. The people who founded Mali were called \_\_\_\_\_.
11. They also brought with them the \_\_\_\_\_.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ merchants crossed the Sahara to trade with the Soninkes.

#### Short Answer

13. Why did people come to Mali during the rule of Mansa Musa?
14. Why did other peoples want the lands of the Songhay Empire?
15. Why were the Wangaras willing to trade gold?
16. What were three major African trading kingdoms?
17. Who were the Griots and what were they known for?