Hagia Sophia: Architecture and Innovation – Answer Key

Part 1: Vocabulary

- 1. H Apse
- 2. B Pendentive
- 3. E Mosaic
- 4. A Dome
- 5. C Basilica
- 6. F Sanctuary

7. G – Barrel Vault

8. D – Revetment

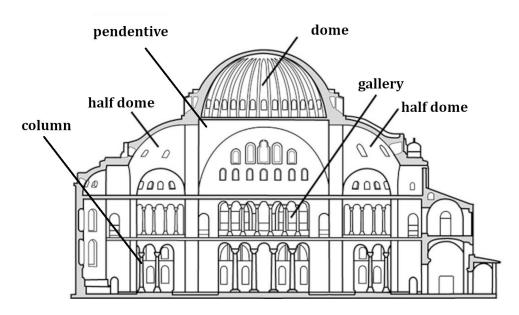
Part 2: Comprehension

1. Pendentives allowed a round dome to rest on a square base.

2. Forty windows at the dome's base allowed light to enter and obscure its supports.

Part 3: Visual Analysis

Students should correctly label the architectural elements.



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