

Module 5: The French Revolution and Napoleon

EXAM-REVIEW NOTES

Lesson #1: The French Revolution Begins

Multiple Choice:

1. Group in French society that was most influenced by Enlightenment thought.
2. Events that occurred during the 1780s affected the poor living in France.
3. Fearing a backlash from King Louis XVI's troops, the citizens of Paris armed themselves by taking over the _____ .
4. "the baker, the baker's wife, and the baker's lad."
5. Why did many merchants and bankers have difficulty operating successful businesses in France prior to the Revolution?

Lesson #2: Revolution Brings Reform and Terror

Multiple Choice:

6. Which group of people were most often the victims of the Reign of Terror?
7. Organization that Maximilien Robespierre lead during the horrors of the Reign of Terror.
8. Major reform the members of the National Assembly adopt.
9. The Constitution of 1791 change the French monarchy.
10. Members of the National Convention decide to execute King Louis XVI even though they abolished the monarchy?
11. Maximilien Robespierre encourage the Reign of Terror throughout France
12. When did the Reign of Terror end?

Lesson #3: Napoleon's Empire

Multiple Choice:

13. How did Napoleon Bonaparte become France's sole ruler?
14. Napoleon decides to sell the Louisiana Territory to the United States in 1803?
15. France institutes the Continental System.
16. How was Spain able to defeat a more numerous French army during the Peninsular War?
17. Why did Napoleon believe he could regain his power as emperor following his escape from Elba?

Lesson #4: The Congress of Vienna

Multiple Choice:

18. What did Klemens von Metternich hope to achieve at the Congress of Vienna?
19. Why were the Holy Alliance and the Concert of Europe created?
20. The Congress of Vienna and the United Nations similar.

Multiple Assessment Choices

21. What are the main rights or freedoms promoted by the *Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen*.
22. French society before the revolution consisted of three estates. Place an “X” in the table to show which characteristics describe each estate.
23. The French Revolution had many causes and developments. Write the letter of each event in the table to indicate whether it was a cause or a development of the French Revolution. Understand what events occurred **BEFORE** the Revolution and **DURING** the Revolution.