



## GUIDED READING ACTIVITY 19-1

### The French Revolution and Napoleon

**Directions: Reading for Accuracy** Reading the section and completing the sentences below will help you learn more about the French Revolution and the rise of Napoleon. Use your textbook to decide if a statement is true or false. Write **T** or **F** in the blank, and if a statement is false, rewrite it correctly on the line.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. In the 1700s, the French people were divided into six estates, or classes.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Members of the First and Second Estates paid many taxes.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Members of the Third Estate declared themselves to be the National Assembly.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Declaration of the Rights of Man and the Citizen said that the power of the government comes from the king.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The National Assembly declared war on Austria in 1792.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Radicals formed a new government called the Democratic Convention.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The Girondists used their power to send their king to the guillotine.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. The leadership of Robespierre and the Committee of Public Safety became known as the Reign of Virtue.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. In 1804, Napoleon crowned himself emperor, and France became an empire.  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Leaders at the Congress of Vienna were against individual rights and nationalism.  
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