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The French Revolution

Read each question and circle the correct answer.

1. Which of the following events contributed to France being in debt by 1789?

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| A. Fries's Rebellion | C. American Revolution |
| B. Hundred Years' War | D. Cold War |

2. Which of the following groups of people was part of the Second Estate?

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| A. Royalty | C. Clergy |
| B. Nobility | D. Bourgeoisie |

3. The bourgeoisie made up { } of France's population.

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| A. 2% | C. 74% |
| B. 18% | D. 98% |

4. True or False: The majority of taxes were levied upon the First Estate.

- A. True
B. False

5. After breaking away from the Estates General, the { } created the { }.

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| A. Third Estate / National Assembly | C. First Estate / French Assembly |
| B. Second Estate / National General | D. king / French General |

6. Which of the following movements challenged the idea that governments have a divine right to absolute power?

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| A. The Great Awakening | C. The Scientific Revolution |
| B. The Enlightenment | D. The Protestant Reformation |

7. During the French Revolution, countries neighboring France were most concerned about { }.

- A. the economic success of France
- B. Louis XVI leading an absolute monarchy
- C. Louis XVI fleeing to their country
- D. the spread of the revolution and its ideas

8. Who led the Jacobins?

- A. Louis XVI
- B. Marie Antoinette
- C. Maximilien Robespierre
- D. The bourgeoisie

9. How long did the Reign of Terror last?

- A. 5 months
- B. 10 months
- C. 15 months
- D. 20 months

10. What happened after the fall of the Jacobins?

- A. Napoleon Bonaparte rose to power.
- B. Parisians stormed the Bastille.
- C. A new king took the throne.
- D. Enlightenment thinkers created a new monarchy.