**Chapter 14.3 (464-466); Chapter 18.1 (576-583): Beginnings of the French Revolution**

Chapter 14.3

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| **Book Notes** | **Teacher Notes** |
| France under Louis XIV   1. What is Absolutism?    1. How does this compare to the ways that the Stuart kings of England tried to rule? |  |
| Richelieu and Mazarin   1. Why did Louis XIII and Louis XIV not initially rule their kingdom? 2. Who ruled in Louis XIII’s stead?    1. What group of people was Louis XIII particularly concerned with? 3. Who ruled in Louis XIV’s stead? 4. Read the quote at the bottom of page 465. What is Louis XIV saying in this statement. |  |
| Government and Religion   1. What was the name of the new royal court built by Louis XIV?    1. What were the three purposes of the new royal court? 2. What actions did Louis XIV take in attempting to convert the Huguenots? |  |
| The Economy and War   1. Who was Louis XIV’s controller-general of finances? 2. What system did the controller-general of finances use in an attempt to increase France’s wealth? Explain how this system works. |  |
| Legacy of Louis XIV   1. What two pieces of advice does Louis XIV give to his great grandson before he died? |  |

Chapter 18.1

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| Frances Three Estates   1. Explain each of the following estates **(Who comprised them; How many did they number; What did they want; how much representation did they have in government; How much did they pay in taxes?)**    1. The First Estate    2. The Second Estate    3. The Third Estate **(The Third estate was broken up in to two groups. Answer the question above for each of these groups.)**       1. Group 1       2. Group 2 |  |
| Financial Crisis   1. What were some of the economic causes of the French Revolution? 2. How was Marie Antoinette implicated in this crisis? 3. What was final straw that sent the French economy into total crisis? 4. How did Louis XVI react to this crisis? |  |
| From Estates-General to National Assembly   1. How were each of the estates represented at the meeting called by Louis XVI 2. Why was the Third estate never able to have its ideas represented? 3. After the Third Estate announced that it would draft a new constitution, how did the monarchy respond and where did the Third Estate go? Oath did they make?      1. What armory on July 14, 1789 was attacked and why were the people so upset? 2. What was the response by Louis XVI upon hearing that the armory had fallen? |  |
| 1. Rumor spread that other countries would put down the revolt. Why would other monarchies want to put down a revolt in France? |  |
| End of the Old Regime   1. What where the major components of the Declaration of the Rights of Man? 2. What major enlightenment ideas were instituted in the declaration? |  |
| The King Concedes   1. Who were able to force the King to accept the decrees of the Declaration of Rights of Man? 2. Why do you think this group had such an effect? 3. What was chanted during Louis XVI’s return to Paris? |  |
| Church Reforms   1. What was the relationship between the new National Assembly and the Catholic Church? |  |
| New Constitution and New Fears   1. Who was given voting rights under the new constitution? 2. What were some complaints about the new constitution? 3. How did Louis XVI react to the new constitution? |  |
| War with Austria   1. Why did France go to war with Austria in 1792? |  |
| Rise of the Paris Commune   1. What new practice did the Paris Commune call for? 2. What nickname did the Paris Commune call themselves? What did this mean? |  |