

**Viewing Guide for "Napoleon Bonaparte: The Glory of France" (FR# \_\_\_\_)**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

1. From what social class, or estate, did Napoleon's parents come from? Were they wealthy?
2. In what year did Napoleon's mother give birth to him?
3. Describe the influence of Napoleon's mother on her son.
4. Identify an important Corsican value that may have influenced the young Napoleon.
5. Why did Napoleon move to France at age 9?
6. Identify an important fact about Napoleon's life at military school.
7. Identify something Napoleon studied while at school.
8. True or False: *When the French Revolution started, Napoleon fought against the republic and wanted to restore Royalists to power.*
9. Describe how Napoleon behaved in battle.
10. What was the name of the woman "who would change Napoleon's life forever?"
11. Identify an important fact about this woman.
12. Why was it said that Napoleon had an easier time winning battles than controlling his wife?
13. Why did Napoleon think conquering Egypt would help him defeat France's traditional enemy, England?
14. Why did Napoleon bring scientists with him to Egypt?
15. How did Britain's Admiral Nelson humiliate Napoleon?
16. By what means was Napoleon able to seize power in France, becoming its First Consul?
17. As dictator of France—First Consul—Napoleon could make his ideas into reality. What did he do?
18. What happened at Napoleon's coronation? What was his new title?
19. Why did Napoleon divorce his wife? Who did he replace her with?
20. What was the Continental System? Was it successful?
21. Describe Napoleon's military efforts in Russia.
22. Who became the leader of France after Napoleon abdicated?
23. How did the people of France respond to his march back to Paris from the island of Elba?
24. On which battlefield did Napoleon and the Duke of Wellington meet? What was the result?