

## EUROPE AND NAPOLEON

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1. Why did Napoleon create the Continental system?
2. What happened to Grande Armée in the first weeks of invasion to Russia and why?
3. Describe Napoleon's invasion to Egypt.
4. Explain what it is Napoleonic Code.
5. Explain what it is Concordat.
6. How did Napoleon rise to power?
7. How did Napoleon build an empire in Europe?
8. What events led to Napoleon's downfall?
9. How did the Congress of Vienna try to restore the balance of power in Europe?
10. What were the reasons and efforts of the Congress of Vienna?
11. Describe how Napoleon became popular and strong in France.
12. Describe the reign of Napoleon as first Consul.
13. How Napoleon tried to improve situation of France as first Consul?
14. What steps made Napoleon as first Consul?
15. Explain what the Continental system was.
16. When started Napoleon's invasion to Russia?
17. How many soldiers had Napoleon's Grande Armée in June 1812?
18. What caused the losses in Napoleon's Army in Russia?
19. Describe the first exile of Napoleon.
20. Describe the second exile of Napoleon.
21. How and when died Napoleon in exile?
22. Give a general description of the French Revolutionary Wars.
23. Describe the First Coalition War- years, countries, reason and consequence.
24. Describe the Second Coalition War- years, countries, reason and consequence.
25. Give a general description of Congress of Vienna.
26. When did Congress of Vienna take place?
27. What was the purpose of Congress of Vienna?
28. Name 3 principles that were used in Congress of Vienna for making the political decisions about the future of Europe.
29. Explain the principle of restoration.
30. Explain the principle of legitimacy.
31. Explain the principle of keeping power balance.
32. Name the participants (country) of Congress of Vienna.
33. Name the representatives from each 5 most powerful participants in Congress of Vienna.
34. What did Russia gain after Congress?
35. Explain what German Confederation was.
36. Which country gained the independence after the Congress?
37. What was the result of the Congress for France?
38. Identify the following years with Napoleon: 1798, 1799, 1804, 1805, 1812, 1814, 1815 and 1821.
39. Give at least 3 facts how Napoleon gained popularity in France.
40. Explain what Hundred Days Empire is.
41. Who was Horatio Nelson?

42. Describe the battle of Slavkov (participants date and result).
43. Describe the battle of Leipzig (participants date and result).
44. Describe the battle of Waterloo (participants date and result).
45. Explain what means Napoleon's Family system.
46. Describe the informal way of sessions during the Congress.
47. How did Napoleon stabilize the economic situation in France?
48. In what fields was Napoleonic Code valid?
49. What were the disadvantages of the Continental system (even for France)?
50. Why did Napoleon decide to lead an invasion to Russia?
51. Explain what is (modern) diplomacy (which was born in Congress of Vienna).
52. Think and write about positive political effects and legacy of Napoleon's reign.
53. Think and write about negative political effects and legacy of Napoleon's reign.

**!!DON'T FORGET TO WORK WITH MAP OF EUROPE BETWEEN THE YEARS 1799-1815!!**