Chapter 20.2: The Republic **(**p. 601-606)

Guided Reading WS

*Directions: Read the chapter section and answer the questions.*

1. What FOUR changes did the radical government make in French society and politics?

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2. Complete the chart on each faction in the French government

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|  | Montagnards / Jacobins | Girondins | Plain |
| Ideas |  |  |  |
| What part of French society did they come from? |  |  |  |

3. Give a brief description of each revolutionary leader:

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4. How were the Jacobins different from the Girondins?

5. Why did the National Convention execute the king?

6. What are TWO departments the National Convention set up?

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7. What are THREE ways the Revolution impacted the church or clergy?

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8. Why did the Revolutionary government the change calendar and the system of weights and measures, in addition to the government?

9. What was the Reign of Terror?

10. Where, in France, did the main opposition to the Revolution come from?

11. What are the TWO reasons the peasants opposed the revolutionary government?

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12. List ONE example of who was in danger of being tried by the Revolutionary Tribunal?

13. How did the guillotine contribute to the Reign of Terror?

14. How did the Reign of Terror end?

15. What was the new governing board called when the Reign of Terror ended?

16. What are TWO reasons why the new governing board was ineffective?

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