

Online Quiz Chapter 18-B

1. Napoleon gained control of the executive authority of the French government by his appointment to the post by a newly restored monarch, Louis XVII.
becoming President of the Committee of Public Safety.
capitalizing on his military victories to become a popularly elected president.
seizing power in a coup d'etat.
being elected as first director of the Directory.
2. Which of the following was NOT characteristic of Napoleon's Grand Empire?
Religious toleration.
Equality before the law.
Equality of opportunity with offices open to talent.
Loss of privilege by nobility and clergy.
Absolute freedom of the press.
3. Napoleon's purpose in instituting the Continental System was to
create a united Europe under the leadership of France.
unify Italy.
consolidate the separate states of Germany.
punish Russia for his ill-fated invasion.
defeat England through an economic war.
4. The French Revolutionary Calendar, established New Year as beginning on
Autumnal Equinox
Winter Solstice
Bastille Day
the anniversary of the execution of Louis XVI
the election of Napoleon as First Consul
5. The fundamental unit of measure in the *Système International d'unités* was the
degree Celsius
second
meter
kilogram
the solar cycle
6. Napoleon divorced Josephine because she
had a series of lesbian lovers
had an affair with a young army officer
was discovered to be a West Indies Creole
was a spent thrift who hosted frequent elaborate parties
was unable to become pregnant

7. In year did the Battle of Waterloo take place?

1815

1799

1791

1821

1812