

**Review Questions** for READING: The French Revolution Begins 7.1

1. Identify and describe the three classes of French society?

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2. Why was France facing bankruptcy before the revolution broke out?

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3. What was Louis XVI plan to bring in more money?

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4. What was the **Estates General**? How did the Third Estate want to change the Estates-General?

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5. What was the **National Assembly** and what was its purpose?

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6. What was the **Tennis Court Oath** and why was it significant?

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6. What was the **Bastille** and why was it attacked?

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7. What occurred during the **Great Fear**?

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8. *Predict:* What do you think will happen to the Third Estate once they gain power?

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