**CALL TO FREEDOM**

**CHAPTER 11 THE EXPANDING NATION**

**SECTION 2 THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE**

READ PAGES 338-343 IN YOUR TEXTBOOK AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

***French Louisiana***

***Main idea: How did Napoleon’s failure to control Haiti influence his plans for North America?***

**VOCABULARY**

**AMBITION:** A PERSONAL GOAL

1. *What plans did the French leader Napoleon have for French territory in North America?*
2. *Who was Toussaint-Louverture and what role did he play in the island of Haiti?*
3. *Why was the United States worried about what the French were going to do with this territory?*
4. *Why was New Orleans important?*

***The Louisiana Purchase***

***Main idea: What happened to the Louisiana territory in 1803 and why was that important to the history of the United States?***

1. *Jefferson hoped for a peaceful solution with France so he sent ambassador Robert Livingston to France to make an offer. What was Livingston told to offer?*

**VOCABULARY**

**AUTHORIZED:** GIVEN PERMISSION

1. *What were three reasons why Napoleon wanted to sell all of the territory to us?*

*1.*

*2.*

*3.*

1. *Why did Jefferson agree to buy the territory even though he did not think the US Constitution gave him the power to do that?*
2. *What did the purchase of the Louisiana territory do to the size of the United States?*

***Mission of Discovery***

***Main idea: What skills did Lewis and Clark have that made them a good choice for an expedition?***

**VOCABULARY**

**PRUDENT:** CAREFUL

**HABITUATED**: USED

**FRONTIERSMEN:** SOMEONE USED TO TRAVELING IN THE WILDERNESS

**BOTANY**: THE STUDY OF PLANTS

1. *What were two reasons why Jefferson wanted to explore this territory?*

*1.*

*2.*

1. *What did Jefferson tell Lewis and Clark in regards to the Indians living there?*
2. *How did Merewether Lewis prepare for the journey?*
3. *Who was York?*

***The Lewis and Clark Expedition***

**VOCABULARY**

**INTERPRETERS:** PEOPLE WHO CAN TRANSLATED ONE LANGUAGE INTO ANOTHER

***Main idea: What regions did Lewis and Clark cross and why was their expedition important?***

1. *How was it possible for Lewis and his men to speak with the local Indians?*
2. *Who was Sacagawea?*
3. *How did Lewis record the journey?*
4. *What were some of the dangers he mentioned in his journal?*
5. *Why do you think Lewis was worried when he first saw the Rocky Mountains?*
6. *Even though Lewis and Clark did not find a water route (rivers) that led to the Pacific Ocean, the expedition accomplish many things. What were some of these accomplishments?*

***Pike’s Exploration***

***Main idea: What regions did Lewis and Clark cross and why was their expedition important?***

1. *Who was Zebulon Pike and what was his mission?*
2. *What parts of the West did he explore?*
3. *Who arrested Pike and why did they arrest him?*