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| http://2.bp.blogspot.com/_R_TxDQX2XsY/TL-2_78O1jI/AAAAAAAAAAc/xAGtJajhAj0/s1600/fist.jpg | **CAUSES OF REVOLUTIONS**   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – taxation, drought, famine, economic downturns * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – wars of independence * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – French soldiers who had fought on the American side in the War of Independence (1775-1783) often returned to France with new ideas of liberty |
| **WHAT IS A REVOLUTION?**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | A dramatic and wide-reaching \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the way something works or is organized or in people’s ideas about it (usually non-violent) | A forcible ­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of a government or social order in favor of a new system (usually \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_). | |  |
|  | **CHARACTERISTICS OF REVOLUTIONS**   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a common feature – usually the execution of rulers. * Preceded by a strong \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. There must be a central idea for change before a revolution can occur. * Happens in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. * Replaces an old order with a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. * Ruler refused to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |