

## GUIDED READING Napoleon Forges an Empire

**A.** *Evaluating Courses of Action* As you read about Napoleon, note the goals and results of some of his actions.

Actions	Goal(s)	Result(s)
1. Establishment of national bank and efficient tax-collection system		
2. Enacting Napoleonic Code of law		
3. Sending troops to Saint Domingue		
4. Selling Louisiana Territory to the United States		
5. Waging Battle of Trafalgar		

**B.** *Summarizing* On the back of this paper, write a brief explanation of how Napoleon gained power in France. Use the terms **coup d' état** and **plebiscite**.