

## FOCUS ON THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE

1. Write a paragraph summarizing Napoleon's reasons for selling the Louisiana Territory.
2. Do you agree with Jefferson's reasoning for why he was allowed to add land to the United States? Why or why not?
3. In what year was the Louisiana Purchase made?
  - A. 1795
  - B. 1800
  - C. 1803
4. Why did Thomas Jefferson hesitate over the Louisiana Purchase?
  - A. He thought he could get a better deal on the land.
  - B. He wanted Lewis and Clark to explore it first.
  - C. He was not sure if the deal followed the Constitution.

## Answer Key:

1. Answers will vary
2. Answers will vary
3. C
4. C