

History 10 – Music Monday

French Revolution

Saskatchewan Curriculum Area:

Unit 1 Political Decision Making

Political organization within tradition French society

The need for change:

- the issue of who should be awarded sovereignty in French society
- theoretical reactions to the French revolution
- practical reactions to the French revolution
- the issue of whether freedom or order is of more value

Lesson Activity:

Using the following video links, students will analyze and discuss song lyrics and style to support or reinforce their understandings about the French Revolution.

Marie Antoinette

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ysEjV6lCzIE>

Catherine The Great

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sl8UmlYnFNQ>

The French Revolution

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wXsZbkt0yqo>

Assignment:

Individually or in groups, students will use research to create their own music parody which will be representative of a chosen aspect of The French Revolution and then presented to the class.