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Topic : 6.5 Thomas Jefferson Drafts a Declaration and 6.5 The Final Break

Essential Question : According to the Declaration, what is the purpose of government?

Questions:

6.5 Thomas Jefferson Drafts a Declaration

We completed a See-Think-Wonder on this image in class. What is actually happening? (page 83)

Natural Rights

What did the Loyalists believe about natural rights? How was Thomas Jefferson's idea different from the Loyalists?

The King's Crime

What crimes does Jefferson believe King George has committed against the colonists?

Class Notes:



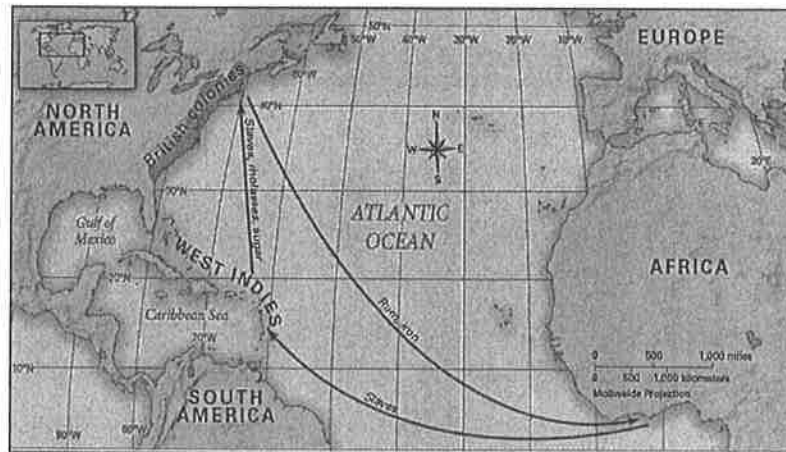
6.6 The Final Break

Describe the atmosphere (both inside and outside) during the meeting of the Second Continental Congress on July 1, 1776.

Debate Over Slavery

Why was the passage against slavery removed from the Declaration of Independence that Jefferson originally composed?

Provide a title for this map.
Describe in detail what is being traded.



Independence Day

Why was signing the Declaration of Independence taken so seriously by the signers?

Choose one word to describe Chapter 6.5 and 6.6. Explain why you are choosing this word.