**Napoleon’s Downfall Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

[How Napoleon was finally defeated - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/modern-history/mod-napoleon-s-domination-reading/)

1. What significant victory had Napoleon achieved by the end of 1805?
2. What territories did Napoleon gain control of after the Battle of Austerlitz?
3. How did Napoleon consolidate his power in Europe?
4. What was the War of the Fourth Coalition?
5. How did Napoleon respond to Portugal's refusal to join his blockade against Great Britain?
6. What were the consequences of Napoleon's decision to crown his brother, Joseph Bonaparte, as King of both Naples and Spain?
7. Why did Napoleon decide to invade Russia in 1812?
8. What were the results of Napoleon's invasion of Russia?
9. What led to the formation of the Sixth Coalition?
10. What was the Battle of Leipzig and what were its consequences?
11. What led to Napoleon's first abdication and exile to the island of Elba?
12. What were the events of Napoleon's Hundred Days and the Battle of Waterloo?
13. What happened to Napoleon after his defeat at Waterloo?
14. How did Napoleon's life end?
15. How did Napoleon's Continental System impact the political life of Europe?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in your readings, answer the question below in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*What was the most* [*significant*](https://www.historyskills.com/historical-knowledge/significance/) *event in Napoleon’s fall from power?*