

★ **Guided Reading Activity 10-2**

DIRECTIONS: Recalling the Facts Use the information in your textbook to answer the questions. Use another sheet of paper if necessary.

1. What was the name of the sturdy vehicle used to transport westward-bound pioneers and their possessions? _____
2. What were the two most valued possessions of the pioneers? _____
3. What enormous area of land was anchored to the South by the city of New Orleans? _____
4. What vital right did the Spanish allow the Western farmers? _____
5. Which French leader had plans for an American empire? _____
6. Why was Thomas Jefferson alarmed to learn that the French controlled the Louisiana Territory? _____
7. Which formerly enslaved African helped drive the British and Spanish from Santo Domingo? _____
8. Who informed American diplomats that the Louisiana Territory was for sale? _____
9. How much did the United States pay for the Louisiana Territory? _____
10. How did the Louisiana Purchase affect the size of the United States? _____
11. In 1804 who led an expedition into the Louisiana Territory? _____
12. Who was the Shoshone woman who helped the explorers? _____
13. What was probably the most important result of the expedition? _____
14. Who discovered Grand Peak in Colorado? _____
15. How did Alexander Hamilton die? _____

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★ **Reteaching Activity 10-2**

DIRECTIONS: Sequencing Events Number the events in the order in which they occurred.



- _____ A. The Lewis and Clark expedition leaves St. Louis.
- _____ B. Thomas Jefferson authorizes Robert Livingston to offer \$10 million for New Orleans and West Florida.
- _____ C. Meriwether Lewis and William Clark return from their expedition.
- _____ D. Jefferson persuades Congress to sponsor an expedition into the Louisiana Territory.
- _____ E. The Federalists support Aaron Burr in his bid to become governor of New York.
- _____ F. The Spanish refuse to allow American goods to move into or past New Orleans.
- _____ G. The Senate gives its approval of the Louisiana Purchase.
- _____ H. Alexander Hamilton dies after engaging in a duel with Aaron Burr.
- _____ I. Jefferson confirms that Spain secretly transferred the Louisiana Territory to France.
- _____ J. Lieutenant Zebulon Pike travels through the upper Mississippi River valley and into present-day Colorado.

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DIRECTIONS: Essay Answer the following questions.

1. Why was France willing to sell the Louisiana Territory?

2. Why did Massachusetts Federalists support Republican Aaron Burr for governor of New York in the 1804 election?
