Modern World History

Unit 6 - Revolutions

The French Revolution

***Use the information in pp.637-642 of Chapter 18 and any other resources at your disposal to define/identify the historical importance of each term below. Then answer the question that follows.***

the four stages of the Revolution

the Terror

Napoléon Bonaparte

the three estates

the “nobility of the sword”

the “nobility of the robe”

bourgeois

Marie Antoinette

Describe each of the three estates, including who was in each, their percentage of the total population, and their political power. Why were they upset with the current class system of France?