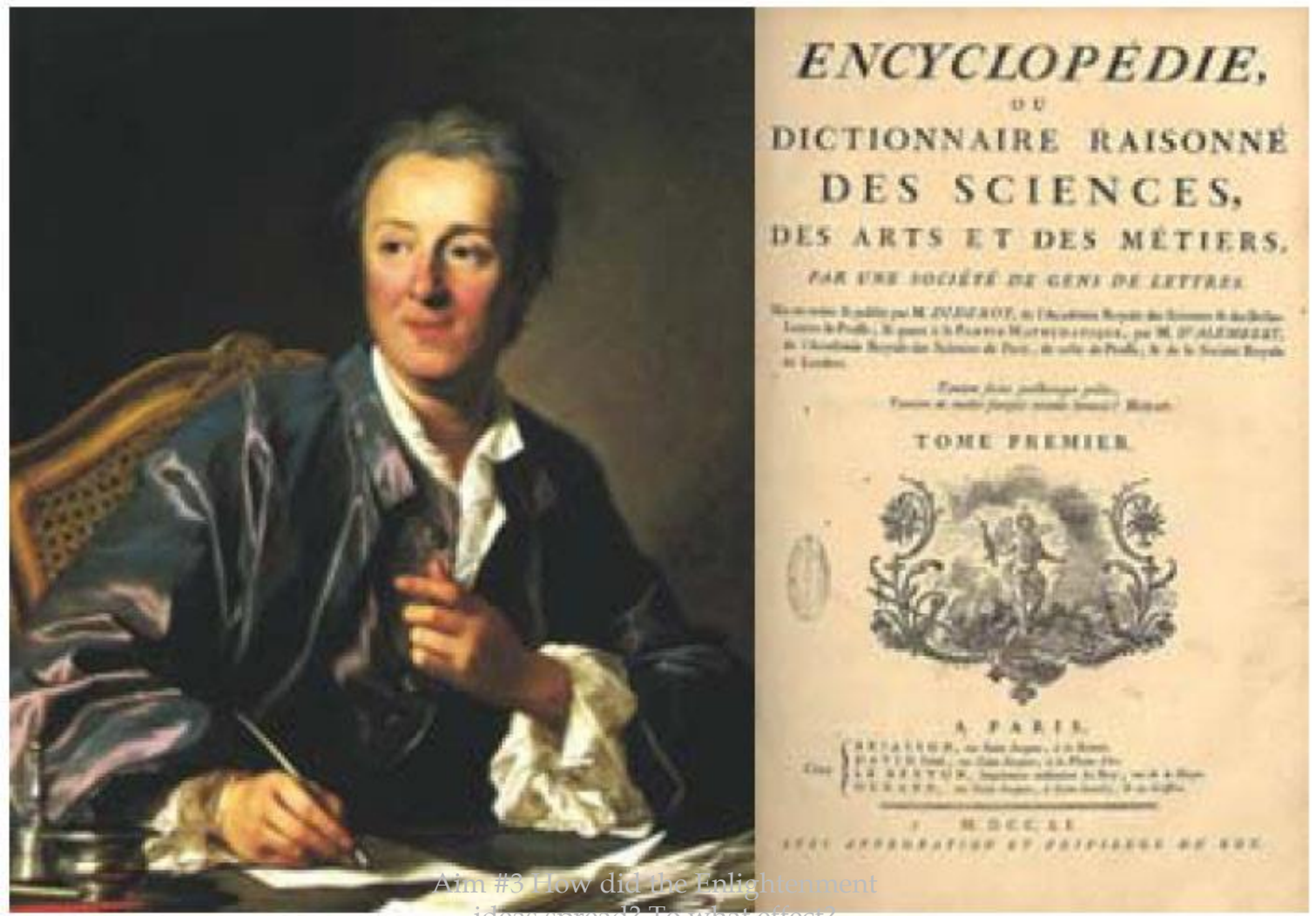


Think & Write #2 Which Enlightenment ideas are shown in the Declaration of Independence?

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. — That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness.

Aim #2

How did the Enlightenment ideas spread? To what effect?



Aim #3 How did the Enlightenment ideas spread? To what effect?

"An encyclopedia ... should encompass not only the fields already covered by the academies, but each and every branch of human knowledge... this will give, "the power to change men's common way of thinking."

I. The Spread of ideas

A. Denis Diderot

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Women in Government???

- ▣ Women make good rulers because “their very weakness gives them more gentleness and moderation; which can make for good government, rather than tough and ferocious virtues”.

Baron de Montesquieu

- ▣ “the moral centers of family,” with a “status unavoidably dependent on a man’s.”¹⁷
- ▣ “belief in the power of women to influence men,” He claimed that women’s “gentle, soft, and docile” nature inherently “emasculated men,” “distract[ed] men from their duties,” and was an eventual “threat to the constitution.”
J.J. Rousseau

“It is time to effect a revolution in female manners - time to restore to them their lost dignity.”

“Taught from infancy that beauty is woman's scepter, the mind shapes itself to the body, and roaming round its gilt cage, only seeks to adorn its prison. “



▣ **B. Mary Wollstonecraft**
1759-1797

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Aim #3 How did the Enlightenment ideas spread? To what effect?

II. Enlightened Despots

A. Frederick the Great

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“The greatest and noblest pleasure which we have in this world is to discover new truths, and the next is to shake off old prejudices.”



Aim #3 How did the Enlightenment ideas spread? To what effect?



B. Catherine the Great

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The Expansion of Russia, 1500–1800

INTERACTIVE

Interactive Feature

1462	Acquisitions to 1682
Acquisitions to 1505	Acquisitions to 1725
Acquisitions to 1584	Acquisitions to 1796



GEOGRAPHY SKILLBUILDER: Interpreting Maps

- 1. Location** Locate the territories that Peter added to Russia during his reign, from 1682 to 1725. What bodies of water did Russia gain access to because of these acquisitions?
- 2. Region** Who added a larger amount of territory to Russia—Ivan III, who ruled from 1462 to 1505, or Peter the Great?

C. Joseph II

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III. American Revolution

IDEAS



PRACTICE



Vocabulary

1. Enlightenment.
2. Salons
3. Social contract
4. John Locke
5. Jean-Jacques Rousseau
6. Baron de Montesquieu
7. Philosophes
8. Voltaire
9. Enlightened Despots



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