

Guided reading Napoleon's $Empire\ Collapses$

- **A.** Evaluating Courses of Action As you read about Napoleon's downfall, write notes in the chart to explain how each action contributed to his final defeat.
- 1. Ordered a blockade to prevent trade and communication between Great Britain and other European nations 2. Sent an army to invade Portugal and began the Peninsular War 3. In June 1812, invaded Russia with his **Grand Army** 4. Entered Moscow on September 14, 1812, and stayed in the ruined city for five weeks 5. Raised another army and fought the Battle of Leipzig 6. Escaped Elba, reclaimed title of emperor, and fought Battle of Waterloo
- **B.** Clarifying On the back of this paper, briefly describe the final defeat of Napoleon using the terms **Hundred Days** and **Waterloo**.