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### **The Presidency of Thomas Jefferson: Events & Actions**

**Directions:** Using your secondary reading source, your knowledge of Thomas Jefferson, and your textbook, you will create an informational poster about an event or action of Thomas Jefferson's presidency. Along with your group members, you will be in charge of learning about your event/action, making your poster, and explaining your event to other members of your class. Your poster must include the following:

- Title of event/action
- Date(s) of event/action
- Countries/People involved
- Thomas Jefferson's role in event/action
- A brief summary of your event/action (may bullet point)
- Historical Significance of your event/action
- A brief explanation of whether your event/action demonstrates an increase or decrease in the size/role of government
- A visual representation of your event/action
- A slogan for your event/action

The events/actions from Thomas Jefferson's presidency that we will study are:

- Jefferson and the federal government (including size, budget, navy, etc.)
- Barbary Pirates
- Louisiana Purchase
- Leopard v. Chesapeake
- Embargo Act of 1807

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Your posters will be graded on the following:

- Information Included
- Clarity of Explanation
- Historical Accuracy
- Neatness/Visual Appeal

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