Lesson Reflection

1. What are some of the problems with trying to evaluate Jefferson’s position on the issues presented?

2. Why is it necessary to understand the time period in which Jefferson lived in order to understand his decisions and thoughts?

3. Could Jefferson’s positions on the issues be fairly considered in a modern context? Why or why not?

4. In your opinion, would a man like Thomas Jefferson be a likely candidate for either modern political party? Why or why not?