Timeline – French Revolution 1789-1793 – the overthrow of Louis XVI

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| Date | Event | Significant |
| 5 May 1789 |  |  |
| 17 June 1789 |  |  |
| 20 June 1789 |  |  |
| 14 July 1789 |  |  |
| 20 July 1789 |  |  |
| 4 August 1789 |  |  |
| 26 August 1789 |  |  |
| 5-6 October 1789 |  |  |
| 2 November 1789 |  |  |
| 12 July 1790 |  |  |
| 20 June 1791 |  |  |
| 17 July 1791 |  |  |
| 27 August 1791 |  |  |
| 13 September 1791 |  |  |
| March 1792 |  |  |
| 20 April 1792 |  |  |
| 27 May 1792 |  |  |
| 13 June 1792 |  |  |
| 10 August 1792 |  |  |
| 2-6 September 1792 |  |  |
| 22 September 1792 |  |  |
| 6 November 1792 |  |  |
| 21 Jan 1793 |  |  |
| 11 March 1793 |  |  |
| 16 October 1793 |  |  |
| ‘October Days’ |
| August Decrees |
| Battle of Jemappes |
| Battle of Wattignies |
| Champ de Mars massacre |
| Civil Constitution of the Clergy |
| Declaration of Pillnitz |
| Declarations of the Rights of Man |
| Decree against refractory priests  |
| Estates-General meet |
| Execution of Louis XVI |
| Flight to Varennes |
| Guillotine announced to be used for all public executions |
| Louis XVI accepts the constitution of 1791 |
| National assembly proclaimed |
| Nationalisation of Church property |
| Overthrow of the monarchy |
| Proclamation of the Republic  |
| Prussia declare war on France |
| Revolt in the Vendee |
| September massacres |
| Storming the Bastille |
| Tennis Court Oath |
| The Great Fear |
| War declared on Austria |