Argo

In 1979 there was a revolution in Iran. Why did it happen? What were the causes?

Vocabulary: Match the following vocabulary to their meaning in the table below.

ruthless to nationalize to depose to settle a score to elect to enrage to overthrow a coup d'état

1. When a government of a country takes control of a private	
company or industry	
2. Forcibly remove a person or government from power	1. to
(Two words)	2. to
3. Choose a person by voting	
4. Make someone very angry	
5. Resolve an old conflict, usually without considering the other	
person, often vengeful	
6. Take control of a country with violent or illegal means	
7. Having no pity or compassion, doing something without	
caring about or considering other people	

Questions (Gist): 1. What was Iran formerly called?

2. What did the Iranians call their kings?

3. What happened to the ruler of Iran in 1979?

Question (Detail): Take notes.

Write down the events which led to the Iranian Revolution.