**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Hernan Cortez |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual’s or group’s name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Hernan Cortez |  |
| Malinche |  |
| Montezuma II |  |
| The Aztecs |  |
| The Tlaxcalans |  |

1. What were the main events and when did they occur?

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Arrival of Cortez |  |
|  | March to Tenochtitlan |  |
|  | Arrival in Tenochtitlan |  |
|  | Cortez's Departure |  |
|  | Noche Triste |  |
|  | Fall of Tenochtitlan |  |

1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Tenochtitlan |  |
| Tlaxcala |  |
| Texcoco |  |
| Tlacopan |  |
| Cuba |  |

1. What new words or phrases do you need to understand?

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| **Word or phrase:** | **Short description of this word or phrase:** |
| Conquistador |  |
| Triple Alliance |  |
| Noche Triste |  |

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in your research, answer the question below in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*How was Cortez able to conquer the Aztec empire?*