**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Vietnam War |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual's or group's name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Ho Chi Minh |  |
| Viet Minh |  |
| North Vietnamese Army |  |
| Viet Cong |  |
| U.S. President Lyndon Johnson |  |

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

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Battle of Dien Bien Phu |  |
|  | Gulf of Tonkin Incident |  |
|  | Operation Rolling Thunder |  |
|  | Tet Offensive |  |
|  | My Lai Massacre |  |
|  | Paris Peace Accords |  |
|  | Fall of Saigon |  |

1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Vietnam |  |
| North Vietnam |  |
| South Vietnam |  |
| Dien Bien Phu |  |
| Gulf of Tonkin |  |
| My Lai, South Vietnam |  |
| Saigon (Ho Chi Minh City) |  |

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:** |
| Domino Theory |  |
| Containment |  |
| Guerrilla warfare |  |
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**Paragraph Writing**

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

*What motivated American’s involvement in the Vietnam War?*