**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Slavery |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual’s or group’s name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Portuguese Explorers |  |
| Christopher Columbus |  |
| Spanish Colonizers |  |
| African Tribal Leaders |  |
| European Slave Traders |  |
| Victims of Slavery |  |

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

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Beginning of the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade |  |
|  | Columbus' Voyages to the Americas |  |
|  | Introduction of African Slavery in the Americas |  |
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1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Europe |  |
| Western Africa |  |
| Americas |  |
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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:** |
| Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade |  |
| Triangular Slave Trade |  |
| Middle Passage |  |
| Slavers |  |
| Dehumanisation |  |

**Paragraph Writing**

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

*What motivated Europeans to transport African slaves to the Americas?*