**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | The Gracchi |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual’s or group’s name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Tiberius Gracchus |  |
| Gaius Gracchus |  |
| The Populares |  |
| The Optimates |  |
| Marcus Octavius |  |
| King Attalus III of Pergamon |  |
| Publius Cornelius Scipio Nasica Serapio |  |

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

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Fall of Carthage |  |
|  | Tiberius Gracchus' Tribunate |  |
|  | Death of King Attalus III |  |
|  | Death of Tiberius Gracchus |  |
|  | Gaius Gracchus' Tribunate |  |
|  | Death of Gaius Gracchus |  |

1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Etruria |  |
| Pergamon |  |
| Aventine Hill |  |
| Capitoline Hill |  |

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:** |
| Tribune of the Plebs |  |
| Latifundia |  |
| iugera |  |
| Agrarian Reform |  |
| "Grain Dole" |  |
| Senatus consultum ultimum |  |

**Paragraph Writing**

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

*Why was the Roman senate so opposed to the reforms proposed by Tiberius and Gaius?*