**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Jewish People during the Middle Ages |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual’s or group’s name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Rabbis |  |
| Maimonides |  |
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1. What were the main events and when did they occur?

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Destruction of the Second Temple |  |
|  | Start of the First Crusade |  |
|  | Jewish Emancipation in France |  |
|  | Pogroms in the Russian Empire |  |

1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Jerusalem |  |
| Babylon |  |
| Iberian Peninsula |  |
| Al-Andalus, Spain |  |
| Rhineland |  |

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:** |
| Diaspora |  |
| Rabbinic Judaism |  |
| Halakha |  |
| Mishnah |  |
| Talmud |  |
| Yeshivas |  |
| Pogrom |  |
| Age of Emancipation |  |

**Paragraph Writing**

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

*How did Rabbinic Judaism shape Jewish thought, practice, and daily life after the destruction of the Second Temple?*