**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Charlemagne |

1. Who was involved?

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|  **Individual's or group's name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Charlemagne |  |
| Merovingian Dynasty |  |
| Charles Martel |  |
| Pepin the Short |  |
| Louis the Pious |  |

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

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Clovis's Conversion |  |
|  | Battle of Tours |  |
|  | Anointing of Pepin |  |
|  | Death of Pepin the Short |  |
|  | Charlemagne's Coronation |  |
|  | Charlemagne's Death |  |

1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Roman Gaul |  |
| Aachen or Liège |  |
| Pavia, Italy |  |
| Aachen Cathedral |  |

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:** |
| Carolingian Empire |  |
| Carolingian Renaissance |  |
| missi dominici |  |
| capitularies |  |

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have discovered in your background research, answer the question below in paragraph format:

*What are the greatest achievements and failures during Charlemagne’s rule?*