**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Fall of France |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual’s or group’s name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| British Expeditionary Force (BEF) |  |
| Adolf Hitler |  |
| Winston Churchill |  |
| Vice-Admiral Bertram Ramsay |  |

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

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| **Date:** | **Title of event:** | **Short description of this event:** |
|  | Germany invades Poland |  |
|  | Germany invades Denmark and Norway |  |
|  | German invasion of the Netherlands and Belgium |  |
|  | Netherlands surrenders |  |
|  | Dunkirk evacuation ('Operation Dynamo') |  |
|  | German invasion of France |  |
|  | Capture of Paris |  |
|  | France surrenders |  |

1. Where were the important locations?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Maginot Line |  |
| Ardennes Forest |  |
| Sedan, France |  |
| Dunkirk, France |  |
| Vichy, France |  |

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:** |
| Phoney War |  |
| Blitzkrieg |  |
| Pincer movement |  |
| Operation Dynamo |  |
| Armistice |  |

**Paragraph Writing**

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

*What were the important events that led to the German conquest of France?*