**Internet Research Worksheet**

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| Topic under investigation: | Fall of Singapore in WWII |

1. Who was involved?

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| **Individual’s or group’s name:** | **Short description of this person or group:** |
| Tomoyuki Yamashita |  |
| Lieutenant General Arthur Percival |  |
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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:** |
|  | Japanese land in Malaya |  |
|  | Sinking of HMS Repulse and HMS Prince of Wales |  |
|  | Battle of Kuala Lumpur |  |
|  | Battle of Singapore begins |  |
|  | Alexandra Hospital massacre |  |
|  | Singapore surrenders |  |
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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:** |
| Malaya |  |
| Singapore |  |
| South China Sea |  |
| Kuala Lumpur |  |

1. Where were the important terms?

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| **Name of city, country or location:** | **Short description of this location:** |
| Singapore Strategy |  |
| HMS Repulse and HMS Prince of Wales |  |
| Singapore Coast-Defence Batteries |  |
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**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 fall of Singapore a* [*significant*](https://www.historyskills.com/historical-knowledge/significance/) *event in WWII?*