**Vietnam Webquest**

**Directions:**

1. Take out your OWN sheet of paper

2. Write Vietnam Webquest Notes at the top of the paper

3. WRITE EACH QUESTION AND YOUR ANSWER TO EACH QUESTION

Webquest Questions:

1. What modern-day country was known as Indochina?

2. Who controlled this area in the early 1900s?

3. Who was Ho Chi Minh?

4. What happened at the Geneva Conference?

5. Why was Vietnam divided into north and south territories? Who controlled each?

6. Using this primary source, explain what President Eisenhower offered to Vietnam in 1954: <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/vietnam/psources/ps_eisenhower.html>

7. What year did the Vietnam War end?

8. Is Vietnam still a communist country today? Explain.

Use this website: <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/vietnam/maps/map_pop_intro.html> to answer questions 9-10.

9. Using the maps, describe how Vietnam was split. What city was important to North Vietnam? What city was important to South Vietnam?

10. What was the Ho Chi Minh trail? Why was it important?

11. Who were the Vietminh?

12. How are communism and the Vietnam War connected?

13. What is the Domino Theory?

14. What was the Tet Offensive?

15. How did many people in the US react to the Vietnam War? Consider the songs listed below.

RESOURCES:

<http://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-pacific-16567315>

<http://www.hrw.org/news/2014/01/21/vietnam-communist-party-tightens-grip>

<http://www.pbs.org/frontlineworld/educators/history_vietnam.html>

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/vietnam/maps/map_pop_intro.html>

<http://www.state.gov/p/eap/ci/vm/>

<http://www.history.com/topics/vietnam-war>

<http://www.history.com/topics/vietnam-war/vietnam-war-history/videos/tet-offensive?m=528e38969e64d>

<http://www.history.com/topics/us-presidents/richard-m-nixon>

<https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/vm.html>

<http://www.history.com/topics/cold-war/domino-theory>

Links to YouTube Songs:

Creedence Clearwater Revival, Fortunate Son

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=40JmEj0_aVM&autoplay=1&app=desktop>

Bruce Springsteen, Born in the USA

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?autoplay=1&v=OuJUq58VQXQ&app=desktop>