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Worksheet: Structured Historical Paragraph Tool

Topic Sentence: Introduce the topic/main idea that you will explain in the paragraph.

Historical Context: Provide background information to help the reader better understand the historical forces.

Introduce the Evidence: Provide background about the evidence that will help your audience to better understand it.

Evidence: Provide the fact(s) that support the topic sentence. Citations should be provided.

Discussion: Discuss/Analyze the ideas presented in the evidence.

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