

GUIDED READING AND REVIEW

SECTION 1

Deepening American Involvement

A. As You Read

As you read Section 1, complete the chart by writing one effect of each cause. Then add your own cause-and-effect entry to the chart.

Cause: South Vietnam and the United States feared that elections would remove Diem from power.	1. Effect:
2. Cause: Diem was a corrupt and intolerant ruler of South Vietnam.	2. Effect:
3. Cause: United States officials suggested that they would not object to Diem's overthrow.	3. Effect:
4. Cause: North Vietnamese torpedo boats attacked American destroyers in the Gulf of Tonkin.	4. Effect:
5. Cause: The Viet Cong and North Vietnamese launched a major offensive during Tet.	5. Effect:
6. Cause:	6. Effect:

B. REVIEWING KEY TERMS

7. Geneva Conference

Define or identify each of the following terms.

8. Viet Cong		
9. escalation		
10. Ho Chi Minh Trail		