



Section 2

RETEACHING ACTIVITY *Involvement and Escalation***Finding Main Ideas**

The following questions deal with America's entry into the Vietnam War. Answer them in the space provided.

1. How did most Americans react to President Johnson's decision to commit troops to the war in Vietnam? Why?

2. What difficulties did U.S. troops encounter in Vietnam?

3. What actions by U.S. troops hindered the effort to win the support of Vietnamese villagers?

4. What factors led to a decline in the morale of many U.S. soldiers?

5. How did the Vietnam War affect President Johnson's Great Society?

6. What role did television play in increasing Americans' doubts about the war effort?
