

Section 3, pp. 742 – 747 A Nation Divided

As you read this section, take notes to answer the questions:

Avoiding the War

1. What were some of the ways that young American men avoided military service in Vietnam?
2. In what sense was the Vietnam War a “working-class” war? How did it become one?

Opposing the War

3. What organizations and groups of Americans tended to oppose the war?
4. What were some of the reasons that “doves” opposed the war?
5. In what ways did they show their opposition to the war?

Defending the War

6. By 1967, how did most Americans feel about U.S. involvement in the Vietnam War?
7. Why did “hawks” criticize the Johnson administration’s policies in Vietnam?