USHistory **Ch. 22 sec. 2 Textbook Questions** Name:

Read Ch. 22 sec. 2and answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

1. Who was the U.S. President in 1965? Secretary of Defense? Secretary of State?

2. In 1965, what **percent** of Americans surveyed ***supported*** the U.S. policy in Vietnam?

3. How many American soldiers had been sent to Vietnam by the end of 1965?

4. What was the **ARVN**?

5. What military tactics did the Vietcong use to their advantage against the U.S.’s high-powered weaponry?

6. What is meant by a “**war of attrition**”?

7. What was the concept of **body count**?

8. What two countries did the Vietcong receive supplies from?

9. The US viewed the conflict as a military struggle. How did the Vietcong see the war?

10. What is **Napalm**? What is **Agent Orange**?

11. List *three* factors that caused the morale of U.S. troops to drop in Vietnam.

12. The textbook states that South Vietnam was fighting a “civil war within a civil war.” Explain what the textbook means.

13. How did the **inflation** rate change during the 1960s?

14. How was Vietnam’s first “**living room war**”?

15. What was meant by the “**credibility gap**” with the Johnson Administration?