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## The Globetrotting American Flag

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. One possible cultural experience in India could be learning about the significance of Diwali, the Festival of Lights, and how it is celebrated. The flag might have taken part in lighting lamps and enjoyed the festive atmosphere.
2. The flag contributed to spreading goodwill by learning about different cultures, respecting local customs, and making friends around the world. For example, in Egypt, it engaged in conversations with locals, showing interest in their history and traditions.
3. The flag chose to return to the United States because it realized that while it had enjoyed its adventures around the world, its true home was in America, where it could continue to inspire unity and goodwill.
4. Answers will vary, but a student might find the lessons about unity, the importance of understanding other cultures, and the value of friendship as the most meaningful experiences from the flag's world tour.

