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Rulers of Oz

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers will vary. Some may choose Glinda because she is kind, while others may find the Wizard's cleverness interesting.
2. Some may say the people of Oz should not have trusted the Wizard because he was lying, while others might argue that he still tried to help in the end.
3. The story suggests that good leaders should help and guide their people rather than scare or trick them.
4. Students may choose historical or modern leaders who inspire, lead kindly, or use their position for good or bad.

