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The Library Detective

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Lily's love for reading and her role as the Library Detective intersected as she used her detective skills to protect the library and the books she cherished.
2. Good detectives possess qualities such as curiosity, attention to detail, problem-solving abilities, and perseverance, which Lily demonstrated in her investigation.
3. Whiskers added an element of surprise and humor by accidentally becoming a part of the mystery when he sought refuge inside the ancient manuscript.
4. Libraries are important because they provide access to knowledge, foster a love for reading, and serve as a hub for community activities, as depicted in the story.

