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Hidden Truths

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Responses should discuss how dramatic irony makes the audience feel involved, nervous, or excited.
2. Students should consider whether keeping the ghost's secret helped or hurt Hamlet's plan.
3. Responses should explain how dramatic irony builds tension and provide an example from another story.
4. Students should explore different ways Hamlet could have responded to Claudius and how the story might have changed.

