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Decoding Tennis: The Anatomy of a Tennis Match

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Imagine you are a tennis player serving to start a crucial match. Describe the thoughts and emotions you might experience as you prepare to serve, and explain why the serve is such a critical moment in a tennis match.
2. Discuss the importance of strategy and adaptability in tennis, especially during a long rally. Provide an example of a strategic choice a player might make during a rally.
3. Explain the concept of "breaking serve" in tennis. How does it impact the outcome of a match, and what strategies can players use to achieve it?
4. Reflect on a tennis match you have watched or played. Describe a memorable moment or point from the match and how it exemplified the key elements of tennis, such as skill, strategy, or sportsmanship.

