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## April Follies in Time Travel

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers may vary, but students might choose historical figures like Albert Einstein and play a science-themed prank to surprise him, or they could choose Shakespeare and create a humorous play as a prank.
2. If Napoleon had become a comedian, the world might have seen fewer wars and conflicts during his time. His ability to make people laugh could have resulted in stronger diplomatic relations and a different course of history.
3. Answers may vary, but students might argue that Timmy made the right decision because he embraced the unexpected consequences of his prank and used humor to spread positivity. Alternatively, some might argue that he should have tried to undo the disruption to history.
4. Timmy learned that even well-intentioned pranks can have unintended consequences and that the power of laughter can bring people together and create positive changes in the world. He discovered that humor and laughter have the ability to bridge gaps and heal divisions.

