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Exploring Illinois' Diverse Climate

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of Illinois' diverse climate, considering its impact on agriculture, tourism, and residents' daily lives.
2. Imagine you are planning a visit to Illinois. Based on what you've learned about its climate, what season would you choose for your trip, and why? Provide details about the activities and experiences you'd like to enjoy during your visit.
3. Climate change is a global concern. How might variations in Illinois' climate patterns, such as more frequent severe weather events or changing temperature trends, affect the state and its residents in the future?
4. Think about how Illinois' climate affects the state's economy. Identify specific industries or businesses that benefit from the different seasons and weather patterns in Illinois, and explain how they do so.

