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Screen's Allure: A Sonnet on Digital Temptation

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers will vary, but students may share personal experiences or observations about how screen time can be tempting and the consequences it may have on sleep or outdoor activities.
2. "It's time to unplug, to break the screen's spell" suggests that it is essential to disconnect from screens and resist their allure to regain control of one's time and prioritize real-life experiences.
3. The poem emphasizes the importance of cherishing real-life experiences over screen time to highlight the value of genuine connections, outdoor adventures, and the beauty of the real world.
4. In your own words, explain the message the poem conveys about finding balance between screen time and real-life connections. The poem conveys the message that while screens may be tempting and alluring, it is crucial to find a balance by disconnecting from screens and cherishing real-life connections and experiences. It suggests that spending too much time on screens can have negative consequences, such as disrupted sleep, and that the true beauty of life lies in the real world, not on screens.

