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The Time Traveler's Dilemma

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. The town clock's magical powers served as a central plot element, driving the story's conflict by transporting Lucy to the past and setting the stage for her adventure. Its mysterious abilities created a sense of wonder and intrigue.
2. Lucy's friendship with Amelia and Max was crucial in helping her adapt to the 1920s and solve the mysteries surrounding the clock. Their support and unique skills allowed Lucy to navigate the challenges of the past effectively.
3. Answers may vary, but students should provide reasoning for their choice. They might consider the potential consequences of altering history and the ethical implications of such actions.
4. Potential consequences of tampering with time in the story include altering the course of events, potentially erasing important historical moments, and creating unintended consequences for the future. Changing the past can have far-reaching effects on the timeline.

