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## Japan's Thriving Economy - From Samurai to Super Tech

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Describe the historical events that led to Japan's rapid economic modernization during the Meiji Restoration.
2. Discuss the impact of Japan's aging population on its economy and society, and the measures taken to address these challenges.
3. Explore the role of innovation and technology in Japan's economic success, providing examples of how Japanese companies have influenced global markets.
4. How do Japan's cultural values, such as attention to detail and craftsmanship, contribute to the nation's economic competitiveness?

