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Ellis Island and War

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers will vary. Some students might say immigrants felt scared because they didn't know what would happen to them.
2. Answers will vary. Some students might say it was fair to protect the country, while others might say it was unfair because many immigrants were innocent.
3. Answers will vary. A student might say a refugee would feel grateful for safety but also nervous about starting over.
4. Answers will vary. Some students might say it's important because many families today have ancestors who passed through Ellis Island.

