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Emperor Shi Huangdi: The Visionary Ruler of Ancient China

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss the methods employed by Emperor Shi Huangdi to consolidate power and unify China, considering both achievements and controversies.
2. Analyze the lasting impact of the standardized writing system introduced during the Qin Dynasty, emphasizing its role in the development of the Chinese writing system.
3. Evaluate the influence of Legalism on the governance of the Qin Dynasty, examining the advantages and disadvantages of this philosophy.
4. Explore the significance of the Terracotta Army as a representation of Emperor Shi Huangdi's rule and military strategy, considering its historical and artistic value.

