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Flawed Lessons

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

(Answers will vary; here are possible responses.)

1. A student might write about questioning an unfair rule at school or realizing that something they were taught was not correct.
2. Some people may follow traditions or fear change, leading them to act unfairly even when they believe in kindness.
3. If Huck followed what he learned in school and church, he might have turned Jim in, preventing his own moral growth.
4. Twain suggests that learning from experience teaches deeper lessons than memorizing rules from books or listening to teachings without thinking critically.

