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## Forced to Work

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. I would feel upset because slavery was unfair and forced people to work without freedom. However, some colonists accepted it because it helped the economy.
2. The effects can still be seen in racial inequalities, economic systems, and cultural influences from African traditions.
3. Some enslaved people resisted by escaping, slowing down work, or secretly learning to read and write.
4. Slavery lasted because it made plantation owners wealthy, and laws were made to keep it legal.

