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Discovering the Geography of Michigan

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. How does the geography of Michigan, with its extensive coastline along the Great Lakes, influence the state's culture, economy, and recreational opportunities?
2. Discuss the importance of the Mackinac Bridge in connecting the two peninsulas of Michigan. How has this bridge contributed to the state's development and accessibility?
3. Explore the role of national forests in Michigan's geography and outdoor activities. Provide examples of how these natural resources benefit residents and visitors alike.
4. Michigan's Upper Peninsula is renowned for its natural beauty and wilderness. Explain how the geography of this region has shaped its unique identity and outdoor recreational opportunities.

