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## Discovering the Garden State: Geography of New Jersey

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Reflect on the significance of New Jersey's diverse geography, from mountains and forests to coastal plains and urban centers. How does this diversity influence the state's culture and economy?
2. Consider the impact of geography on the development of tourism in New Jersey, particularly along the Jersey Shore. How has the state's coastline influenced its identity and economy?
3. Explore the importance of preserving natural areas like the Pine Barrens in New Jersey. What measures can be taken to protect and sustain these unique landscapes for future generations?
4. Discuss the challenges and advantages of being a small state with a diverse geography. How does New Jersey's size influence its sense of community and regional identity?

