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Guarding the Empire: The Great Wall of China's Purpose

Short Answer

1. Who was the first emperor to work on connecting the separate walls into one unified Great Wall, and during which period did this occur?
2. Explain the role of the Ming Dynasty in the construction and fortification of the Great Wall.
3. How did the Great Wall control trade and collect customs duties?
4. What cultural significance does the Great Wall hold in China, and why is it considered a symbol of historical resilience?

