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Henry Moore: Shaping the World of Sculpture

Short Answer Key

1. Henry Moore's experiences in World War I led him to appreciate the physical labor of miners, which influenced his art by inspiring his fascination with the human figure and the laboring body.
2. Recurring themes in Henry Moore's sculptures include the human figure, mother-and-child relationships, and biomorphic abstractions.
3. Henry Moore's use of various materials in his sculptures allowed him to experiment with texture, form, and size, expanding the possibilities of sculpture.
4. An example of a well-known public space with one of Henry Moore's sculptures is the "Nuclear Energy" sculpture at the University of Chicago.
5. Henry Moore's influence on sculpture continues to shape contemporary artists by inspiring them to explore the human figure, abstraction, and the use of natural materials in their own works.

