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A World of School Days: Exploring Differences in Learning Hours

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Compare and contrast the educational priorities and values that influence the differences in school hours and daily routines between Japan and Sweden.
2. In your opinion, which country's approach to education (longer school days with more learning opportunities or shorter school days with a focus on well-being) is more effective, and why?
3. Discuss the impact of school hours and daily routines on the well-being of students. How can longer or shorter school days affect their physical and mental health?
4. Imagine you are a student in a country with a longer school day. Describe your daily routine and the challenges and benefits you might experience.

