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The Road to the NFL: How to Become a National Football League Player

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss the importance of youth football and high school football in the development of aspiring NFL players. What skills and experiences do they gain during these stages, and how do they contribute to their future success?
2. Explore the challenges and setbacks that aspiring NFL players might face during their journey. How can resilience and determination help them overcome these obstacles?
3. Describe the off-field responsibilities of NFL players and why character and professionalism are valued attributes in the league. Provide examples of NFL players who have made a positive impact off the field.
4. Imagine you are a college football player with aspirations of making it to the NFL. Explain the steps you would take to prepare for the NFL Draft and increase your chances of being drafted by an NFL team.

