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Hardships of the Industrial Revolution: Working Conditions and Labor Struggles

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Analyze the impact of long working hours and their effects on the physical and social well-being of workers during the Industrial Revolution.
2. Discuss the role of child labor in factories and its consequences for both children and families. How did society address this issue over time?
3. Explore the challenges faced by labor unions and workers' rights advocates during the early stages of labor movements. What strategies did they employ to improve conditions for workers?
4. Reflect on the lasting legacy of the Industrial Revolution on labor laws, workers' rights, and workplace safety regulations in contemporary society.

