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How Scientists Use Satellites and Balloons to Study the Atmosphere

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Imagine you are a scientist using a satellite. What kind of information would you want it to collect and why?

2. Why is it important for scientists to study all the different layers of the atmosphere, not just the lower ones?

3. How might studying the atmosphere help keep people safe?

4. What would happen if we didn't have tools like weather balloons or satellites?

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