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Exploring Literary Devices in The Scarlet Letter

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss how symbolism is used in "The Scarlet Letter" to convey deeper themes and ideas. Provide examples from the text to support your analysis.
2. Explore the allegorical elements of "The Scarlet Letter" and how characters and events represent abstract concepts and moral dilemmas.
3. Analyze the use of tone in the novel and how it reflects the moral seriousness of the Puritan society and the characters' moral dilemmas.
4. How does Hawthorne's use of metaphor enhance the reader's understanding of the scarlet letter "A" and its significance in the story? Provide examples from the text.

