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## Rivals of Destiny: The Epic Punic Wars

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss the significance of the Punic Wars in shaping the destiny of Rome and Carthage. How did these conflicts transform the course of history in the Mediterranean?
2. Compare and contrast the strategies and tactics employed by Rome and Carthage during the Punic Wars. What were their respective strengths and weaknesses?
3. Reflect on the character of Hannibal and his audacious campaign. What were some of the key moments and battles that defined his leadership during the Second Punic War?
4. Consider the consequences of Carthage's defeat in the Third Punic War. How did this event mark the end of an era for the city-state, and what lessons can be drawn from it?

