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Republic: The Power of the People

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Reflect on the role of individual rights and freedoms in a republic and how they contribute to the well-being and happiness of citizens.
2. Discuss the challenges of campaigning and elections in a republic, including concerns about the influence of money and special interest groups. How can these challenges be addressed to maintain a fair and transparent electoral process?
3. In your opinion, can a republic strike a balance between efficient decision-making and ensuring representation of diverse opinions? How can this balance be achieved?
4. Consider the role of citizen participation in a republic. How can civic education and engagement be promoted to enhance the effectiveness of a republic as a government system?

