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Samba, Sun, and Soccer: A Journey to Rio de Janeiro

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. What aspects of Rio de Janeiro's beaches do you think make them famous and attractive to visitors?
2. How do you think the author felt when they reached the summit of Corcovado Mountain and saw the panoramic view of Rio de Janeiro?
3. Why do you think Carnival is such an important and lively celebration in Rio de Janeiro, and how do you think it adds to the city's culture?
4. How do you think learning to dance samba and experiencing the rhythms of Rio contributed to the author's understanding of Brazilian culture and the city's energy?

