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## Robert De Niro: A Legendary Actor's Journey

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. (Answers may vary; e.g., "Robert De Niro's method acting and total immersion into characters have contributed to his success by making his performances authentic and emotionally resonant. His ability to fully inhabit the characters he plays allows audiences to connect with the complex emotions and experiences of those characters.")
2. (Answers may vary; e.g., "Robert De Niro's co-founding of the Tribeca Film Festival has played a crucial role in promoting independent and international cinema. The festival provides a platform for diverse voices in filmmaking and has revitalized Lower Manhattan, making it a cultural hub for cinema enthusiasts.")
3. (Answers may vary; e.g., "I would choose Robert De Niro to play a retired detective in a gripping crime thriller. His experience in portraying intense and layered characters would bring depth to the role. De Niro's ability to convey the complexities of a retired detective's life and the challenges he faces would make the character truly compelling.")
4. (Answers may vary; e.g., "Robert De Niro's dramatic acting style often involves deep emotional exploration and physical transformations to embody complex characters. In contrast, his comedic acting style showcases his timing and ability to deliver humor with finesse. While both styles are exceptional, his dramatic roles have earned him critical acclaim and multiple awards.")

