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## Cracking the Code: Understanding the Scoring System in Gymnastics

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss the importance of artistic expression and presentation in gymnastics routines and how it influences the Execution score.
2. Compare and contrast the roles of Difficulty judges and Execution judges in evaluating gymnastics routines.
3. How do gymnasts and coaches strategize to balance high Difficulty scores with precise Execution in their routines?
4. Describe the impact of deductions on a gymnast's final score and how they reflect the overall quality of a routine.

