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Cracking the Code: Understanding California's Tax System

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss the impact of income tax on individuals and the importance of a progressive tax system in California.
2. Explain how local sales tax rates can vary within California and the role of sales tax revenue in supporting local government services.
3. Analyze the significance of property taxes for funding education and public safety in local communities.
4. Describe the relationship between gasoline taxes and infrastructure maintenance in California, and how this tax affects consumers.

