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The Curious Case of the Time-Traveling Telescope

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. The ability of the telescope to see into the past was significant in Alex's journey because it allowed him to witness historic events firsthand, gain knowledge, and inspire his own scientific pursuits.
2. Alex felt a great responsibility when using the time-traveling telescope, as he understood the potential consequences of interfering with history. He handled it by ensuring he did not disrupt natural events and used his knowledge wisely.
3. Answers may vary, but students can choose a historical event or era they would want to witness through a time-traveling telescope and explain their choice based on personal interest or curiosity.
4. The theme of scientific curiosity in Alex's story highlights the importance of curiosity and exploration in advancing human knowledge and technology. It shows how a curious mind can lead to positive contributions to society and the world.

