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Texts from the Future

Open Ended Questions

1. Explore the theme of curiosity in the story and how Tim's initial response to the mysterious text messages reflects his curiosity. How does his curiosity lead him on an unexpected journey?
2. Discuss the impact of the advice Tim receives from his "future self" on his life. How does it affect his decisions and outcomes, and what does this reveal about the influence of foreknowledge on human behavior?
3. Analyze the role of technology and privacy invasion in the story. How does the hidden app on Tim's phone raise questions about the potential risks of technology and the invasion of personal information?
4. Reflect on the ambiguous and surreal nature of the text messages Tim receives. How does this surrealism contribute to the story's humor and intrigue, and what does it convey about the unpredictable nature of the future?

