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Wright Brothers: Pioneers of Powered Flight

Short Answer

1. Explain the key innovation of the Wright Brothers' three-axis control system and its importance in aviation.
2. Describe the significance of the Wright Flyer's first powered flight on December 17, 1903.
3. How did the Wright Brothers continue to improve their aircraft and demonstrate its reliability after their first flight?
4. What challenges did the Wright Brothers face in gaining recognition for their invention, and how did they overcome them?
5. Discuss the lasting legacy of the Wright Brothers' invention in the world of aviation and its impact on modern life.

