

History of the Kansas State Fair-Answer Key

Answer Key to Questions in Step 1

1. **Answers may vary.** Example response: Farmers enjoyed the fair because they could learn new things about farming, enter their livestock and farm products in competitions, and enjoy the different amusements the fair offered for the day.
2. **Answers may vary.** Example response: The fair was educational in that there were exhibits where people could learn different things about farming and technology. It was also fun because people could play games and go on rides.
3. **Answers may vary.** Example response: One way that today's fair is similar to the older fairs is that it continues to have exhibits and competitions for farmers and amusement rides. One way that the fair of today is different from the older fairs is that new competitions are added and more people attend.
4. **Answers may vary.** Example response: One reason that the state fair continues is because people enjoy being together, eating, food, and being entertained.