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Idea Connect

Directions: Read each short part of the Gettysburg Address below. Match it to the correct kid-friendly summary by writing the summary letter in the blank.

____ 1. "Long ago, our nation was started on the belief that all people deserve freedom."

____ 2. "Now we are in a huge war that tests whether our country can stay together."

____ 3. "We have come to this battlefield to honor those who fought here."

____ 4. "We cannot change or add to what the brave soldiers did."

____ 5. "Our job now is to keep working so their sacrifice leads to a stronger nation with freedom for everyone."

A. We must continue their work so

America has freedom for all.

B. We gather here to show respect to the soldiers who fought.

C. Our country was created so everyone could be free.

D. We cannot ever match the courage shown by the soldiers here.

E. The war will show if our country can survive united.