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## The Voyage of Consequences

### Short Answer Key

1. Columbus and his crew disrupted ecosystems by introducing non-native species, exploiting natural resources, and causing pollution, which upset the balance of the environment.
2. Introducing non-native species led to the decline of indigenous flora and fauna, altering the ecosystems and causing harm to the environment.
3. The exploitation of natural resources resulted in deforestation, soil erosion, and pollution, negatively impacting the environment.
4. The allegory emphasizes the importance of responsible exploration and conservation to protect the environment from the consequences of human actions.

