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Bass and Their Underwater Relationships

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is parasitism?
 - a) When both species benefit
 - b) When one species benefits and the other is harmed
 - c) When neither species is affected
 - d) When both species are harmed

2. What type of relationship involves one species benefiting without harming the other?
 - a) Parasitism
 - b) Mutualism
 - c) Commensalism
 - d) Competition

3. How do cleaner fish help bass in a mutualistic relationship?
 - a) By eating scraps left by the bass
 - b) By helping bass catch prey
 - c) By hiding near the bass for protection
 - d) By removing parasites from the bass

4. What might smaller fish gain by following a bass?
 - a) A chance to eat leftover food
 - b) A free ride through the water
 - c) Protection from predators
 - d) A place to lay eggs

5. How do bass help keep ecosystems balanced?
 - a) By cleaning the water
 - b) By eating plants
 - c) By controlling populations of smaller species
 - d) By protecting smaller fish

