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What's on the Beetle Menu?

Short Answer Key

1. Herbivorous beetles eat leaves, stems, flowers, seeds, or nuts.
2. Ground beetles use their speed and strong mandibles to catch prey.
3. Omnivorous beetles can eat many kinds of food, which helps them survive in different environments.
4. Dung beetles roll balls of dung to their burrows to eat later.
5. Beetles balance plant and insect populations and recycle nutrients.

