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Does a Cheetah Form Relationships with Other Species?

Short Answer Key

1. Parasitism occurs when one species benefits while harming the other. Parasites like ticks feed on cheetah blood, weakening them.
2. A mutualistic relationship could involve scavengers like vultures benefiting from cheetah leftovers while warning cheetahs of danger.
3. Scavengers benefit by feeding on the remains of prey left behind by cheetahs.
4. Mutualism benefits both species, while commensalism benefits one without affecting the other.
5. Cheetahs are solitary hunters and do not rely on cooperation with other species for survival.

