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### What's on the Menu for a Clownfish?

#### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. (Example response) Having a varied diet helps clownfish survive because they can eat different foods depending on what is available.
2. Coral reefs provide plenty of food sources, like plankton, algae, and small creatures.
3. Without sea anemones, clownfish would lose their protection from predators and a source of food leftovers.
4. (Example response) If I were a clownfish, I would swim near my sea anemone to catch plankton and nibble on algae. I would also look for small shrimp that come close to my home.