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Guardians of the Planet: A Day in the Life of an Environmental Scientist

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Imagine you are an Environmental Scientist specializing in marine ecosystems. Describe some of the challenges you might face in your fieldwork, and how you would work to address them.
2. Explain the concept of an "environmental impact assessment" and why it is important for Environmental Scientists and conservation efforts.
3. How can Environmental Scientists balance the need for development and economic growth with their mission to protect the environment?
4. Discuss the importance of community engagement and collaboration in the work of Environmental Scientists, and provide an example of a successful conservation project that involved local communities.

