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Goldfish: A Small Fish with a Big Role

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Why do you think goldfish are important for keeping their habitats healthy?
2. How might the ecosystem change if goldfish did not eat mosquito larvae or algae?
3. If you were designing a pond for goldfish, what features would you include to support their role in the ecosystem?
4. What are some ways people can make sure goldfish don't harm ecosystems when they are kept as pets?

