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Grasshoppers in Danger: Predators and Threats

Short Answer Key

1. Birds (like robins) and frogs are two animals that eat grasshoppers.
2. Droughts can destroy plants that grasshoppers eat, making it hard for them to find food.
3. Pesticides can poison grasshoppers, even if they are not the main target.
4. Grasshoppers avoid being seen by blending into their environment and jumping away quickly.
5. Parasites and diseases can make grasshoppers weak and may even kill them.

