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Guppy Survival: Facing Predators and Dangers

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Guppies' ability to reproduce quickly helps them recover their population if some guppies are eaten by predators or affected by disease.
2. Humans could help protect guppies by reducing pollution, preserving their habitats, and avoiding introducing harmful species into their environments.
3. Guppies face many threats because they are small, live in open environments, and are prey for many animals. Environmental changes and human activities also add to these challenges.
4. If you observed guppies in their natural habitat, you might see them hiding in plants, darting away from predators, or swimming together in schools for protection.

