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The Hippopotamus: An Ecosystem Helper

Short Answer

1. How do hippos help prevent plant overgrowth?

2. What is nutrient recycling, and how do hippos contribute to it?

3. How do hippos help other animals find water during dry seasons?

4. What do hippos eat, and when do they usually eat?

5. Why is it important to protect hippos and their habitats?

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