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The Magnificent Iguana

Short Answer Key

1. Most iguanas are green, but they can also be brown, gray, or blue.
2. Iguanas protect themselves using their spines, tail whips, and by blending into their environment.
3. The dewlap is a flap of skin under the chin used for communication and defense.
4. Iguanas' sharp claws and long toes help them climb trees and grip branches.
5. The tail can be used to whip predators and can detach to help the iguana escape.

