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A Day in the Life of a Mosquito

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. (Example response) Some mosquitoes might be active during the day because they live in areas where they need to avoid predators that come out at night. Others prefer night because it's cooler and safer.
2. (Example response) It's interesting that mosquitoes form swarms, but it makes me wonder how people near those areas stay safe from bites.
3. (Example response) If mosquitoes didn't gather in groups, it might be harder for them to find mates, and their population could decrease.
4. (Example response) I would see the mosquito searching for food, resting under leaves, and maybe joining a swarm to find a mate.

