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## What Does a Praying Mantis Look Like?

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. The praying mantis's legs are perfect for grabbing prey, and its head helps it spot prey from far away, making it a skilled hunter.
2. Camouflage is important because it helps the praying mantis hide from predators and sneak up on its prey.
3. While observing a mantis, I noticed it blended in with the green leaves, making it almost invisible to other animals.
4. The mantis's ability to scare predators with its wings can give it time to escape or make the predator lose interest.

