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Threats and Dangers Faced by Rhinoceroses

Short Answer Key

1. Lions and hyenas are two predators that might attack rhino calves.
2. Adult rhinos don't face many threats because of their size and thick skin.
3. Keratin is the material rhino horns are made of, and poachers hunt rhinos because some people wrongly believe the horns have special healing powers.
4. Habitat loss limits the areas where rhinos can live, making it harder for them to find food and water.
5. Conservationists protect rhinos by creating wildlife reserves and enforcing laws against poaching.

