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The Role of a Rhinoceros in the Ecosystem

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is one way rhinos help maintain grasslands?
 - A. They plant trees with their horns
 - B. They graze and clear overgrown plants
 - C. They dig holes for rain to collect
 - D. They chase away predators

2. How do rhinos spread seeds?
 - A. By carrying them on their backs
 - B. By dropping them while running
 - C. Through their dung after eating fruits and leaves
 - D. By using their tails to scatter them

3. What do rhinos create when they walk through thick vegetation?
 - A. Shelters for birds
 - B. Trails that other animals can use
 - C. Large holes in the ground
 - D. Tall piles of plants

4. Why are rhino populations important for plant diversity?
 - A. They help plants grow by spreading seeds
 - B. They eat all the harmful plants
 - C. They protect plants from animals that eat them
 - D. They bring rain to dry areas

5. What happens to ecosystems when rhino populations decrease?
 - A. The soil becomes too wet for plants to grow
 - B. More predators move into the area
 - C. New water sources appear naturally
 - D. Grasslands become overgrown and less diverse

