Name _____

Does a Squirrel Form Relationships with Other Species?

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Why do you think squirrels sometimes forget where they bury their food? Do you think this is an accident or something that helps the environment?

2. How might squirrels benefit from having fleas or ticks, even though it harms them?

3. In what other ways might squirrels help their environment besides spreading seeds?

4. Do you think the squirrel's relationship with other species is important for maintaining a healthy ecosystem? Why or why not?

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