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The Amazing Stick Insect

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Camouflage helps stick insects avoid predators by making them nearly invisible while they sit still on trees or plants.
2. If stick insects couldn't hide from predators, they might be eaten more often and have a harder time surviving.
3. Stick insect eggs look like seeds, which keeps predators from noticing or eating them. This helps more eggs survive to hatch.
4. As a stick insect, I would hide on a tree branch during the day to avoid predators. At night, I would climb down to eat leaves and flowers before returning to my hiding spot.

