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Stick Insects and Their Relationships with Other Species

Short Answer Key

1. The three types of relationships are mutualism, parasitism, and commensalism.
2. Trees provide shelter and protection for stick insects, helping them avoid predators.
3. Parasitic wasps lay their eggs inside stick insect eggs, destroying them.
4. Stick insects help plants grow by spreading seeds through their droppings or by carrying them on their bodies.
5. Stick insects don't form many direct relationships because they focus on staying hidden and avoiding interaction.

