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What Happens if We Cut Down Too Many Trees

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is one immediate consequence of cutting down too many trees in a forest?
 - a. Increased rainfall
 - b. Loss of biodiversity
 - c. Enhanced soil fertility
 - d. Cooler temperatures

2. How do forests help regulate water cycles?
 - a. By releasing water quickly during heavy rainfall
 - b. By reducing the overall amount of rainfall
 - c. By storing water underground
 - d. By absorbing rainfall and releasing it gradually

3. What is the role of trees in absorbing carbon dioxide?
 - a. They release carbon dioxide into the atmosphere.
 - b. They have no impact on carbon dioxide levels.
 - c. They absorb carbon dioxide from the atmosphere.
 - d. They store carbon dioxide underground.

4. Why is the loss of topsoil a concern when trees are removed?
 - a. It leads to increased soil fertility.
 - b. It has no effect on agriculture.
 - c. It can result in soil erosion and reduced agricultural productivity.
 - d. It improves water quality in nearby rivers and streams.

5. How do indigenous communities benefit from forests?
 - a. They have no connection to forests.
 - b. Forests provide them with valuable resources and traditional knowledge.
 - c. Forests are a source of global warming.
 - d. Forests lead to increased greenhouse gas emissions.

