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## The Life of a Zebra: From Foal to Adulthood

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. A zebra's ability to walk and run soon after birth helps it escape predators and keep up with the herd.
2. The bond between a zebra mother and her foal ensures the foal stays safe, learns survival skills, and gets the nutrients it needs to grow.
3. Zebras might face challenges like predators, finding food during dry seasons, and habitat loss as they grow older.
4. Herding instincts and social behaviors help zebras survive by providing protection, sharing responsibilities, and creating strong group bonds.

