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GENIUSCHALLENGE

ECOSYSTEMS

1. What is a community of interacting organisms and their environment called?

2. True or false: only living things interact in an ecosystem. _____

3. What might an organism do if there is a change to its ecosystem?

- a.** Move **b.** Die **c.** Survive **d.** All of these

4. Why is the rainforest important?

5. What is a living thing that is not normally found in the ecosystem called?

6. What makes a healthy ecosystem? _____

7. True or false: the only thing plants do in an ecosystem is provide food. _____

8. Which ecosystems did the team NOT explore?

- a.** rain forest **b.** freshwater **c.** saltwater **d.** desert

9. Explain how living and non-living things might interact in a saltwater ecosystem.

10. What size can an ecosystem be? Give some examples.
