

#### **Say What?**

Studying plant and animal species can mean learning a lot of new vocabulary. Find five words in this book you've never heard before. Use a dictionary to find out what they mean. Then write the meanings in your own words, and use each word in a new sentence.





#### Take a Stand

Chapter Three mentions how humans can be seed dispersers. People can carry seeds on their clothes and shoes when they travel. Do you think people should be careful about what seeds they might accidentally disperse? Why or why not? How can people try to stop the spread of invasive species?





#### Why Do I Care?

Seeds are tiny, so it can seem like they don't impact your daily life. But that doesn't mean you can't think about how plants survive. What types of plants grow where you live? How might your life be different if those plants disappeared?





#### **Another View**

This book talks about how human activity can harm habitats. As you know, every source is different. Ask an adult to help you find another source about how human activity is changing the environment. Write a short essay comparing and contrasting the new source's point of view with that of this book's author. What is the point of view of each author? How are they similar and why? How are they different and why?

