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## **REFLECTION**

Information I Already Knew	New Information I Learned
Population refers to groups of living things	Population size can't always be counted one
living in the same area.	by one, so ecologists use the Mark-and-
	Recapture Method to estimate animal
	populations more accurately.
Animals and plants have their own ways to	To measure plant population density,
adapt and reproduce.	scientists use the Quadrat Method, which
	involves marking a specific area to count and
	estimate plants.
Predators hunt for prey, while prey have	I discovered the difference between r-
strategies to protect themselves.	strategists (species that produce many
	offspring with little care) and K-strategists
	(species that produce fewer offspring with
	greater care).
The number of people worldwide keeps	I learned about Survivorship Curves, which
increasing as time goes on.	show the patterns of survival and death
	among different species at various stages of
	life.
Living things are interconnected and depend	This recovery is called succession: in primary
on one another for survival.	succession, life starts in areas without soil,
	while in secondary succession, it happens in
	areas where soil already exists.