

## ASSESSMENT

**TROUBLE WITH THE SWARM SCENARIOS:** Have students imagine the results of the following scenarios and discuss their ideas or write about them in their journals. (This assessment favors well-reasoned and informed answers over exacting answers.)

1. The queen refuses to leave the hive when a swarm is necessary for hive health.
2. Only drones leave with the queen when the swarm begins.
3. All the scout bees die as soon as the swarm takes off.
4. None of the larvae left in the hive are fed royal jelly.

**DEBRIEF OF ANTICIPATION GUIDES:** Have students return to their **Anticipation Guides** and see if their answers have changed and/or their questions have been answered.