

E.S.: What are the different types of interactions that occur in an ecosystem?

Symbiosis - a relationship in which two organisms live in close association with each other

Mutualism

• A relationship between two species in which both species benefit

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• Bee and flower

Commensalism

• A relationship between two organisms in which one organism benefits and the other is unaffected.

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• Shark and remora fish

Parasitism

• A relationship between two species in which one species benefits from the other species, which is harmed.

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• Humans + mosquitos