

3. Roundworms can have parasitic relationships with some species.

1. Answers will vary. Students should understand that the worms would be very small and would have relatively simple organs.

2. These characteristics would enable the species to multiply rapidly in relatively small environments and to adapt to many different environments.

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1. The photo shows a roundworm magnified many times. If thousands of worms can live in a very small area, what characteristics would you expect the species to have?
2. What might be the advantages of a small and simple body form?
3. If a roundworm species lives inside another species, what kind of relationship would the two species have?