

# Life Cycles

I can sequence the life cycle of specific animals.

I can investigate factors that affect the growth and development of living things.

## The life cycle of the butterfly

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- The egg hatches to a caterpillar (larva)
- The caterpillar forms a chrysalis or pupa
- The chrysalis matures into a butterfly.



Film:

The life cycle of the butterfly

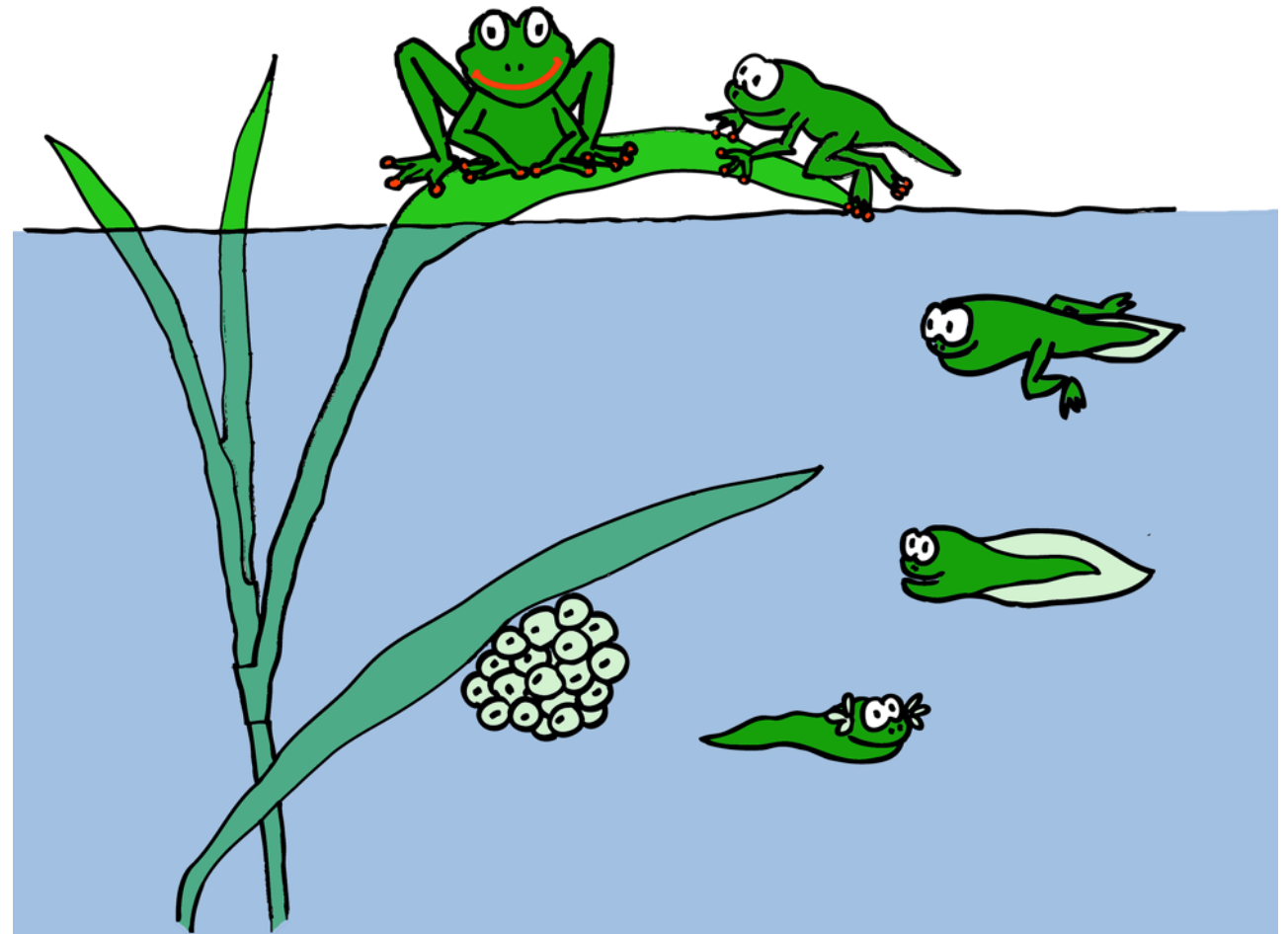
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## The life cycle of the frog

- The female frog lays eggs and the male frog fertilises them.
- The eggs hatch and become early tadpoles
- Then the tadpoles grow and become froglets
- Then the little froglets become frogs.

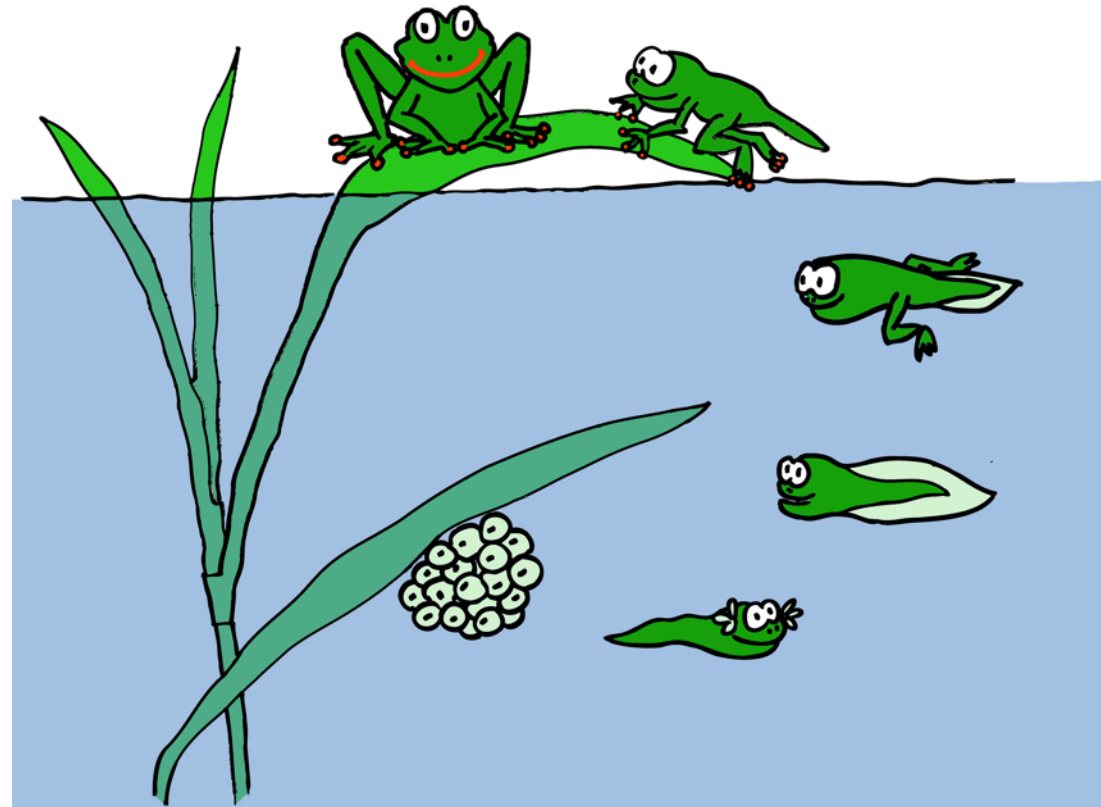


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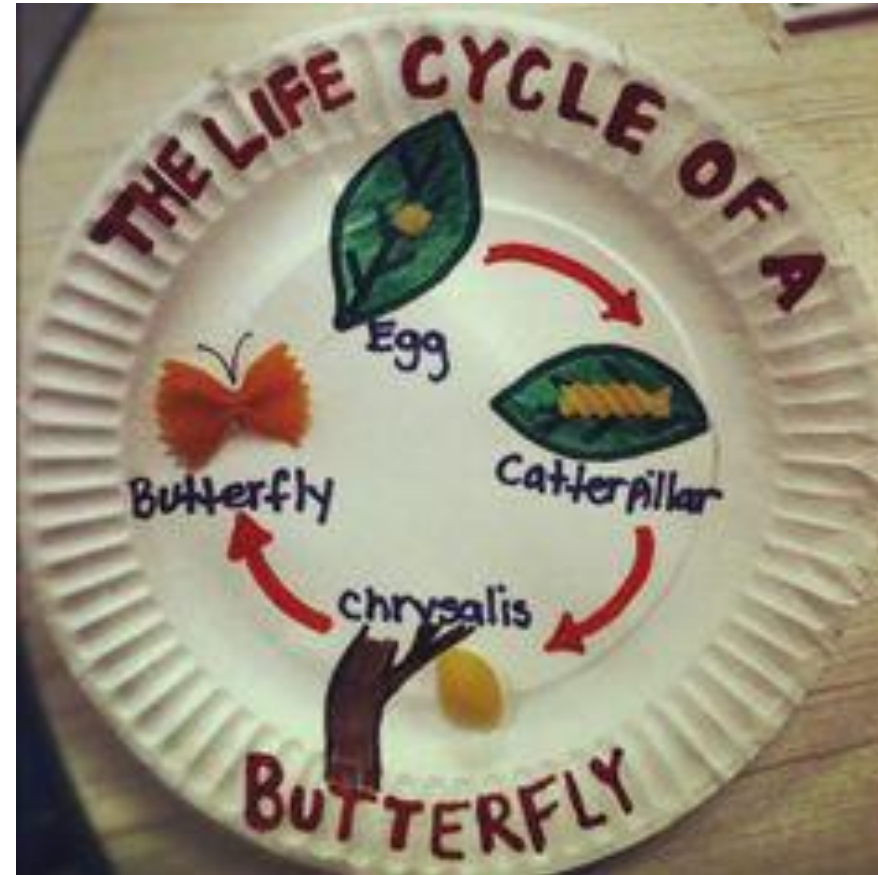
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## Activity: Life-cycle wheel

Choose either the frog or the butterfly and create a life-cycle wheel.



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