

# Life Cycle of a Moss Plant

Arrange the following events in the correct order.

Male moss plants produce sperm cells and female moss plants produce egg cells

A spore case grows out of the moss (sporophyte)

Spores are carried by the wind into a suitable habitat where they grow into new moss plants (gametophyte)

Water carries the sperm cells to the female moss plant where fertilization occurs

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The spore case ripens and dries out and the spores are released



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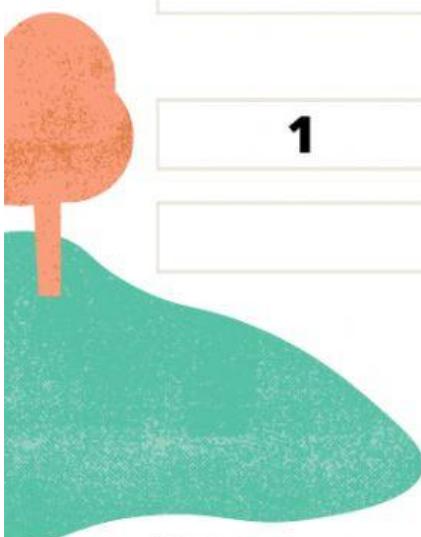
A young fern plant (fiddlehead) grows and develops fronds with spore cases

The spore produces a tiny heart-shaped plant that has the male and female reproductive organs (gametophyte)

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The spore cases on the underside of a frond mature and spores are released.

Water transports the sperm cells to the egg cells and fertilization occurs



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