

How Do Animal Life Cycles Vary?

Write *true* if the statement is true and *false* if the statement is false.

- _____ 9. All birds lay eggs. (page A70)
- _____ 10. Many insects change form four times. (page A71)
- _____ 11. A nymph is the first stage of an incomplete metamorphosis. (page A71)
- _____ 12. In general, larger animals have shorter life spans than smaller animals of the same kind. (page A72)
- _____ 13. Mammals, such as rabbits and humans, do not lay eggs. (page A72)

Circle the letter that best answers the question or completes the sentence.

- 14. (page A70) What is the first stage in the life cycle of most animals?
 - A. an egg
 - B. a nymph
 - C. an adult
 - D. a larva
- 15. (page A71) The nymph looks like the adult, but usually has no
 - A. offspring.
 - B. outer casing.
 - C. wings.
 - D. parents.
- 16. (page A72) When mammals reproduce, their young are
 - A. hatched from eggs.
 - B. born alive.
 - C. called larva.
 - D. born in an outer casing.