

WORDWALL QUESTIONS

Eggs and Larvae, Pupae and Adults

Insect Growth Stages · Chapter Two · Lessons One & Two





Quiz Questions (1-12)

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1.
What is the first stage in an insect's life cycle?
A) Larva B) Pupa **C) Egg ✓** D) Adult
2.
Where do many butterflies lay their eggs?
A) On the underside (back) of leaves ✓ B) In the soil C) On tree trunks D) In water
3.
Why do insects lay their eggs on certain plants?
A) Because they recognize the plants their larvae will eat ✓ B) Because those plants are colorful C) By pure accident
D) Because those plants are the tallest
4.
Insect eggs differ from one insect to another in...
A) Shape, color, and location ✓ B) Taste only C) Sound only D) Weight only
5.
Why does a butterfly lay its eggs on the back of a leaf?
A) To protect them from enemies and sunlight ✓ B) To make them easier to count C) So they grow faster
D) To hide them from other butterflies
6.
What is a larva?
A) The young insect that hatches from the egg ✓ B) The adult insect C) The insect's egg D) The outer cover of the pupa
7.
Why does a newly hatched larva grow rapidly?
A) Because it eats large amounts of food (leaves) ✓ B) Because it sleeps all day C) Because it does not move
D) Because it lives underground
8.
What is molting?
A) When a larva sheds its old skin and replaces it with a larger one ✓ B) When a larva lays eggs C) When a pupa turns into an egg
D) When an adult insect dies
9.
Why does a larva repeat the molting process several times?
A) So it can grow larger ✓ B) So it can fly C) So it can lay eggs D) So it can become a pupa immediately
10.
What happens when the larva stops eating and moving?
A) It attaches to a plant stem and turns into a pupa ✓ B) It dies C) It lays eggs D) It turns back into an egg
11.
Does the pupa move?
A) No, it remains still (inactive) ✓ B) Yes, it moves very fast C) Yes, it flies D) Yes, it crawls slowly
12.
What happens inside the pupa?
A) Important changes occur; its body changes into an adult insect ✓ B) Nothing happens C) It lays eggs
D) It eats large amounts of food



Quiz Questions (13-20)

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13.

How does the adult insect come out of the pupa?

- A) When the outer cover splits open ✓ B) When the pupa is eaten C) When it hatches like an egg D) When it stops molting

14.

What happens to the adult insect's wings right after it emerges?

- A) They are wrinkled, then stretch and unfold ✓ B) They are already fully open C) They fall off D) They stay wrinkled forever

15.

Why does the adult insect begin laying eggs again?

- A) To begin a new life cycle ✓ B) To feed the larvae C) To attract enemies D) To finish molting

16.

What do adult butterflies have that larvae do NOT have?

- A) Wings ✓ B) Legs C) A mouth D) A body

17.

What do adult butterflies feed on?

- A) Nectar from flowers ✓ B) Leaves only C) Other insects D) Soil

18.

What is the correct order of the insect growth stages?

- A) Egg → Larva → Pupa → Adult ✓ B) Larva → Egg → Adult → Pupa C) Pupa → Adult → Egg → Larva D) Adult → Pupa → Larva → Egg

19.

In the record card example, what color is the butterfly larva (African Monarch)?

- A) Black and yellow stripes ✓ B) All green C) All orange D) White

20.

When raising butterflies at home, why should the leaves be kept moist (not dry)?

- A) So the larvae can molt easily ✓ B) So the box smells nice C) So the eggs hatch faster D) So the adult butterfly can drink water