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Science Quiz Life Cycles

1. Which of the following species gives birth to live young?

Robins
Crocodiles
Mosquitoes
Mice

2. Which of the following is not a stage in an animal's life cycle?

Birth
Young animals
Adult animal
Sneaky animals

3. Cats give birth to kittens. The young of which of the following animals are also known as kittens?

Lions
Rabbits
Horses
Trout

4. A butterfly larva is called a caterpillar. In its next stage, what happens to the caterpillar?

It dies
It changes into a chrysalis
It reproduces
It changes into a butterfly

5. Different animals have different life spans. Approximately how long is the average human life span?

Between 10 and 20 years
Between 30 and 40 years
Between 50 and 60 years
70 years or more

6. Which adult animal looks very different when it is young?

- Turtle
- Elephant
- Frog
- Human

7. In the human life cycle, which stage comes after childhood and before adulthood?

- Toddler
- Maturity
- Teenager
- Infancy

8. Which of the following shows the correct stages of the life cycle of a frog?

- Eggs-----Tadpole----- Adult frog-----Froglet
- Tadpole-----Froglet-----Adult frog-----Eggs
- Eggs-----Tadpole-----Froglet-----Adult Frog
- Adult frog-----Froglet-----Tadpole-----Eggs

9. Which of the following shows the correct stages of the life cycle of a butterfly?

- Egg-----caterpillar-----chrysalis (pupa)-----butterfly
- Egg-----butterfly-----chrysalis (pupa)-----caterpillar
- Chrysalis(pupa)-----caterpillar-----egg-----butterfly
- Butterfly-----Chrysalis(pupa)-----caterpillar-----egg

10. Select the three choices that would follow the stages of a life cycle.

- a. dogs
- b. cars
- c. trees
- d. paper
- e. shoes
- f. cats

