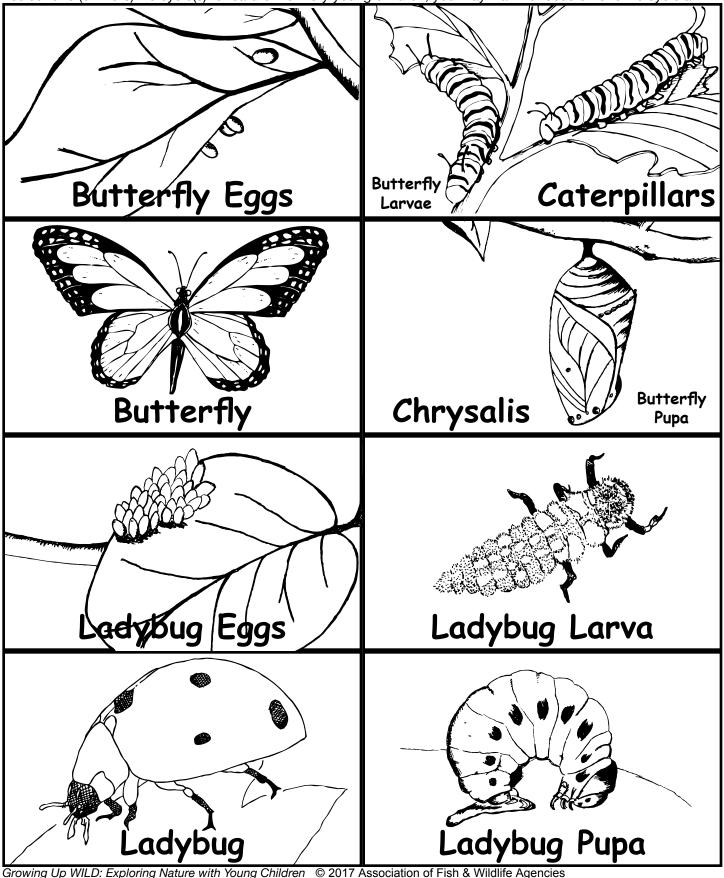
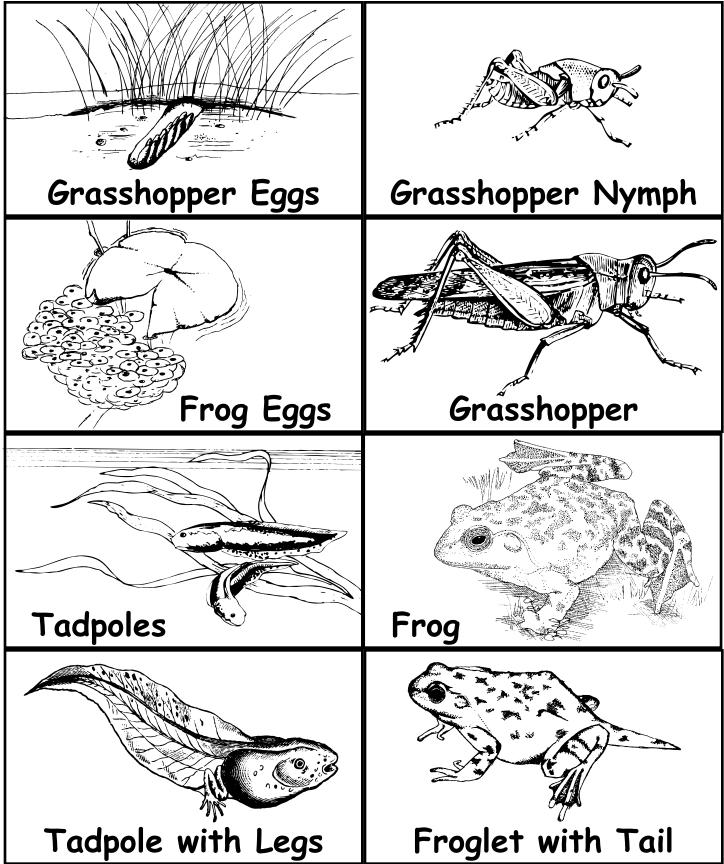
## Grow As We Go

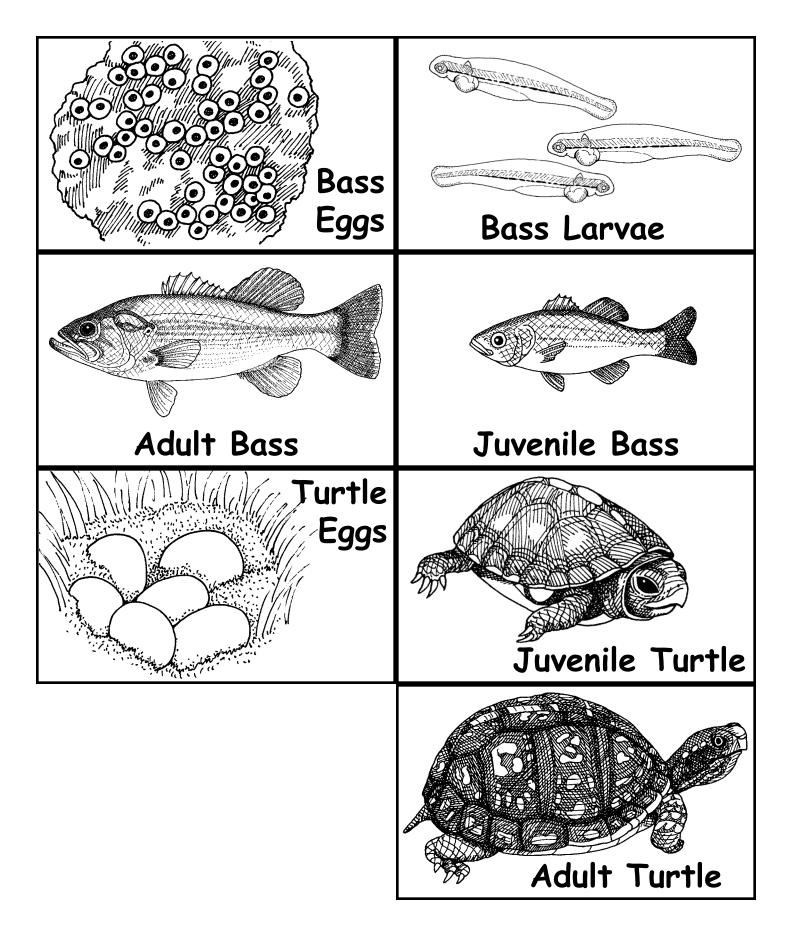
**Directions:** Make a class set of **Grow As We Go** life cycle cards by copying the illustrations below onto card stock and cutting them apart. You may opt to mount each set of life cycle cards on a different color of construction paper for younger children. Color and laminate, if desired. To prepare for Step 2 of the procedure, select one (or more) life cycle(s) to feature. For very young children, you may want to focus on one life cycle at

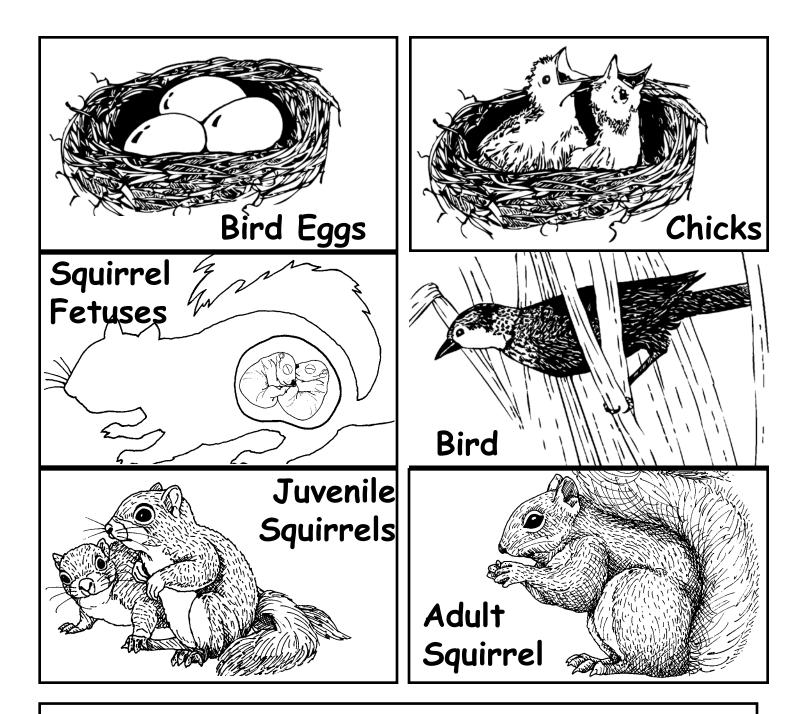


a time and introduce other activities to further explore the animal's life cycle before introducing the life cycle of another animal. In this case, Step 3 may be a culminating activity after all desired life cycles have been explored. Refer to the chart following the cards on page 83 for the proper order of the stages in each life cycle.

To prepare for Step 3, choose two cards for each animal you wish to include in the matching game—a juvenile and the adult—and make enough copies of them so that every child will have one card. For older children you may opt to include all cards in a number of life cycles. In this case, make sure there are enough cards so that each child will have one and that all the children will match up with a life cycle group.







## Order of Life Cycle Stages

Butterfly Eggs 

Caterpillars 

Chrysalis 

Butterfly

Grasshopper Eggs ⇒ Grasshopper Nymph ⇒ Grasshopper

Frog Eggs ⇒ Tadpoles ⇒ Tadpole with Legs ⇒ Froglet with Tail ⇒ Frog

Bass Eggs ⇒ Bass Larvae ⇒ Juvenile Bass ⇒ Adult Bass

Turtle Eggs ⇒ Juvenile Turtle ⇒ Adult Turtle

Bird Eggs ⇒ Chicks ⇒ Bird

Squirrel Fetuses ⇒ Juvenile Squirrels ⇒ Adult Squirrel