

Year 2 Knowledge Organiser

Unit: About Growth

Unit Lessons

- Learn the life cycle of birth, growth, reproduction and death.
- Know the life cycle of a frog
- Understand the life cycle of a butterfly
- Learn how humans grow by looking at how babies grow in to adults
- Learn about reproduction and growth in animals
- Learn about the generation game – young and old

Did you know?

Most animals either give birth directly from the mother or by laying and hatching eggs.

A life cycle is called a 'cycle' because it goes round and round and repeats itself.

A baby has more bones than an adult because some bones fuse together as you grow.

A female frog lays around 1,000 eggs at a time!

GR8! – 8 words and meanings to learn

Key Word	Meaning
1. birth	The time when a baby or young animal comes out of it's mother's body, or hatches.
2. growth	When a person, animal or plant gets bigger or develops.
3. reproduction	The process of having babies or producing young.
4. death	The end of life.
5. life cycle	The changes that an animal or plant goes through during its life.
6. generation	A group who have been born and live at the same time.
7. child	A young human between infancy and youth.
8. adult	A person who is fully grown and developed.

A frog and apple tree life cycle

