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Out of the egg

I am a caterpillar. I grow inside my tiny yellow egg. The egg is no bigger than the period at the end of this sentence.



My mother is a butterfly.
One day I will look like her.

I am ready to hatch, so
I nibble a hole in my eggshell.



I wriggle out of the hole.



At last I am free!



Growing bigger

I am one week old.

Each day I grow bigger.

I am always hungry.



My skin feels very tight.

I start to shed my skin.



I wriggle out of my old skin.
My new skin fits my bigger body.



Soon I grow too big for this skin.

Lots of legs

I am two weeks old and
my skin is shedding again.



Now I have bright
stripes on my body.





How many arms
and legs do I have?

I have six arms
and ten legs.

Striped suits

I am three weeks old.

I am munching my
favorite plant.



Other caterpillars
are eating it, too.
I wriggle to the next plant.

While I am eating,
my striped suit helps
hide me from dangers.



I use my orange horn to
scare enemies away.



Changing shape

I am four weeks old.
Now I am a full-grown
caterpillar.

I search for a
safe hiding place.





My body is
changing shape.



I am not a
caterpillar any more.
I am called a chrysalis.

Wings at last

When I am seven weeks old,
I climb out of my pouch.
Now I am a butterfly!



My new wings are crumpled and wet.

I rest for a while in
the warm sunshine.



Soon my wings are
flat. I can fly!

In the sunshine

Now I am eight weeks
old and fully grown.
My wings are strong.
I can flutter through
the meadow.



I drink sweet nectar from
flowers, using my long tongue.



At last I look as
colorful as my mother!



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The egg



One week old



Two weeks old



Three weeks old



Four weeks old

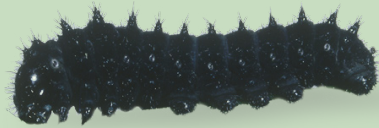




Seven weeks old

Eight weeks old







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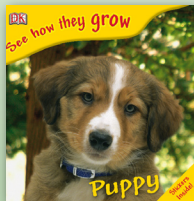


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