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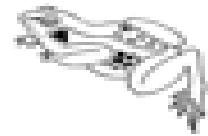
## Life Cycle of Frogs

Learn facts about the life cycle of a frog.

Read the passage and answer the questions.



Frogs are amphibians, animals that live part of their lives underwater and part on land. Frogs start their lives as eggs that are laid in water. They hatch as tadpoles. A tadpole breathes with gills, and has a tail to help it swim and stay underwater. Tadpoles begin to grow legs and lungs so they can breathe out of the water as they mature. They then grow into froglets at about 2-4 months old. Froglets still have some of their tail but they can now breathe air with their lungs. As frogs become adults, the tail is completely absorbed into the body.



1. What kind of animals are frogs?

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2. What is the first stage of a frog's life?

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3. How do tadpoles breathe?

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4. Describe what a froglet looks like.

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5. What are the major difference between a tadpole and an adult frog?

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