Leamington Primary Science Knowledge Organiser Year 5 – Life Cycles

What I should already know	What I will learn	Important words to help me. (vocabulary)		Ideas for Scientific Enquiry
Humans, animals and plants are living things.	blowing seeds or insects carrying and dropping them). Plant reproduction is the production of new offspring in plants, which can be accomplished by sexual or asexual reproduction. There are three groups that animals are categorised in. These three groups are monotremes, marsupials and placentals. *Monotremes are the only mammals that lay eggs, but they also feed their babies with milk. *A mammal of an order whose members are born incompletely developed and are typically carried and suckled in a pouch on the mother's belly. *Placental is a mammal that gives birth to its young after a period of time of it growing inside the womb. A life cycle means the stages a living thing goes through during its life, this can vary depending on the species. Some stages are slow and continuous. Some animals change, some lay eggs and some give birth. This is all dependent on the living thing and what category it is in. A butterfly's life cycle has four stages of life. All butterflies have complete metamorphosis. To grow into an adult, they go through 4 stages: egg, larva, pupa and adult. An incomplete metamorphosis is a type of metamorphosis in which an insect hatches from an egg and then goes through several nymphal stages. At the final nymphal stage the insect then	Amphibians	A cold blooded vertebrate, which have an aquatic gill-breathing larval stage.	Observation over time Observing and identifying the different stages of a caterpillar every two days. Classifying and grouping Sorting parts of the plant into female and male parts. Modelling Modelling the different ways in which seeds can travel.
Living things have a life cycle. There group		Life cycles	The series of changes in the life of an organism including reproduction.	
		Changes	Development throughout the life cycle	
animals grow inside a womb.		Classify	To sort people or things into different groups.	
Some animals lay eggs.		Foetus	An unborn or unhatched offspring of a mammal, in particular an unborn human more than eight weeks	
Living things need food, water and air to grow and live. Interesting Facts Kangaroos give birth to an embryo. The embryo crawls up the mother's pouch and stays inside there for 9 months until it's developed and ready to come out. It drinks milk from the mother whilst it's growing inside the pouch.		Germination	The development of a plant from a seed.	
		Pollination	The transfer of pollen to a stigma, ovule, flower, or plant to allow fertilization.	
		Mammals	Warm blooded vertebrates that have hair or fur.	
		Monotremes	Monotremes are the only mammals that lay eggs, but they also feed their babies with milk	
		Marsupials	A mammal of an order whose members are born incompletely developed and are typically carried and suckled in a pouch on the mother's belly.	
		Placental	Placental is a mammal that gives birth to its young after a period of time of it growing inside the womb.	
		Milestones	An important event in someone's life.	
		Metamorphosis	Metamorphosis is defined as a change into something new, or the process of an insect or amphibian maturing into adult form.	
		Incomplete metamorphosis	A type of metamorphosis in which the pupal stage is lacking and the adult insect has the same general body plan as the immature form.	
	Petal	Reptiles	A vertebrate animals that are distinguished by having dry, scaly skin.	
		Reproduction	The process of creating a new life.	

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