


*We are scientists.*

*Scientists are people who are curious about the world and want to find out how things work.*



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*LQ: Can I identify the basic needs for animals to survive?*

Steps to Success



*All: I know that all animals have basic needs in order to survive.*

*Most: I can name the basic needs animals have to survive.*

*Some: I can explain why animals need food and water in order to survive.*

# Our Science Learning Journey

Key vocabulary:

Animals

Lifecycle

Survive

Carnivore

Herbivore

Omnivore

Growth

Basic

Needs

Survive

Identify what I  
already know  
about animals

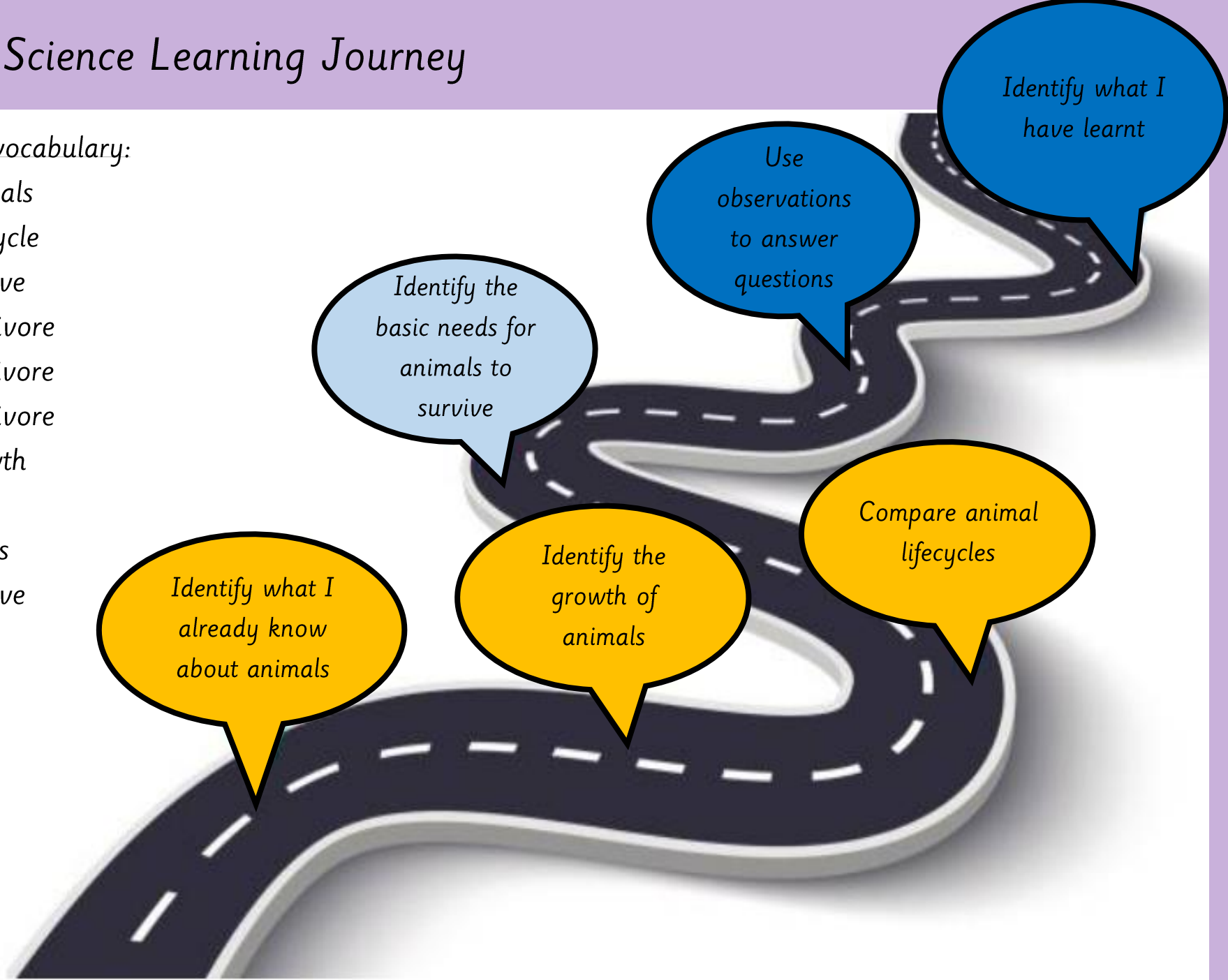
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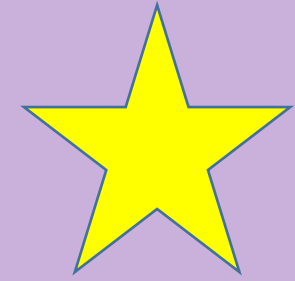
Identify the  
growth of  
animals

Use  
observations  
to answer  
questions

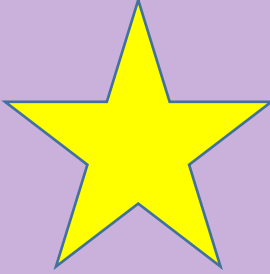
Compare animal  
lifecycles

Identify what I  
have learnt





# Star Words



*survive*

*animals*

*basic needs*

*growth*



### The Basic Needs of Animals

**Air**  **Water** 

**Food**  **Shelter** 



## Recap

*TP – What is the name for the stages of growth animals go through? What animals lay eggs? What animals don't lay eggs?*

*This week we are going to be learning about what animals need to survive.*

There are important things that will allow a human to survive. We need air, water, food, sleep, shelter, safety and clothing. This helps us to live and stay healthy.

TP - What do you think would happen if humans did not have food to eat? What do you think would happen if humans did not have air to breath?

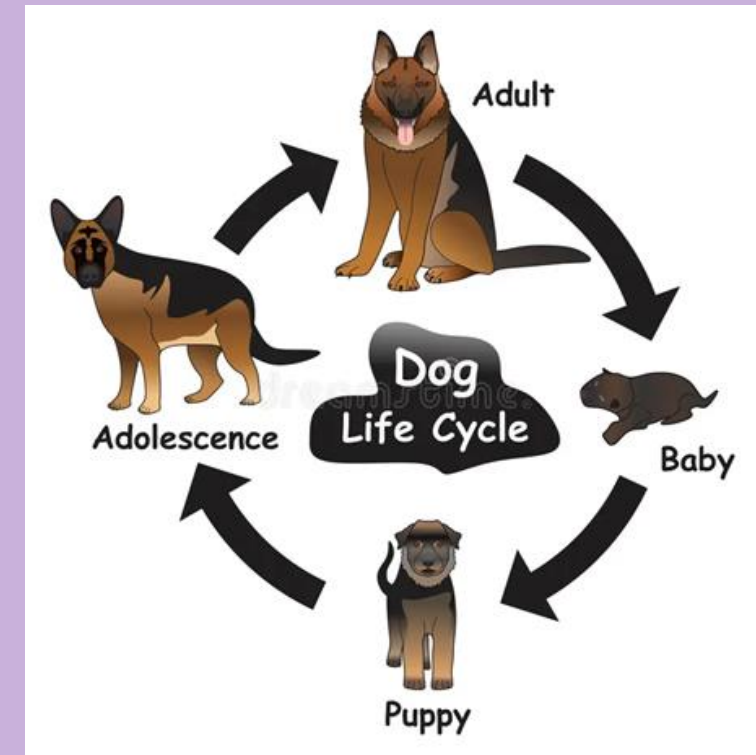


Watch this video and think about all the different things a dog needs to survive.

TPs- What basic needs do have dogs in order to survive?

Do they have any other needs that are not essential?

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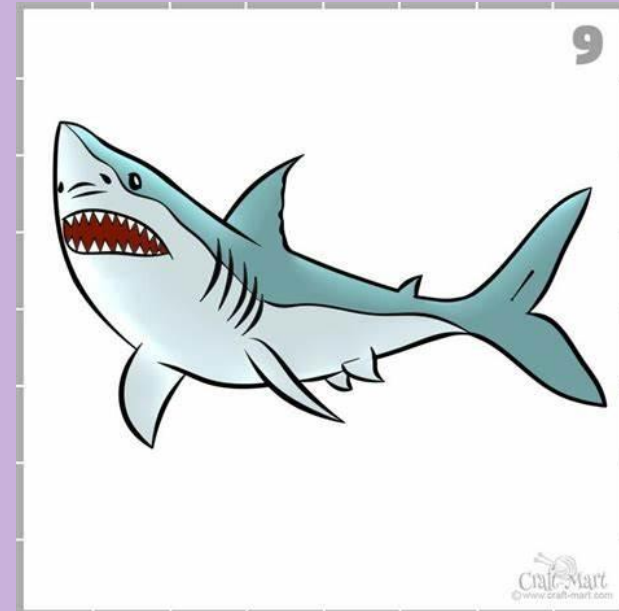
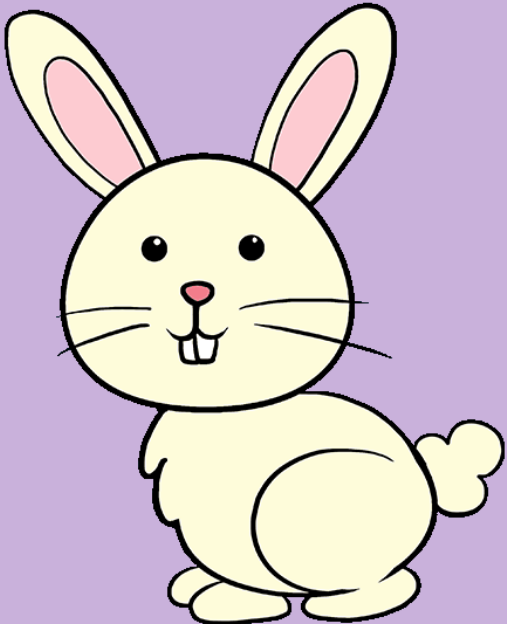
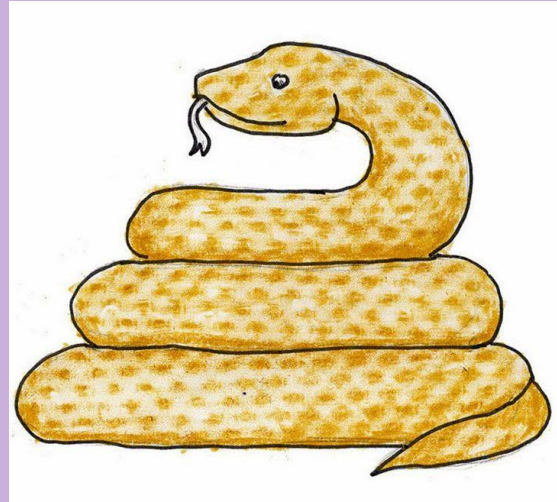
As a class we are going to write about the different basic needs of a bird.

TPs- What are the basic needs this animal needs to survive?  
Does it have any other needs that are not essential?



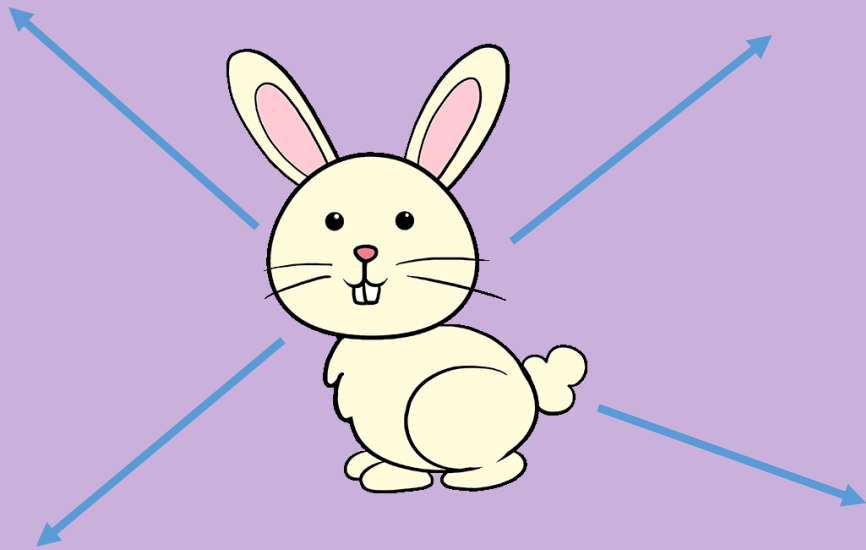
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# TASK

1. You are going to draw an animal in your books.
2. Identify and write down all the basic needs for the animal to survive.



## Self Assessment

Do you understand what to do?



# Assessment

1. Do all animals have offspring?
2. Do all animal's offspring look like the adult?
3. What's the scientific name for the stages of growth animals go through?
4. Name the animal groups that give birth to live young.
5. Name the animal groups that lay eggs.
6. List the basic needs of all animals.

*All - I can discuss what I know about animals.*

*Most - I can ask questions about animals.*

*Some - I can explain the changes animals go through.*