

## Lesson: How is your life like an alligator's life?

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<b>birth</b>	a stage in the life cycle of every living thing that is the beginning of its life
<b>chrysalis</b>	a stage between larva and adult for animals that go through metamorphosis, specifically for butterflies
<b>cycle</b>	a set of events that repeats in the same order over and over
<b>death</b>	a stage in the life cycle of every living thing that marks the end of its life
<b>growth</b>	a stage in the life cycle of every living thing when a baby grows to an adult
<b>life cycle</b>	the stages of life, including birth, growth, reproduction, and death
<b>life stage</b>	one of the steps of the life cycle
<b>metamorphosis</b>	a process where an animal's body transforms dramatically, such as a caterpillar turning into a butterfly
<b>offspring</b>	babies
<b>pattern</b>	something that can be observed again and again and again in a way that can be predicted
<b>reproduction</b>	a stage in the life cycle of living things when they have offspring
<b>timeline</b>	a picture that shows the passing of time as a line, often with events labeled along the line in the order they happened