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Trait

Seed

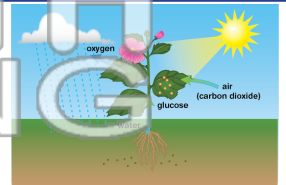
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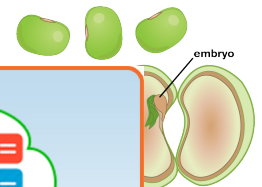
Seedling

Tadpole

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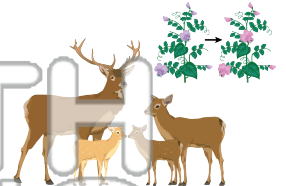


4. _____ has a tail

5. _____ to its offs

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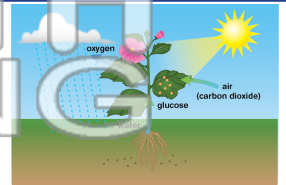
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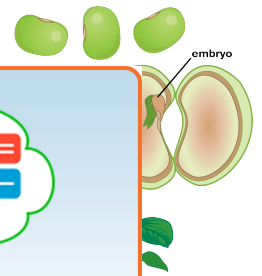
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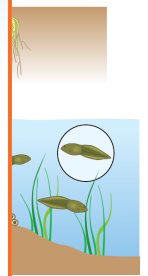
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3. Seedling - the first stage of a plant's life cycle after the seed has germinated

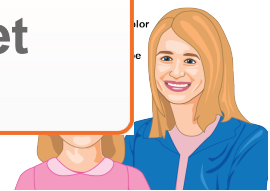


4. Tadpole - a young frog with a long tail but no legs

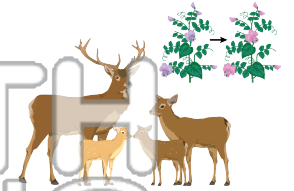


5. Trait - a characteristic or quality of an individual that is passed on to offspring

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