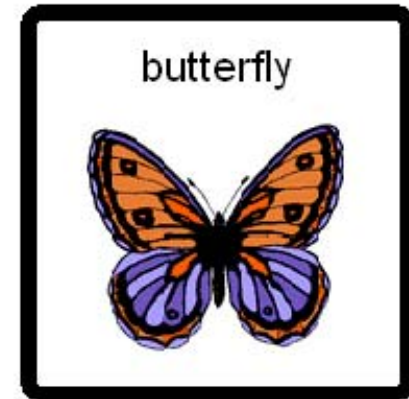


Butterflies

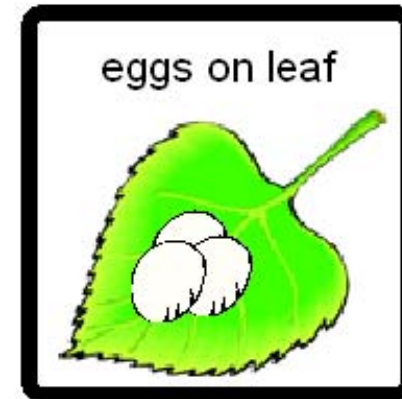


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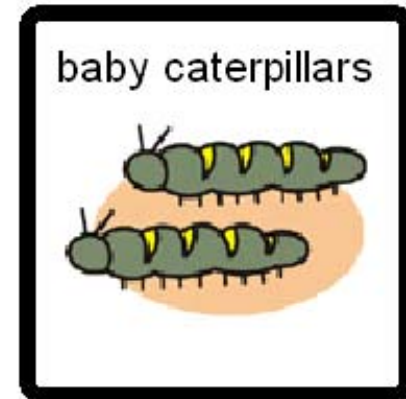




Where do butterflies come from?



Butterflies start as an egg.
Butterflies lay their eggs on leaves.



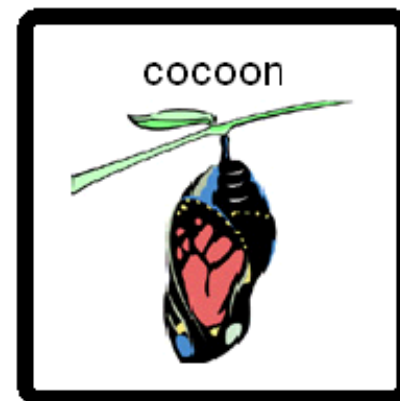
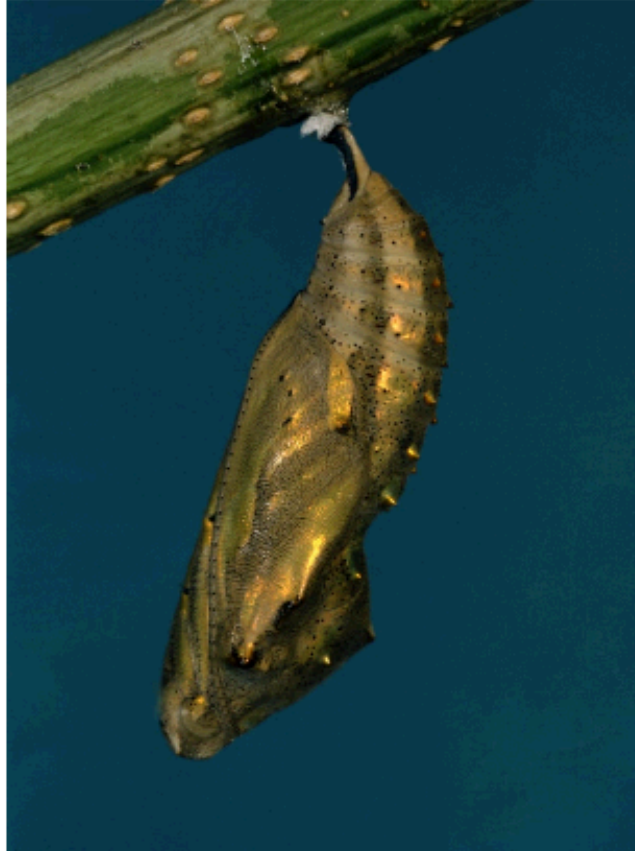
Soon the eggs hatch.
Out come the baby caterpillars.



The caterpillars need to eat a lot of food. They have been known to eat all of the leaves off of a tree.



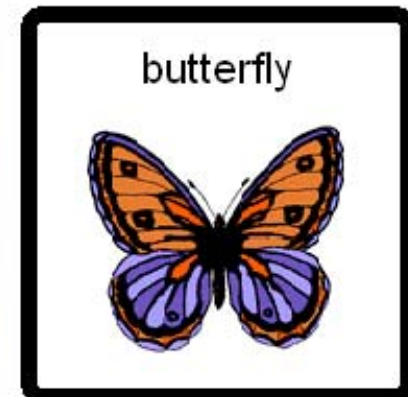
The caterpillars eat until they are fully grown.



Then the caterpillars build a cocoon around themselves. In the cocoon, they will change into butterflies.



When the butterflies are fully grown, they come out of their cocoon. They wait until their wings harden before flying for the first time.



Then the adult butterflies start all over again. Butterflies are beautiful!

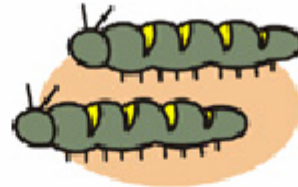
butterfly



eggs on leaf



baby caterpillars



eat leaves



butterfly



cocoon



come out



adult caterpillar

