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LIFE CYCLE OF A BIRD

Lead-in activity

Small, Speckled Egg tells the story of the life cycle of an Arctic tern. When you read the story, stress the different stages as you read from egg to chick, fledgling to adult.

Main activity

Print out both pages and help the children to cut out the pictures. The challenge is to put them in the correct order in the bird's lifecycle on the worksheet, and then to label each stage using the word bank. Encourage them to write the labels, or they can cut out the words to stick on.



Word bank

egg	embryo	juvenile	hatchling
chick	fledgling	parent	adult

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