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STAGE 2 · SCIENCE · ANIMALS, INCLUDING HUMANS

Animals, including humans

Everything the questions ask about is taught on the page before them, so nobody has to know the science beforehand.

WHAT IS INSIDE

- Growing up
- Why washing matters
- What animals need to stay alive
- Try it yourself
- How each one is worked

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3 topics · something to do at the end

Written for a parent teaching at home. No training assumed, and nothing else to buy.

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Why washing matters

Read this first. Then answer the questions underneath.



Germs are living things far too small to see. Some of them make people ill.

They move from place to place by being carried. A hand touches something with germs on it, then touches food, then the food goes into a mouth.

Washing with soap and water lifts them off the skin and sends them down the drain. That is the whole reason, and it is why the important times to wash are before eating and after the toilet.

1. What are germs?

The first sentence.

2. How do germs move from place to place?

Three words.

3. What does washing with soap and water do?

The last paragraph.

4. WORK IT OUT **Why is washing before eating one of the important times?**

Follow the route the passage describes.

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Quick check

One right answer each, and every answer is somewhere in this pack. Ring the letter.



1. **Growing up What does a tadpole become?**
   (A) Water, food, and air (B) A frog (C) A small sheep (D) Living things far too small to see

2. **What animals need to stay alive What three things does every animal need to stay alive?**
   (A) By being carried (B) A butterfly (C) Water, food, and air (D) Living things far too small to see

3. **Growing up What does a caterpillar become?**
   (A) A butterfly (B) Water, food, and air (C) Living things far too small to see (D) A small sheep

4. **Why washing matters What are germs?**
   (A) Living things far too small to see (B) A small sheep (C) Water, food, and air (D) A frog

5. **Growing up What does a lamb look like?**
   (A) A small sheep (B) A frog (C) Living things far too small to see (D) By being carried

6. **Why washing matters How do germs move from place to place?**
   (A) A frog (B) By being carried (C) Living things far too small to see (D) Water, food, and air

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How each one is worked

The answers to the **work it out** questions are model answers. A child who says something different and can show you where on the page it came from has done the work.



GROWING UP

1. What does a tadpole become?

1. The passage says a tadpole becomes a frog.
2. So the answer is **a frog**.

Answer: **A frog**

2. What does a caterpillar become?

1. The passage says a caterpillar becomes a butterfly.
2. So the answer is **a butterfly**.

Answer: **A butterfly**

3. What does a lamb look like?

1. The passage says a lamb looks like a small sheep.
2. So that is the answer.

Answer: **A small sheep**

4. WORK IT OUT **Why must an adult animal look after its young at first?**

1. The passage says the young cannot look after themselves at first.
2. So the adult has to do it for them.

Answer: **Because the young cannot look after themselves**

WHY WASHING MATTERS

1. What are germs?

1. The passage says germs are living things far too small to see.
2. So that is the answer.

Answer: **Living things far too small to see**

2. How do germs move from place to place?

1. The passage says they move from place to place by being carried.
2. So that is the answer.

Answer: **By being carried**

3. What does washing with soap and water do?

1. The passage says washing with soap and water lifts them off the skin and sends them down the drain.
2. So that is the answer.

Answer: **Lifts them off the skin and sends them down the drain**

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SAMPLE PAGES

You have read a few pages. The pack is longer.

What you are holding is a short sample, taken from different parts of the pack so that you can see how a week is planned and what a child is actually asked to do, before you decide.

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