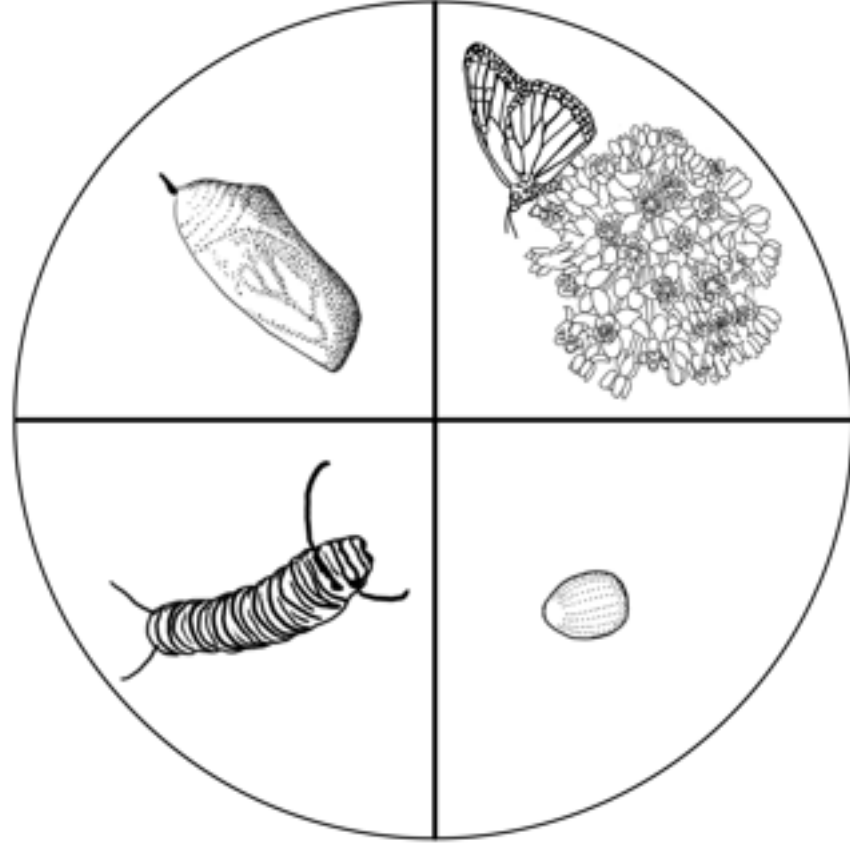


## Did you know?

Monarch butterflies migrate thousands of miles each fall from Canada to Mexico. Their caterpillars only eat the leaves of the milkweed plant. It can take up to eight weeks for them to complete their life cycle, from egg to adult, depending on temperature. There are over 100 species of milkweeds in North America. Have you seen any in your area?



### Instructions:

Find a brass paper fastener (the ones with the 'wings' that poke through the back of the paper and fold open); print out on white cardstock; color, cut out the circles; overlap circles, poke paper fastener through at 'X'. Enjoy! Older children may also want to label each life cycle stage: Clockwise from lower left: Egg, larva, pupa and adult