Label the Dolphin Life Cycle

Write the name of each stage in the empty boxes.

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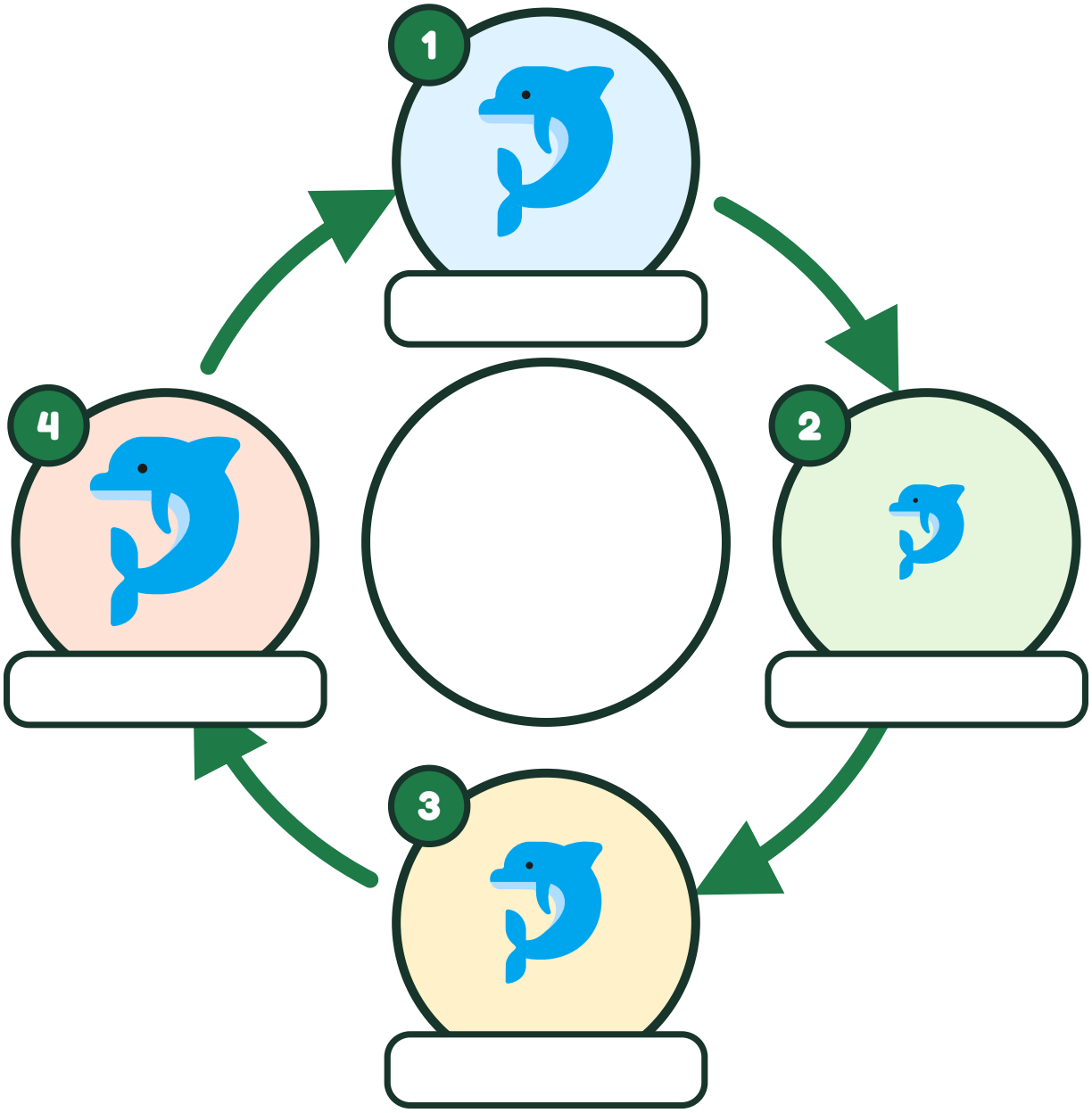

Word bank

Adult • Calf • Juvenile • Pregnancy

Which stage comes right after **Pregnancy**? _____

Cut and Sequence

Cut out the cards and put the dolphin life cycle in order. ✂

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Pregnancy
The mother is pregnant for about 12 months.



Juvenile
Leaves mom at 3 to 6 years and joins other young.



Adult
Breeds from about 5 to 15 years; lives 40+ years.



Calf
Born tail-first, it nurses for about 1.5 to 2 years.

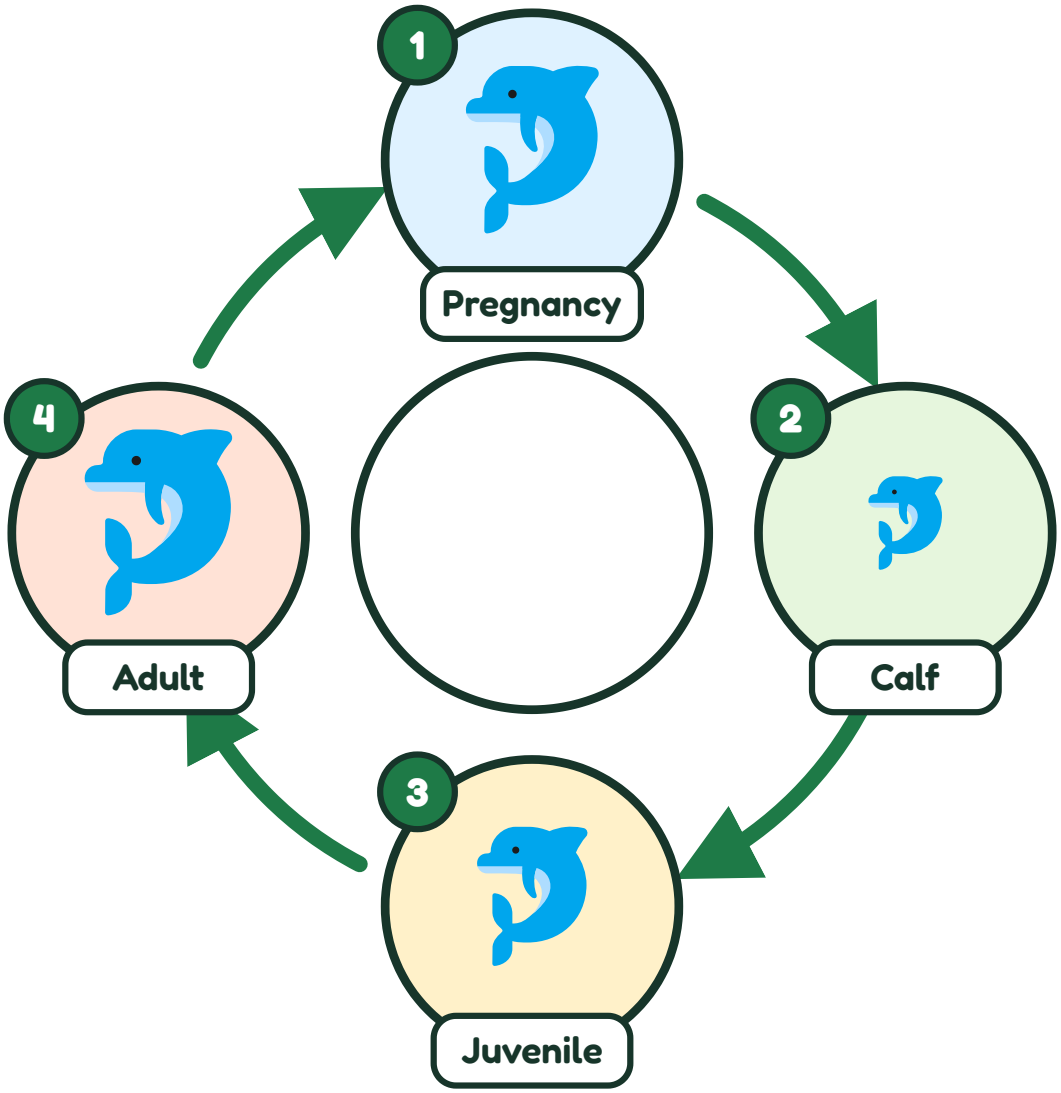
Match the word to its meaning

1. calf ____	A. a baby dolphin
2. mammal ____	B. the nostril on top of a dolphin's head that it breathes through
3. blowhole ____	C. a warm-blooded animal that breathes air and feeds its babies milk
4. echolocation ____	D. finding things by making clicks and listening for echoes

Glue your cards in order on another sheet and draw arrows between them.

Answer Key

Dolphin life cycle



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Word match: 1–A, 2–C, 3–B, 4–D