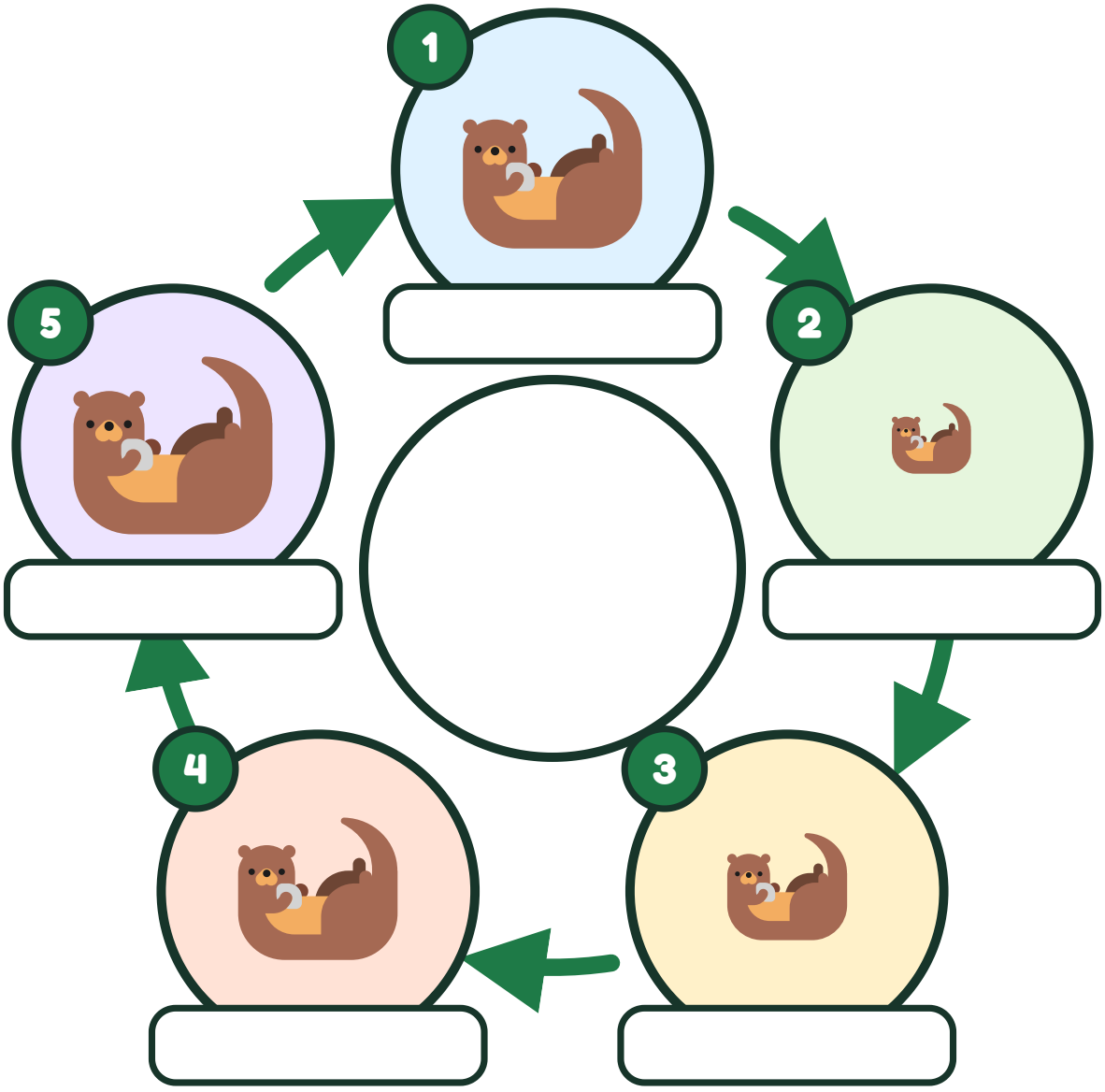
Label the Otter Life Cycle

Write the name of each stage in the empty boxes.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Word bank

Adult • Dependent pup • Juvenile • Newborn pup • Pregnancy

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

Cut and Sequence

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

Name: _____ Date: _____



Newborn pup
One fluffy pup, born in the water, floats.



Juvenile
Independent at about 6 months old.



Adult
Breeds from about 3–5 years old.



Pregnancy
About 6 months, with a pause before growth.



Dependent pup
Rides on mom and learns to dive and groom.

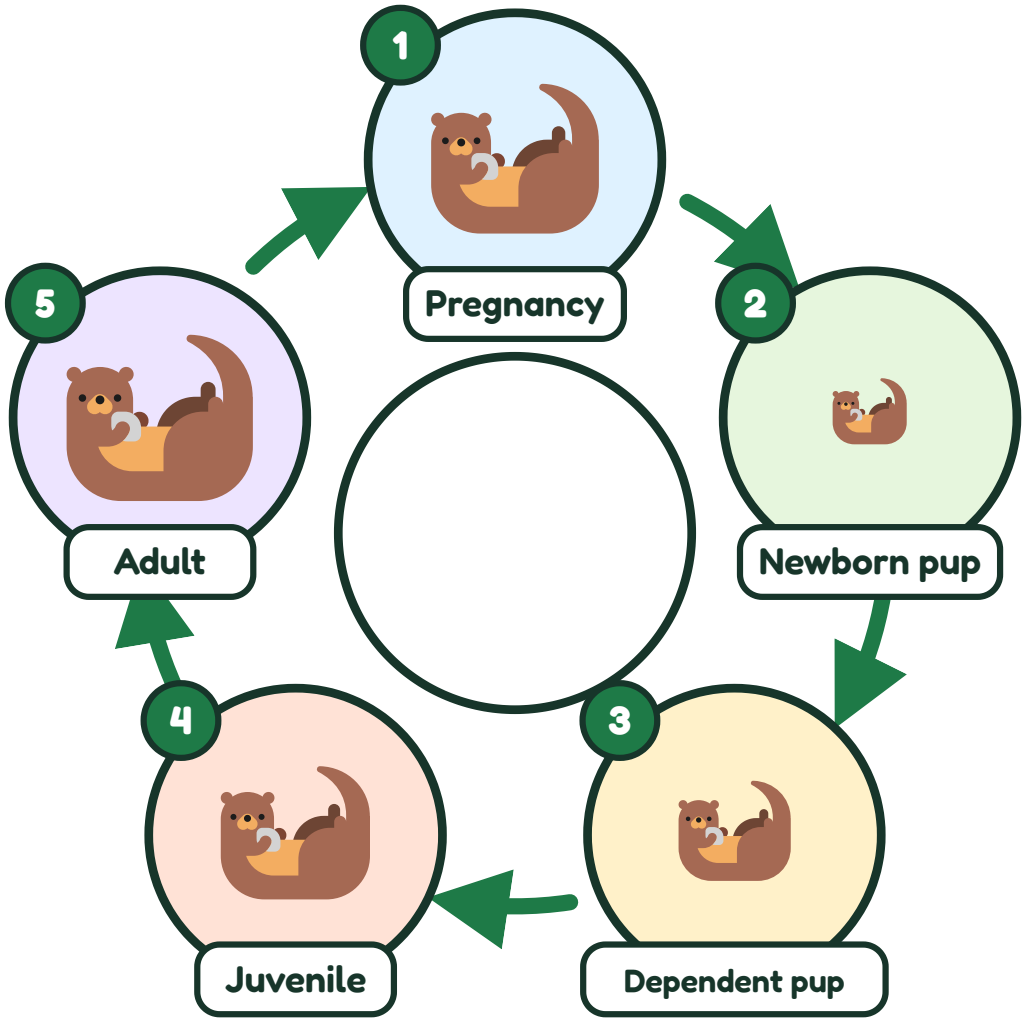
Match the word to its meaning

1. pup ____	A. a baby river otter
2. kit ____	B. to clean and fluff fur so it stays warm and waterproof
3. delayed implantation ____	C. a baby sea otter
4. groom ____	D. when a tiny embryo pauses before it starts to grow

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

Answer Key

Otter life cycle



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2. **Newborn pup** – One fluffy pup, born in the water, floats.
3. **Dependent pup** – Rides on mom and learns to dive and groom.
4. **Juvenile** – Independent at about 6 months old.
5. **Adult** – Breeds from about 3–5 years old.

Word match: 1–C, 2–A, 3–D, 4–B