Label the Polar Bear Life Cycle

Write the name of each stage in the empty boxes.

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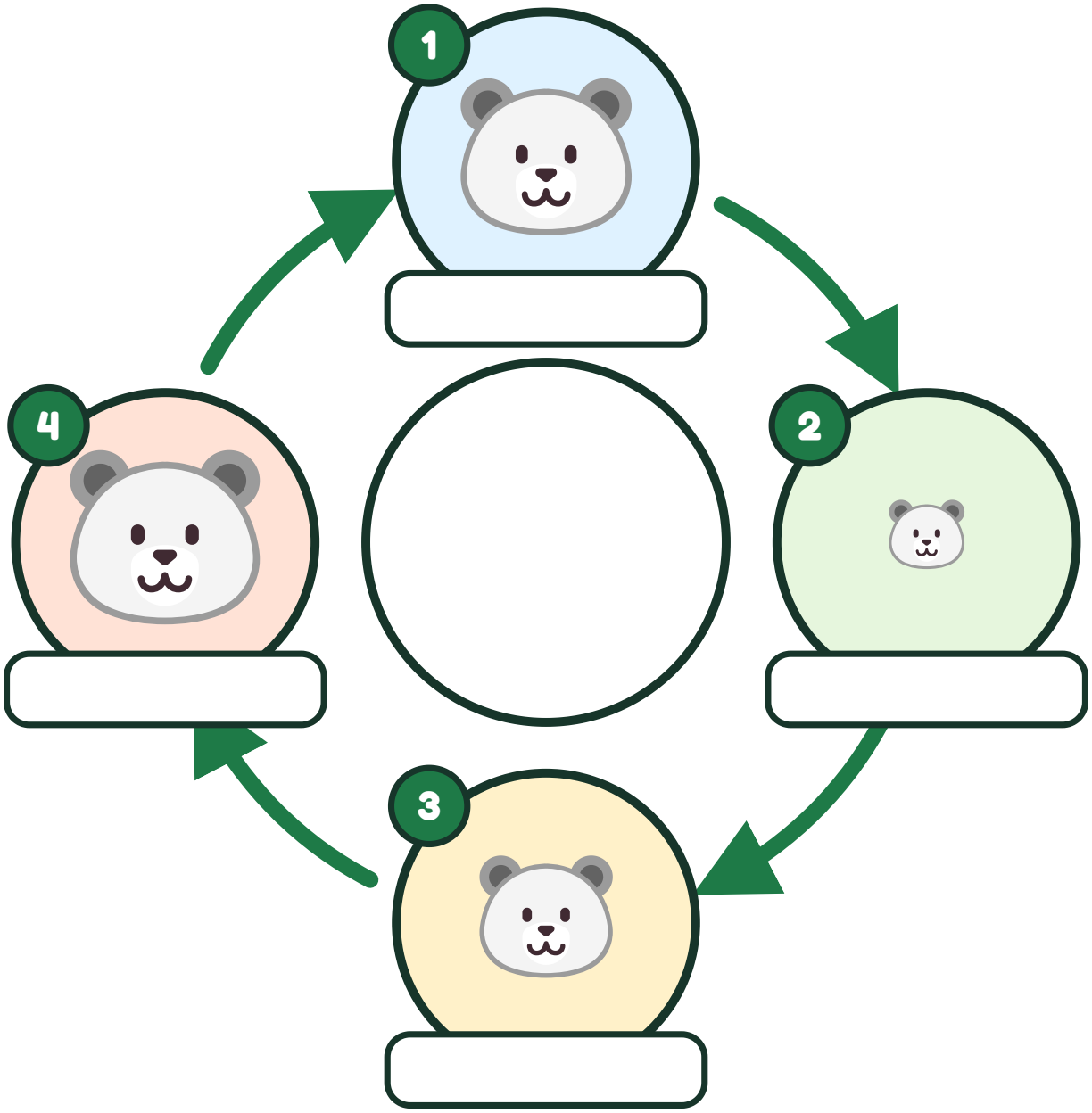


Word bank

Adult • Cub in the den • Cub on the ice • Pregnancy

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

Cut and Sequence

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

Name: _____ Date: _____



Adult
Females have cubs from about 5, every 3 years.



Pregnancy
Mates in spring; embryo implants in the fall.



Cub in the den
Born in winter, about 1.3 lb, usually twins.



Cub on the ice
Leaves den in spring; stays with mom 2.5 years.

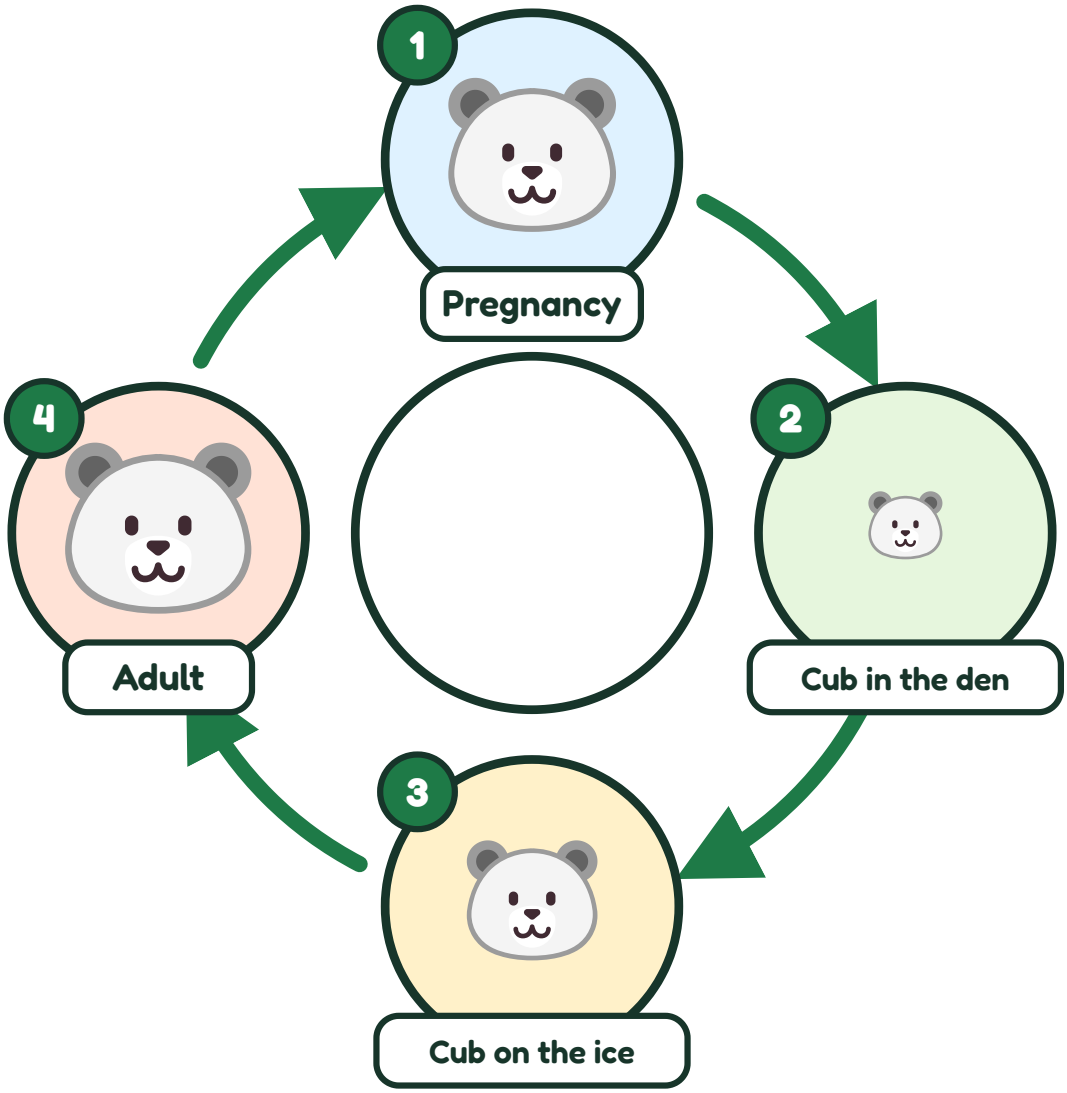
Match the word to its meaning

1. cub ____	A. when an embryo waits months before it attaches and grows
2. maternity den ____	B. a baby polar bear
3. delayed implantation ____	C. a snow cave where a mother polar bear gives birth
4. sea ice ____	D. frozen ocean water that polar bears walk and hunt on

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

Answer Key

Polar Bear life cycle



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Word match: 1–B, 2–C, 3–A, 4–D