THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR

Age category: 6-12

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Competences:
- *The students will learn the life cycle of the butterfly*
- *The students will know the characteristics of a caterpillar*
- *The students will learn to monitor the steps of a lifecycle*

Competences according to European curriculum:
http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=LEGISSUM%3Ac11090

Formative assessment:
- *Present the book, the illustrations and the materials*
- *Define and recognize the caterpillar and the butterfly*
- *Identifying the steps in the lifecycle of a butterfly through the story*

Summative Assessment:
- *Telling the story from beginning to the end*

Specific vocabulary list/Keywords:

- *Caterpillar, butterfly, storytelling*

Short description of the educational context/scenario:

The teacher and the children will watch the video" The very hungry caterpillar". The teacher will ask questions about the story presented in the video. The teacher will use sign language and will explain the new vocabulary and the concepts of the story. The children will sign the new vocabulary and will tell the story as they understood it. They will watch the video again. The children will play the story individually. The teacher will give the educational sheet to the children. The children will complete the educational sheet. The teacher will assist the students.

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Materials needed/Technical requirements:
Computer, tablet, internet, papers, toys, pencils, sheets.

Focus on sign language:
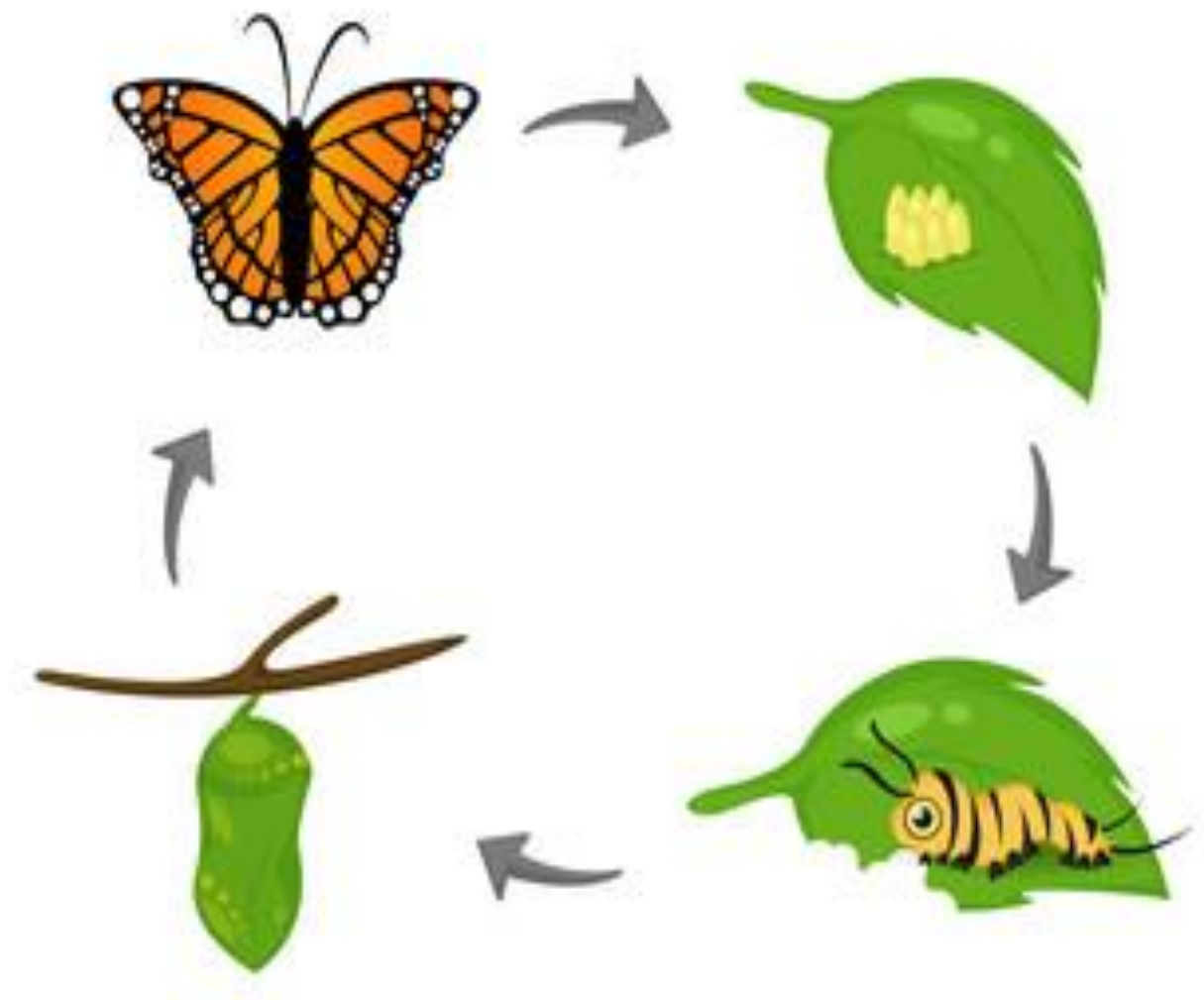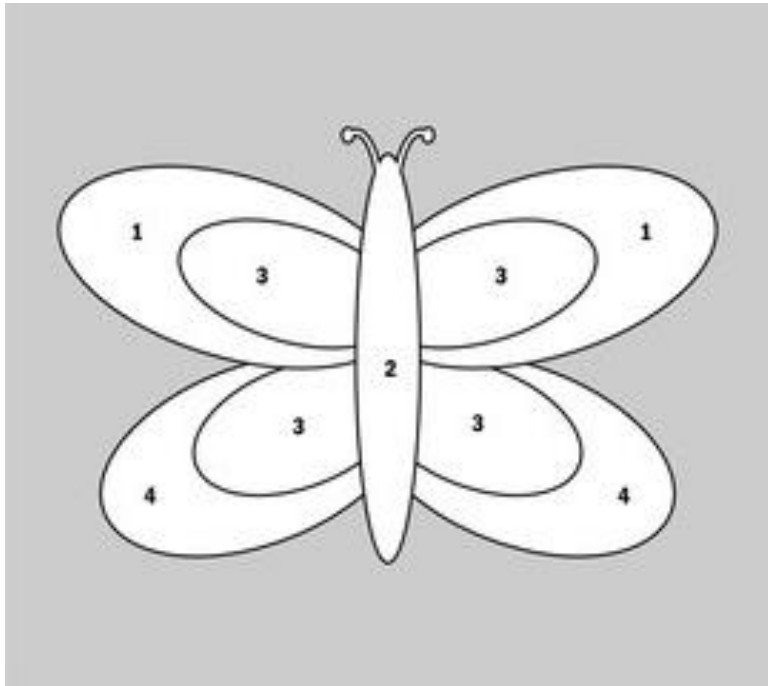**Signing the new vocabulary, signing the story from the beginning to the end.**

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1. Circle the caterpillars:

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2. Count the steps of the butterfly's life cycle shown in the picture below:

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3. Color the caterpillar and the butterfly:

Colour by numbers:

1 – blue
2 – orange
3 – yellow
4 – green

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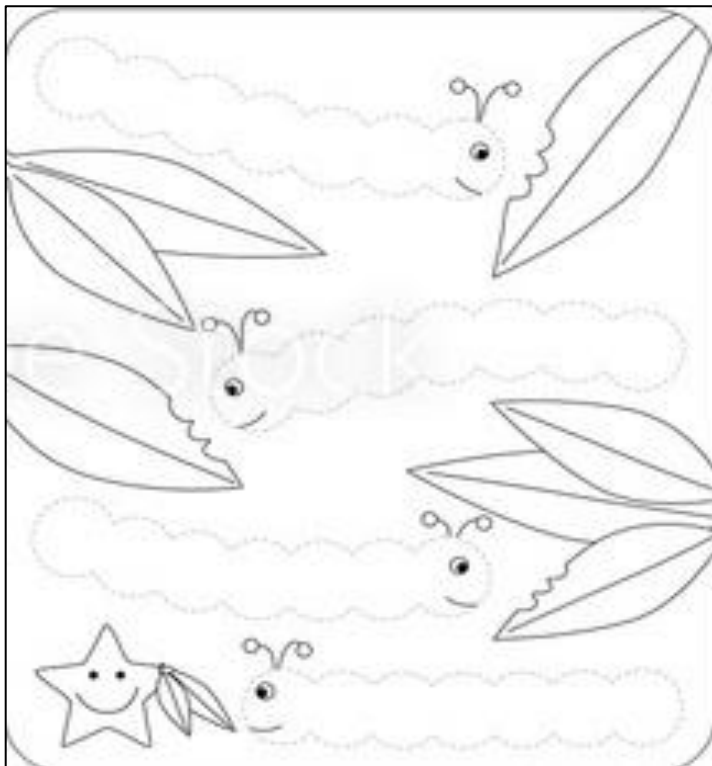
4. Fill in the missing numbers:

1 ___ 3 4 ___ 6 7 8 ___ 10

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1 ___ 3 ___ 5 ___ 7 ___ 9 ___

10 ___ 8 ___ 6 ___ 4 ___ 2 ___

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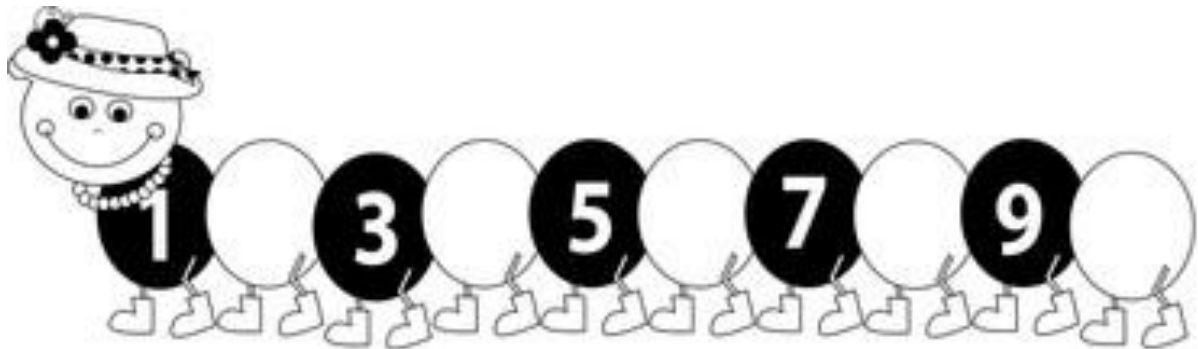
5. What does a caterpillar eat? Match the images:

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6. Match the words with the pictures:

CATERPILLAR

EGGS

PEAR

BUTTERFLY

LEAF

WINGS

APPLE

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7. Arrange the images from the story in the right order:

Omida își construi o căsuță, numită cocon, și se culcă înăuntru. După două săptămâni și mai bine de somn, se trezi. Făcu o gaură în cocon și, când se strecură încet afară...
He built a small house, called a cocoon, around himself. He stayed inside for more than two weeks. Then he nibbled a hole in the cocoon, pushed his way out and...
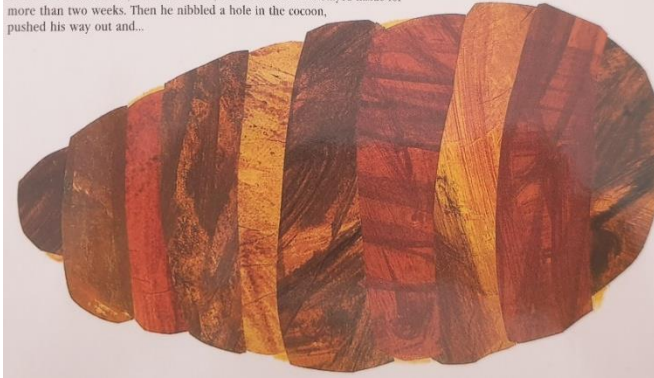
În sfârșit, nu-i mai era foame. Și, dintr-o omidă mititică, se făcuse o omidă mare și grasă.
Now he wasn't hungry any more - and he wasn't a little caterpillar any more. He was a big, fat caterpillar.
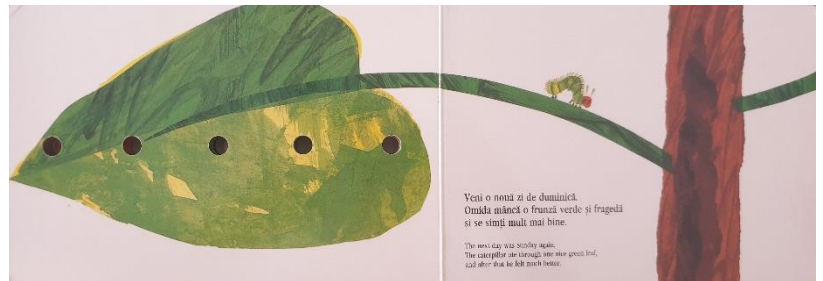
Veni o nouă zi de duminică.
Omida mâncă o frunză verde și fragedă și se simți mult mai bine.

The next day was Sunday again.
The caterpillar ate through one nice green leaf, and after that he felt much better.
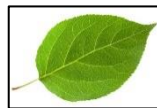
... era un minunat fluture!
he was a beautiful butterfly!

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8. Complete the sentences:

A small .... came out of the egg.

The caterpillar ate through two .... but he was still hungry.

The caterpillar ate through one green ....

The caterpillar built a small house around himself, called a ....

When the caterpillar pushed his way out he was a beautiful ....

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  1. **www.freepik.com**
  2. **www.pixabay.com**
  3. **www.pdclipart.org**
  4. **The Very Hungry Caterpillar - Animated Film**
  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY

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