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The Life Cycle of a Beetle

Short Answer Key

1. A beetle's life cycle has four stages: egg, larva, pupa, and adult.
2. Female beetles lay their eggs in safe places like under tree bark, in soil, or inside decaying wood.
3. Beetle larvae look like small, soft worms.
4. Inside the pupa stage, the beetle transforms into an adult through metamorphosis.
5. Beetles lay eggs in safe places to protect them from predators and give the larvae food when they hatch.

