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The Amazing Life of a Caterpillar

Short Answer Key

1. Mother moths and butterflies lay their eggs on the underside of leaves.
2. Caterpillars use a cocoon or chrysalis to protect themselves while they transform.
3. Caterpillars molt because their skin doesn't stretch, so they need to grow new skin.
4. Caterpillars help nature by eating old leaves and providing food for other animals.
5. After hatching, a caterpillar starts eating leaves and grows bigger.

