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The Life Cycle of a Catfish

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Why do you think catfish lay so many eggs at once?
2. How does the juvenile stage prepare catfish for adulthood?
3. What might happen to a pond or river if there were no catfish to complete their life cycle?
4. If you could observe a catfish at each stage of its life, what would you find most interesting, and why?

