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The Life Cycle of a Termite

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What are young termites called?
 - A. Eggs
 - B. Nymphs
 - C. Alates
 - D. Soldiers

2. How long does it take for a termite egg to hatch?
 - A. 3 days
 - B. 1 week
 - C. 2 weeks
 - D. 1 month

3. What role do worker termites play in the colony?
 - A. Protecting the nest
 - B. Laying eggs
 - C. Gathering food and caring for young
 - D. Starting new colonies

4. What happens during the nuptial flight?
 - A. Alates find mates and start new colonies.
 - B. Soldiers defend the colony.
 - C. Workers repair tunnels.
 - D. The queen lays eggs.

5. How long can a queen termite live?
 - A. 1-2 years
 - B. 5-10 years
 - C. 10-15 years
 - D. Over 20 years

