

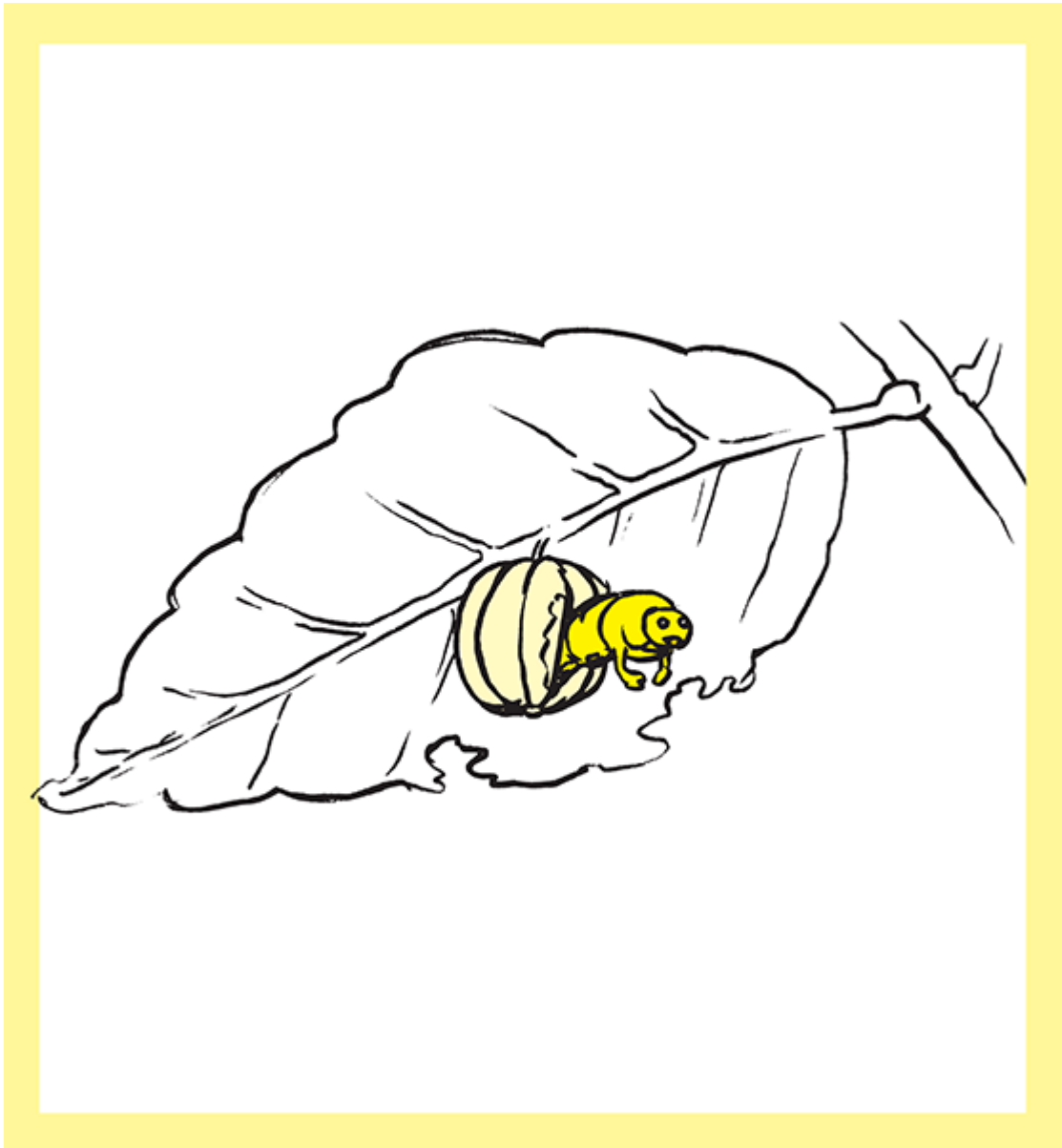


## Little Caterpillar

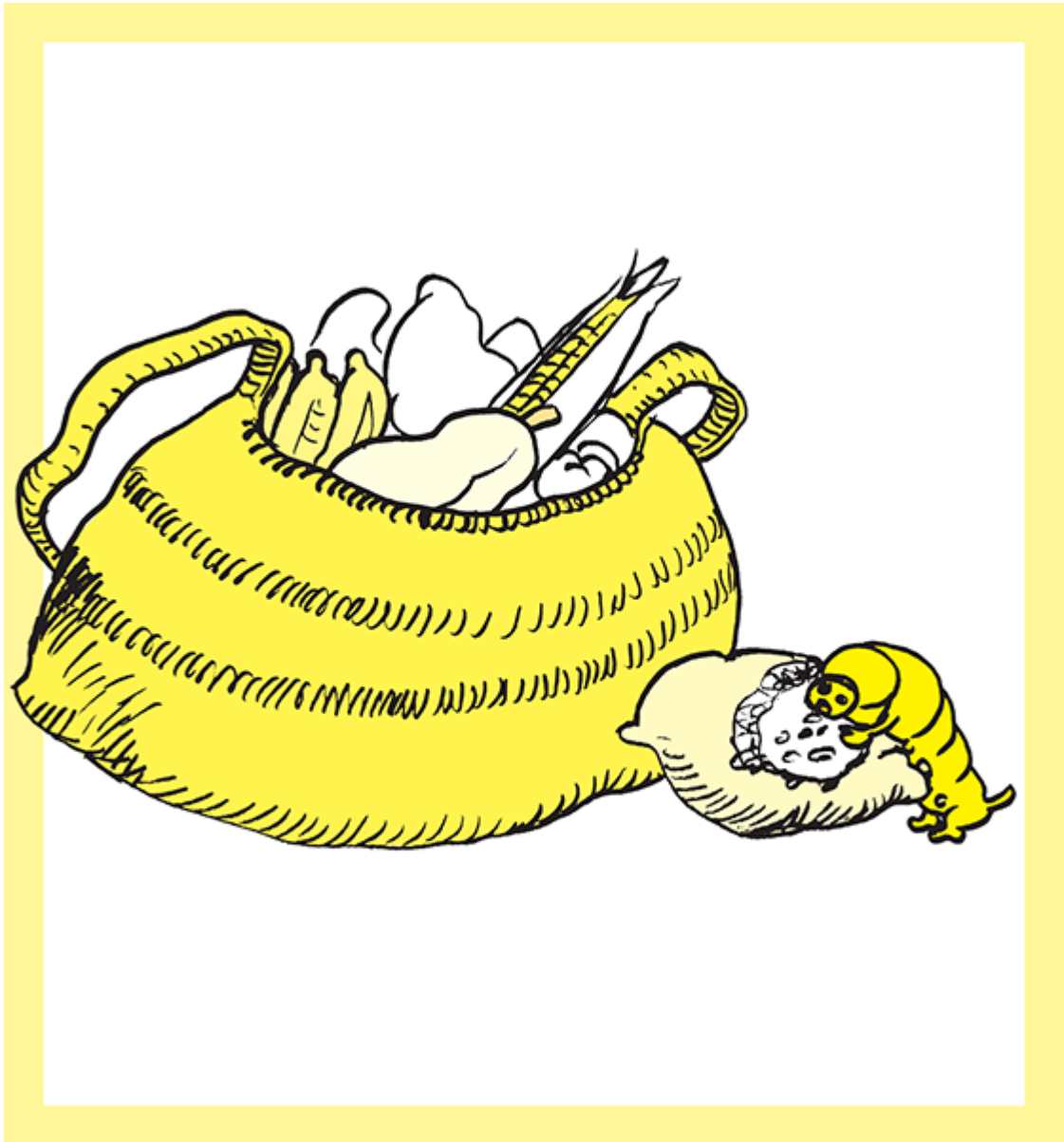
Each day caterpillar is hungry. It eats and eats and eats. What happens to the caterpillar after eating all that food?



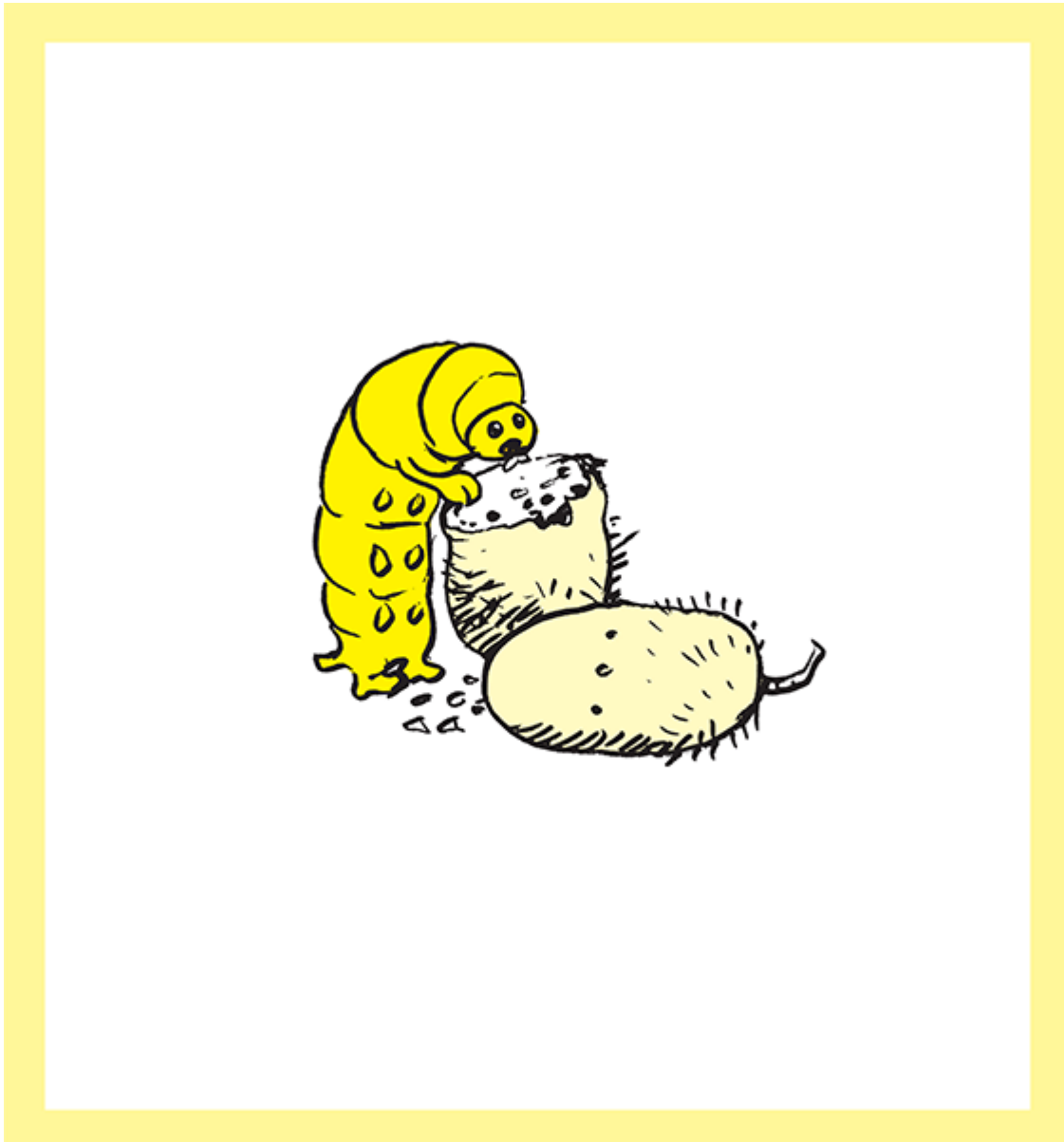
Little Caterpillar  
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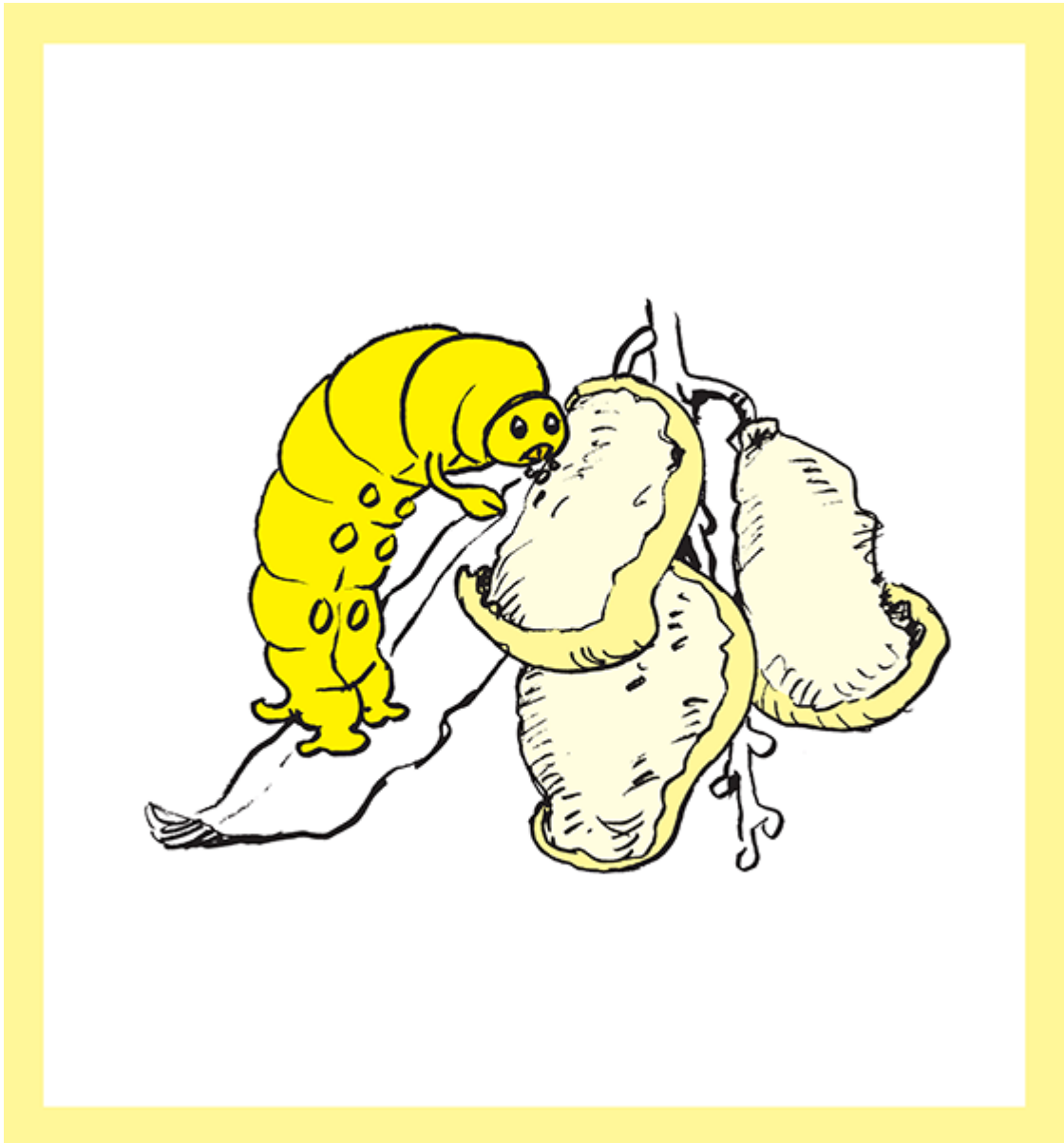
Monday See the small egg on the leaf. See it hatch.



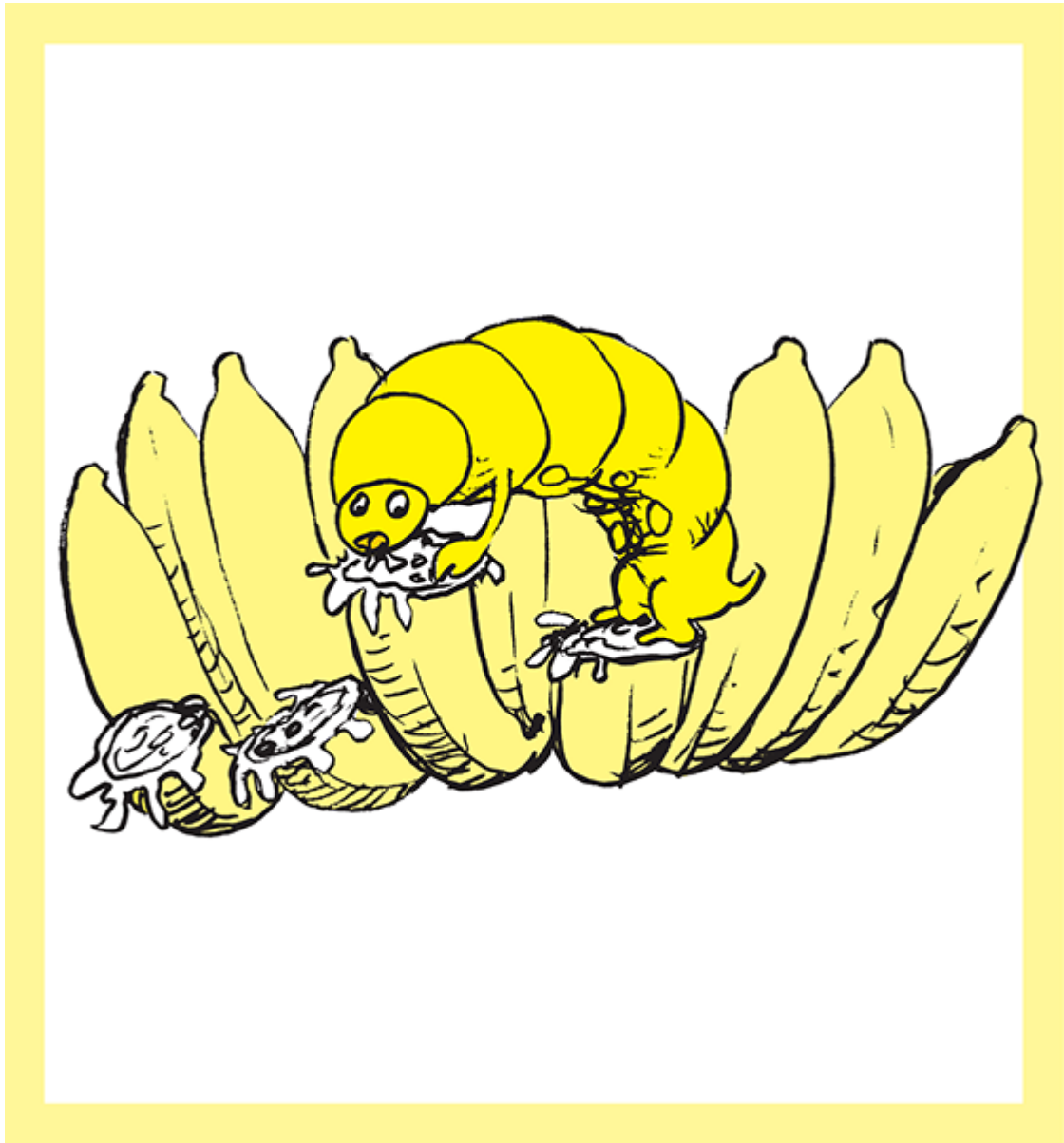
Tuesday The small caterpillar is hungry. It eats 1 kaukau.



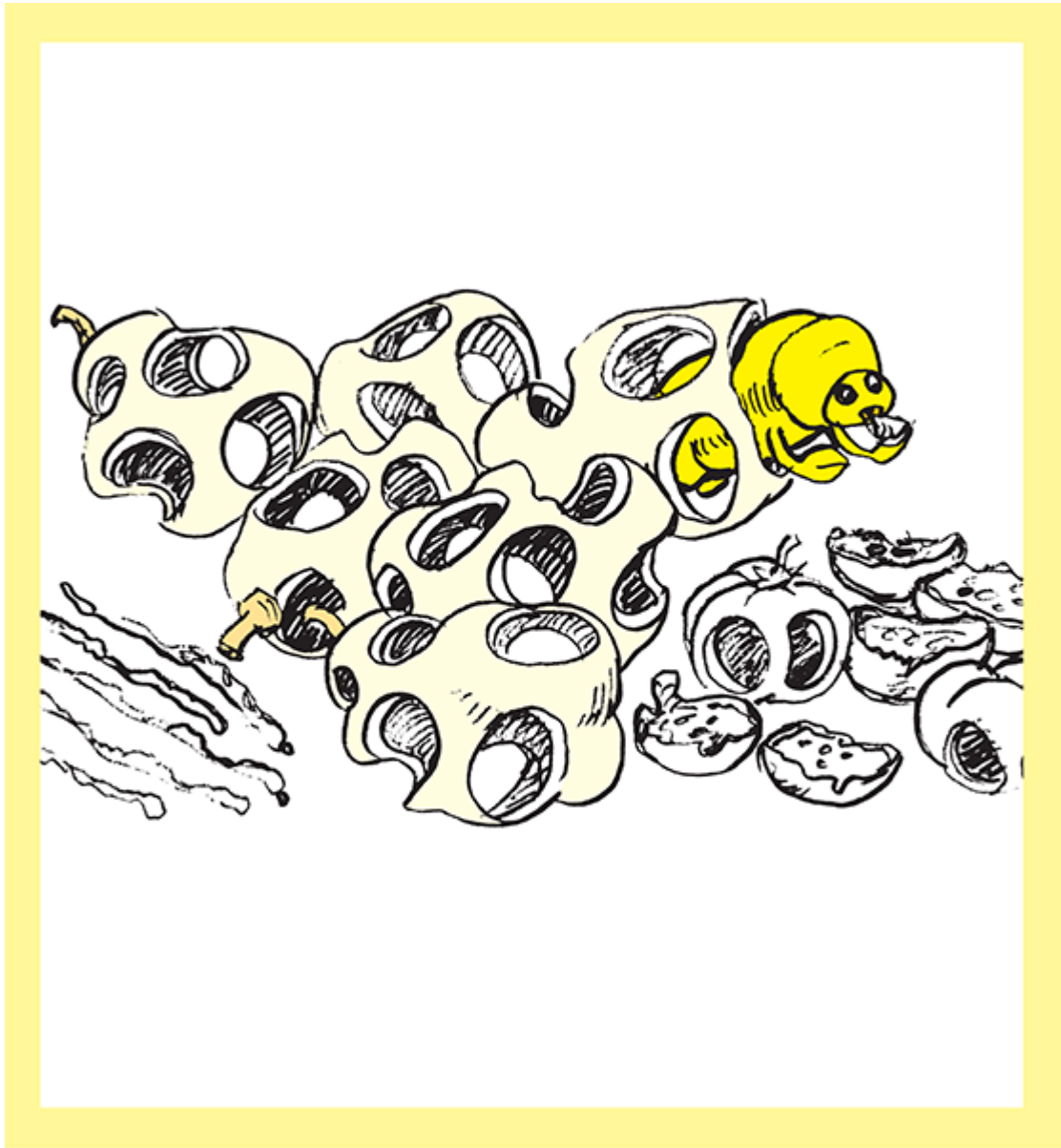
Wednesday The caterpillar is still hungry. It eats 2 yams.



Thursday The caterpillar is still hungry. It climbs a mango tree. It eats 3 mangoes.

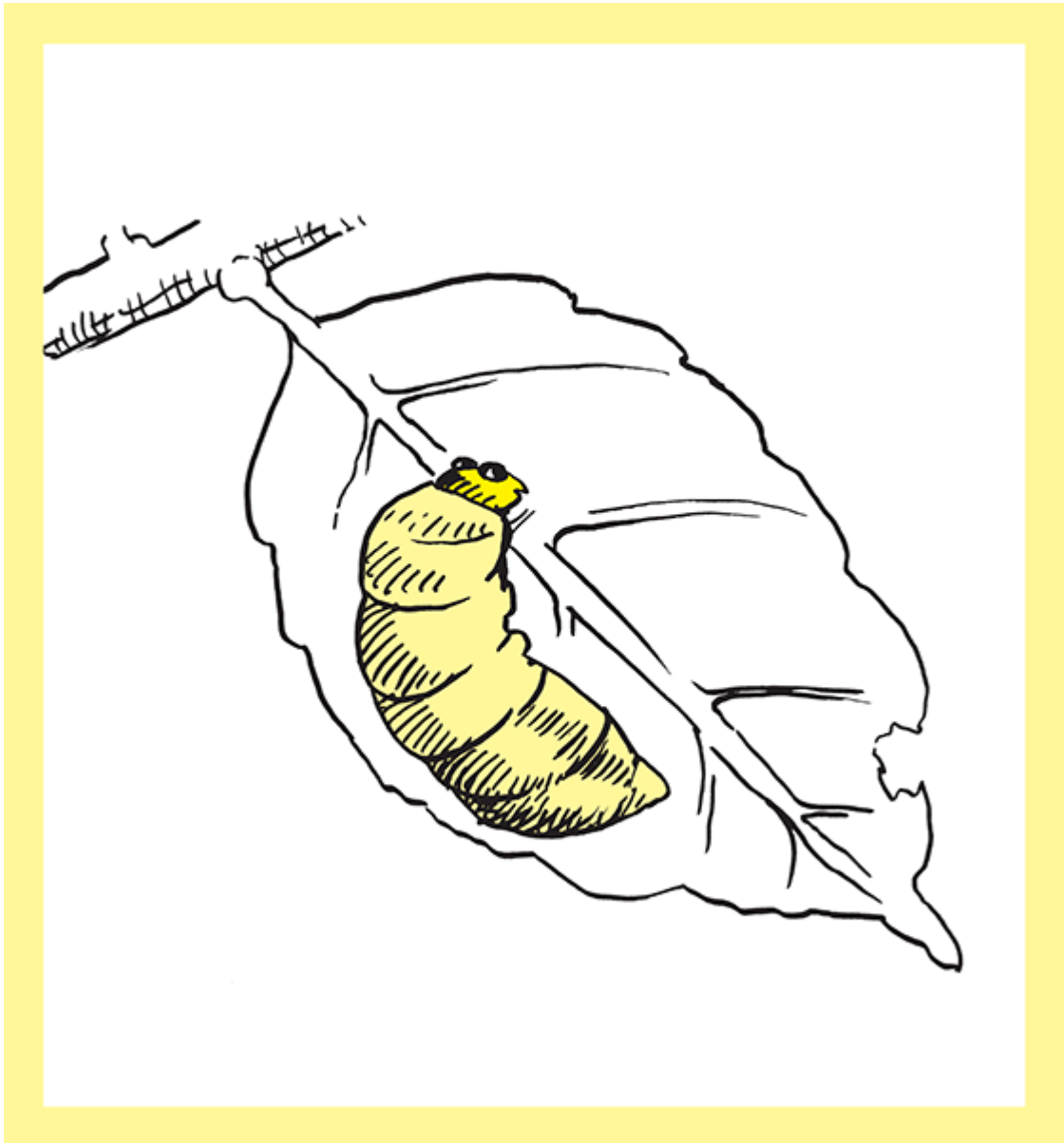


Friday The caterpillar is still hungry. It climbs a banana tree. It eats 4 bananas.

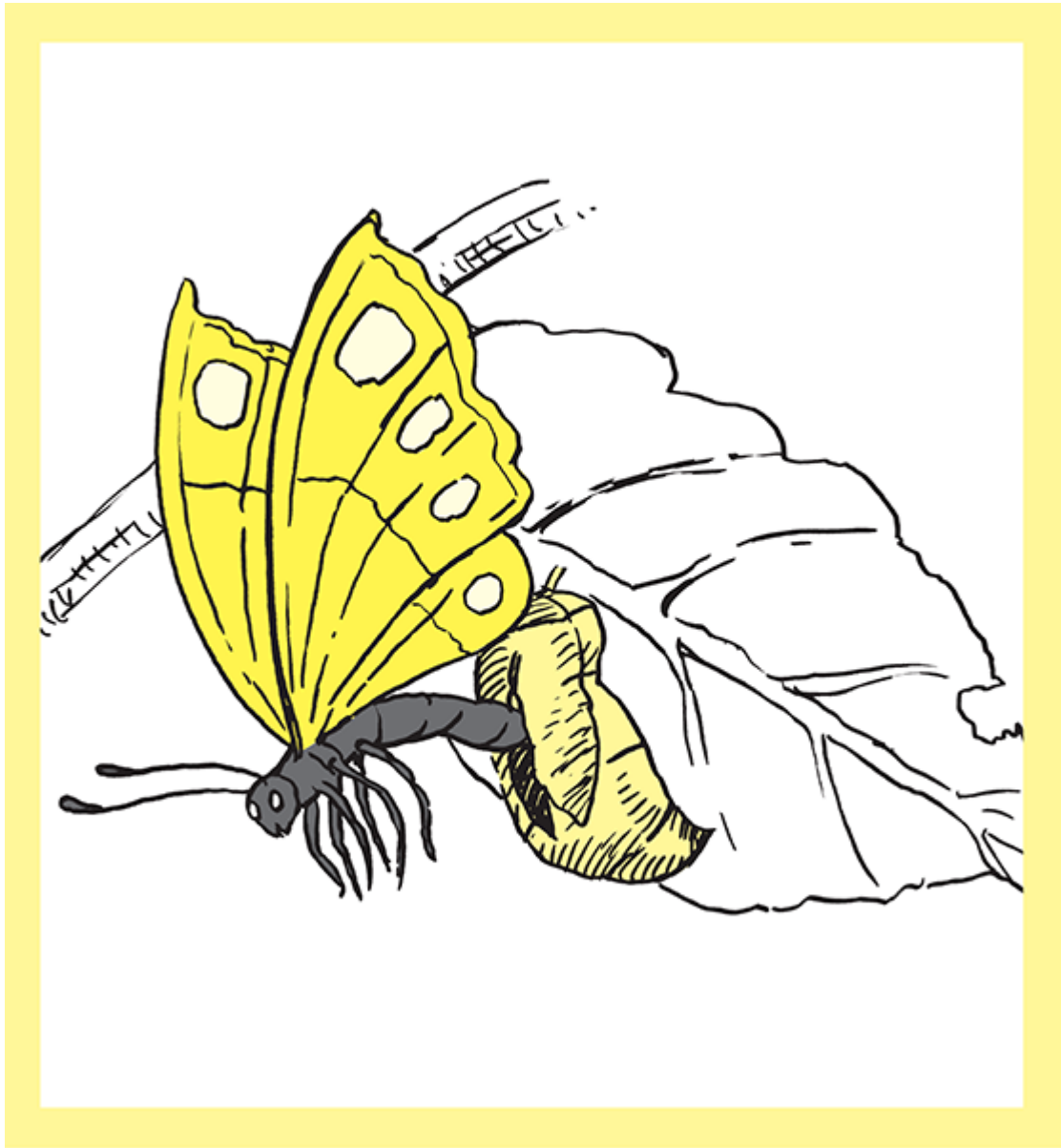


Saturday The caterpillar is still hungry. It goes into Mama's garden. It eats 5 beans, 6 pumpkins and 7 tomatoes.

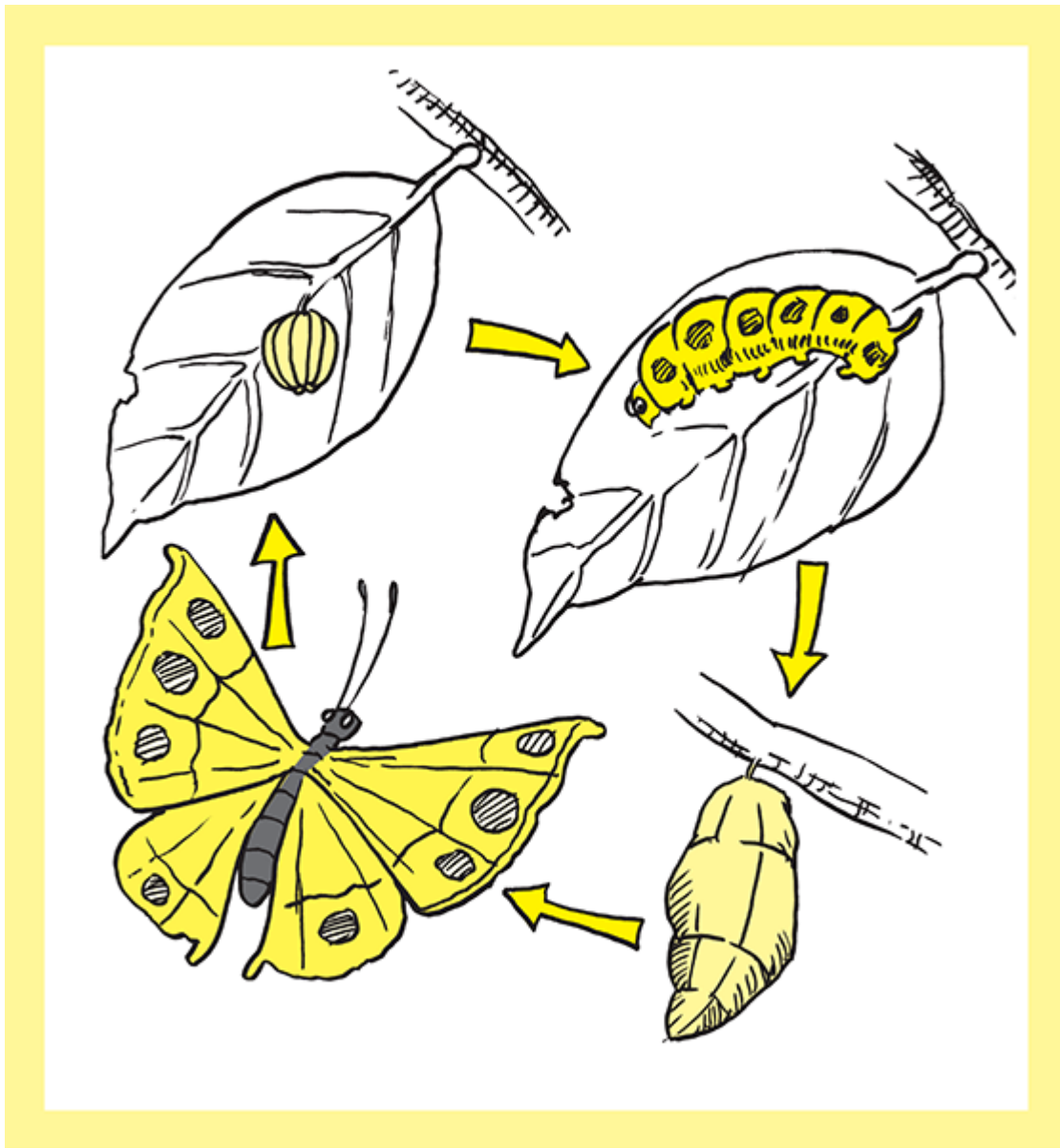




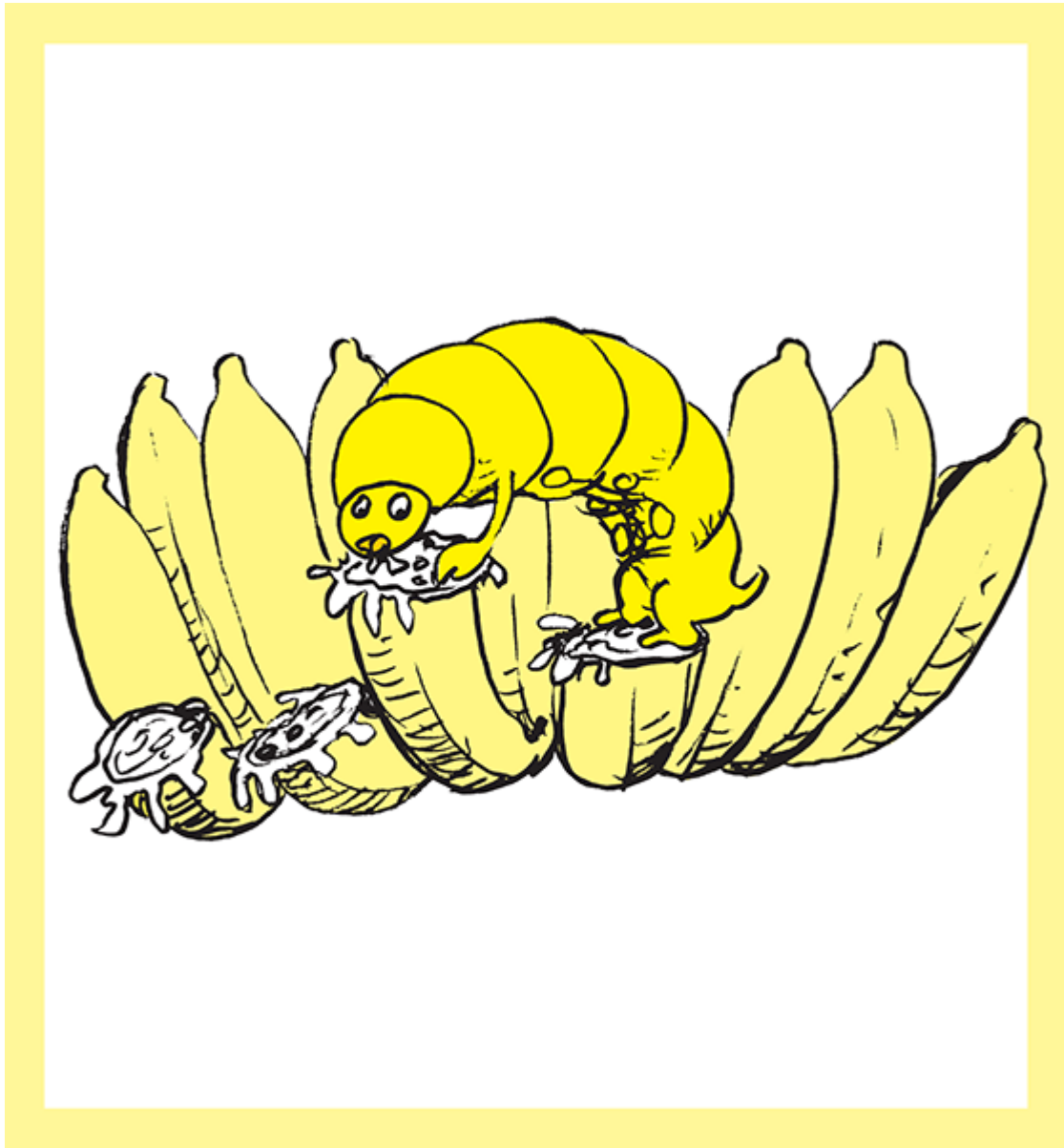
Sunday The caterpillar is fat. It feels tired. It makes a pupa and goes to sleep.



Two weeks later The caterpillar wakes up. Now it is a butterfly.



Life cycle of a butterfly  
Egg A butterfly lays eggs on a leaf. Caterpillar A caterpillar hatches from an egg. It lives for 2 to 3 weeks. Then it makes a pupa. Pupa A pupa or cocoon grow around the caterpillar. Inside the pupa, the caterpillar is changing. Butterfly The caterpillar changes into a butterfly.



Comprehension Questions

1. What hatches out of the egg on Monday?
2. What does the caterpillar eat on Tuesday?
3. Why does the caterpillar eat 2 yams on Wednesday?
4. Why does the caterpillar climb a mango tree?
5. What does the caterpillar eat in Mama's garden?
6. How does the caterpillar feel on Sunday?
7. What does the caterpillar make?
8. What happens to the caterpillar two weeks later?
9. What happens after the caterpillar makes a pupa?
10. What different types of butterflies have you seen?

Activity Draw the life cycle of your favourite animal.



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