Year 2 Knowledge Organiser – Autumn 2

ANIMALS, INCLUDING HUMANS

Key Vocabulary

offspring	A baby or young animal that grows into an adult.
reproduction	The process of having offspring.
growth	Getting bigger and developing into an adult.
baby	A very young child or animal.
toddler	A young child learning to walk and talk.
child	A young person.
teenager	A person between the ages of 13 and 19.
adult	A fully grown person or animal.
old person	An older person.
survive	To stay alive.
survival	The basic things needed to stay alive.
hygiene	Keeping clean to stay healthy and stop germs and disease.
germs	Tiny living things that can cause disease.
disease	An illness caused by germs.

More Key Vocabulary

water	Needed to keep us alive.
food	Gives us energy and helps us to grow.
air	Needed for breathing.
exercise	Physical activity that keeps us healthy.
heartbeat	The beating of the heart that pumps blood around the body.
breathing	Taking air into and out of the lungs.

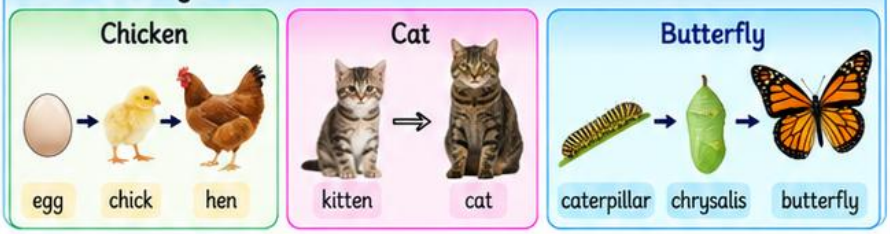
Key Knowledge

- Animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults.
- In humans and some animals, the young are born (e.g. babies or kittens). In other animals, such as chickens or insects, eggs are laid that hatch into young which then grow into adults.
- The young of some animals do not look like their parents, for example tadpoles.
- All animals, including humans, have the basic needs of water, food and air to survive.
- To grow into healthy adults, humans need the right amounts and types of food, exercise and good hygiene.

Human life stages



Animal life cycles



Basic Needs for Survival



Keeping Healthy

