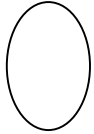


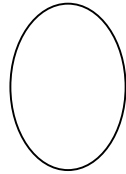
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List 4 animals that lay eggs.

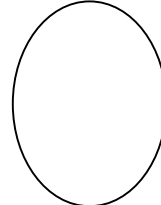
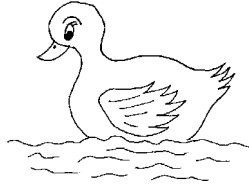

*What's in an egg?*



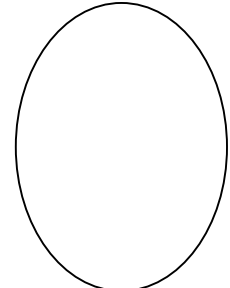
Chicken egg



Duck egg



Goose egg



Emu egg

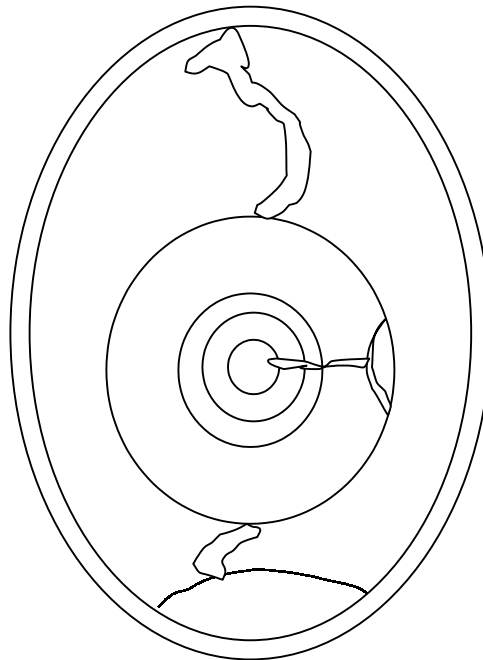
The yellow of the egg is called the yolk. When an egg is fertile it has an embryo. A fertile egg will hatch a chick, duckling or baby bird.

The chalaza is like a string coming out of each side of the yolk and it is attached to the inside of the shell. The chalaza always holds the yolk in the same place. No matter how many times the egg is turned the position of the embryo is the same.

The egg has an air chamber so the bird can breathe. The bird will always be lying with its head in the air chamber. The air chamber is at the large end of the egg.

- shell
- shell membrane
- chalaza
- albumen (egg white)
- germ spot
- yolk (egg yellow)
- air chamber

Can you identify the different parts of an egg?



Draw a large egg on a piece of paper like this one and write the parts of an egg.

Have you ever seen an egg hatch?