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MEASUREMENT TOPIC: Explain Patterns of Behavior and Growth

4	☐ Compare and contrast which traits lead to survival versus those that do not.
3	☐ **Use information from observations to explain how various external features help living things survive, grow, and meet their needs.** ☐ **Obtain information from text and other media to provide evidence that parents and their offspring engage in patterns of behavior that help the offspring survive.**
2	☐ Investigate how plants use their external parts to survive. ☐ Investigate how animals use their external parts to survive. ☐ Make observations to identify similarities and differences between offspring and their parents.
1	☐ With help, a partial understanding of some of the simpler details and processes, and some of the more complex ideas and processes.

Key Vocabulary: : offspring, parent, behavior, survive, difference, similar, inherit, trait, structure, function

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