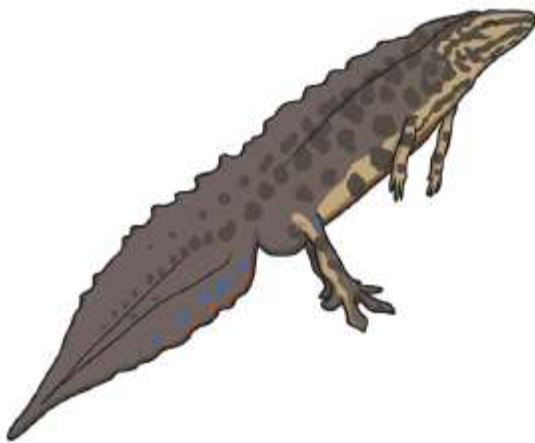
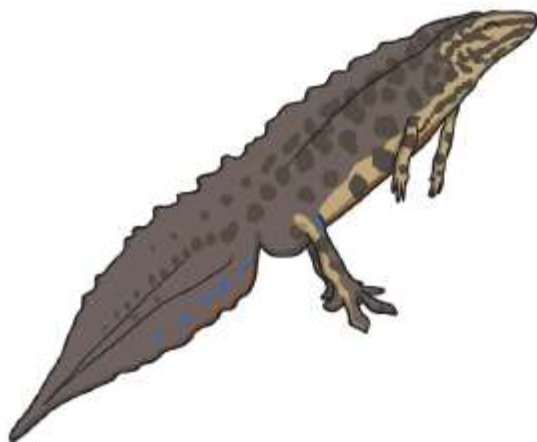


Lifecycle of a NEWT

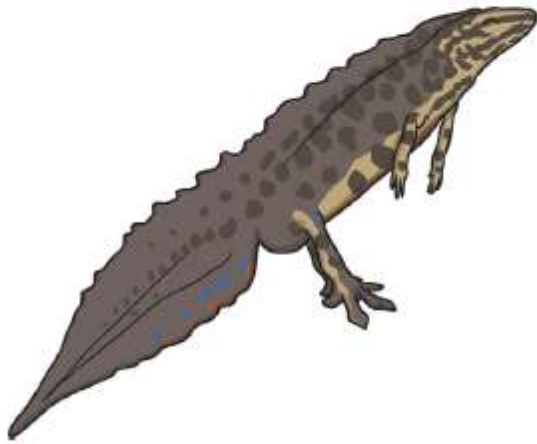
The female lays fertilised eggs in water.



After 2 or 3 weeks, tadpoles hatch from the eggs. They eat plankton and small insects and breathe through gills.



The tadpoles grow front legs, then back legs. They develop lungs to breathe. They look like small newts.



The young newts leave the water after about 10 weeks. After three years, they will be adults and will reproduce.

