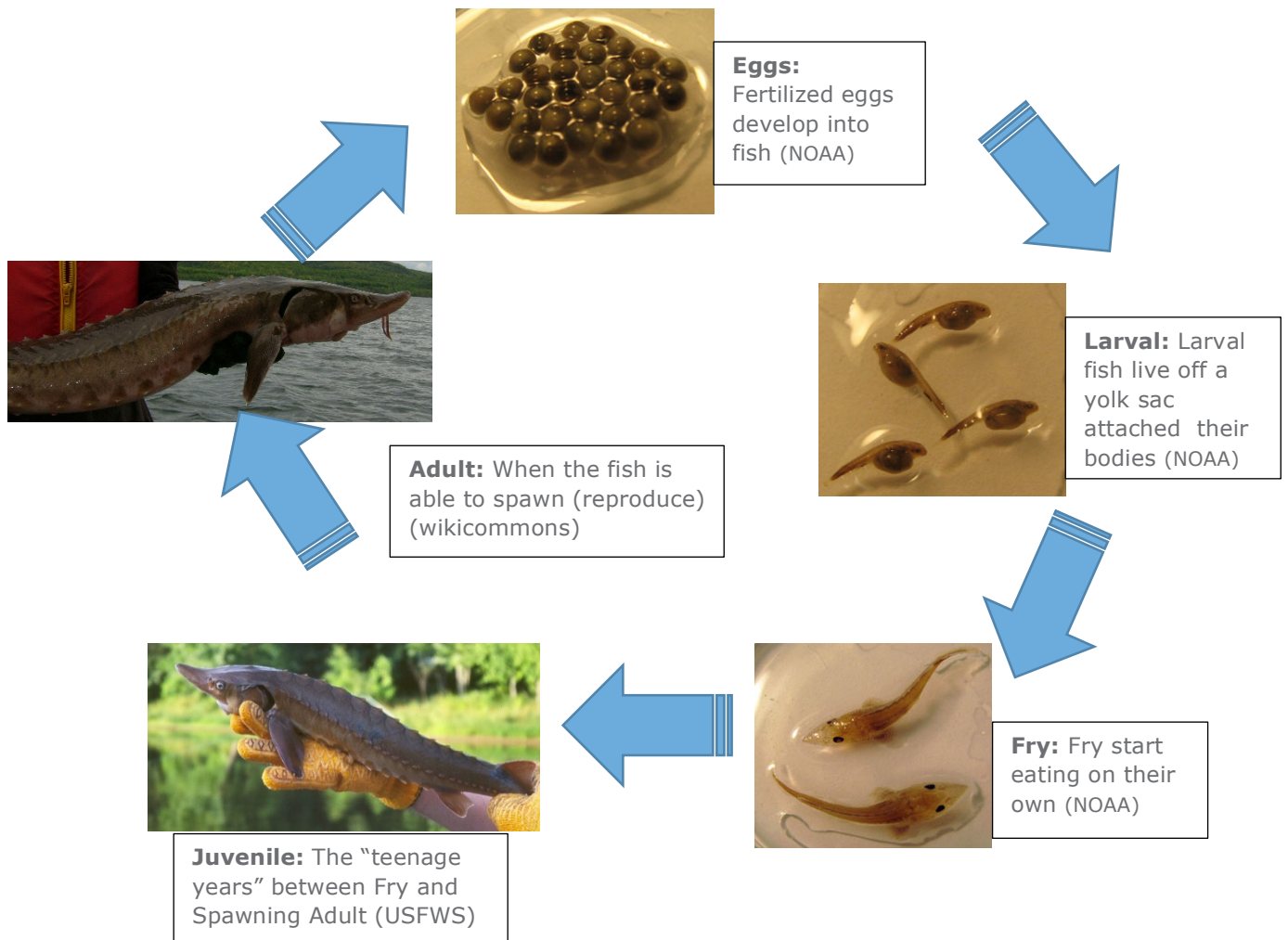


## 1.5a GRR Sturgeon Student Worksheet

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### Fish Life Cycle

Fish life cycles vary among species. In general, however, fish progress through the following life cycle stages shown for sturgeon below.



### Grand River Fishes Life Cycles

The Grand River is home to many fish species. Your group will research one species' life cycle to share with the class. Current estimates are that there are about 100 sturgeon in total in the Grand River. For the other species, we can estimate their abundance by how many were caught in the Lower Grand River near Grand Rapids. The more fish caught, the larger the population. The Michigan DNR will stock (put young fish) into rivers and lakes in Michigan to support their populations. You can find out if your species is stocked by using the following website - <https://www.michigandnr.com/fishstock/>.