



# Frogwatch's Education Kit for Yr 2 to Yr 7



# Frogwatch's Frogs!!! PowerPoint Presentation

Please see PowerPoint Presentation attached.

## Frogwatch's Online Education Kit

Please go to <http://www.ginninderralandcare.org.au> click Frogwatch - Frogwatch Education – Resources for teachers – Frogwatch Schools Education Kit

## Activities

**1. Life cycle of a frog:** See below for a life cycle diagram. Also, attached with this kit, a booklet and a flip book on the life cycle of a frog.

See this link for a well-made 3 minute video on the life cycle of frogs:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AMs3waaW75g#t=18>

**2. Teaching Ideas:** <http://museum.wa.gov.au/explore/frog-watch-schools/frog-watch-schools-kit> for lots of great teaching ideas about frogs. The kit was made for Western Australia so the frog species are different to the ones found in the ACT and region (for our local frog species see our website) but the teaching ideas are applicable for us too.

Visit <http://australianmuseum.net.au/Frogs-amphibians/> for information on Australian frogs and you can even download a Mobile App: Frogs Field Guide to help you identify the local frogs.

Also visit [http://www.naturewatch.ca/english/frogwatch/curriculum/junior\\_guide\\_k6.pdf](http://www.naturewatch.ca/english/frogwatch/curriculum/junior_guide_k6.pdf)

**3. Endangered species in the ACT:** Corroboree Frogs and Green and Golden Bell Frog see below colouring in sheet. See also online puppet show for more on this subject.

For a more thorough investigation on Corroboree Frogs see the Corroboree Frog Education Kit produced by Wirraminna Environmental Education Centre on this address:

[http://wirraminna.org/wirra-projects/corroboree-frogs/Corroboree\\_Frog\\_Education\\_Kit.pdf](http://wirraminna.org/wirra-projects/corroboree-frogs/Corroboree_Frog_Education_Kit.pdf)

**4. Frog identification:** go to our website <http://www.ginninderralandcare.org.au/frog-identification> to hear all the calls of the various frogs we have in the ACT and then try identifying them playing the chorus and mystery frogs at the bottom of the page.

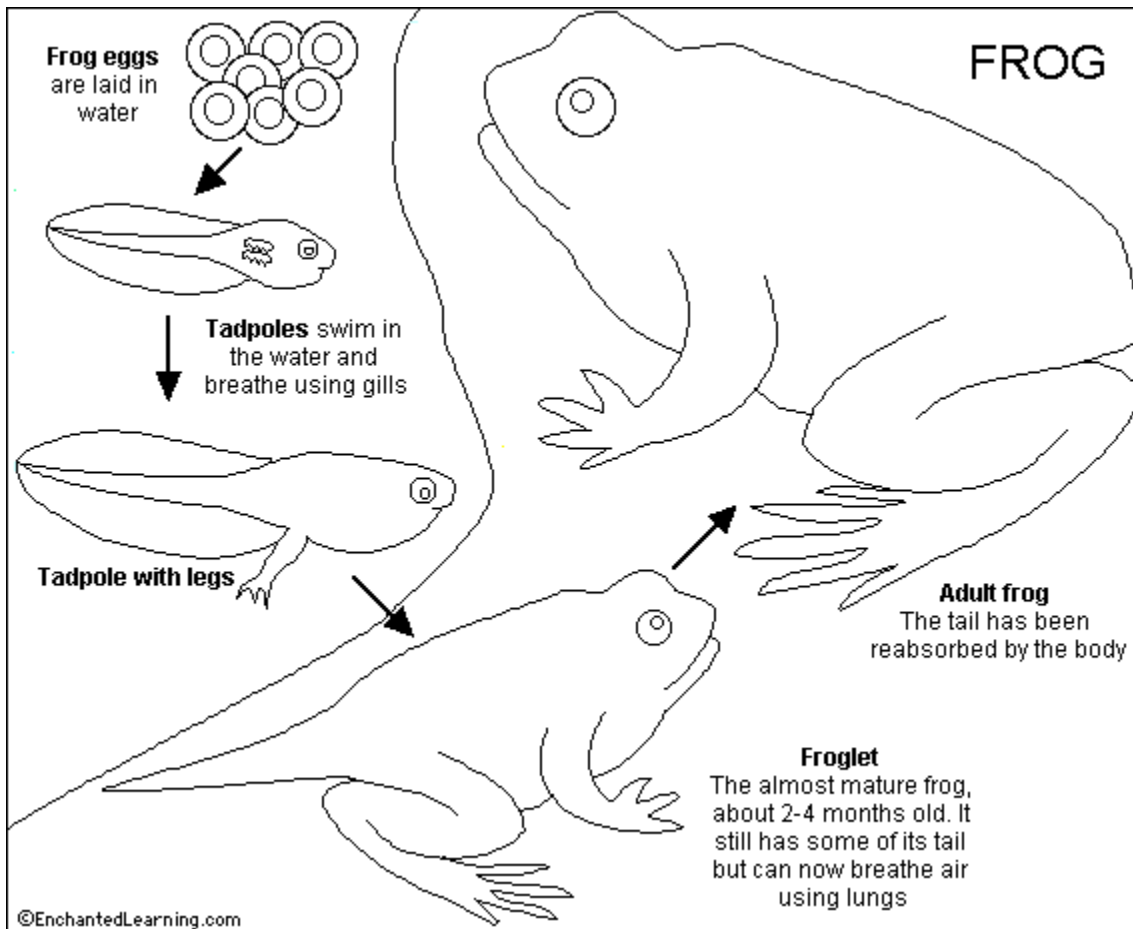
And just for fun follow this link for a pretend frog chorus:

<http://www.enature.com/sitenav/boyzindapond.asp>

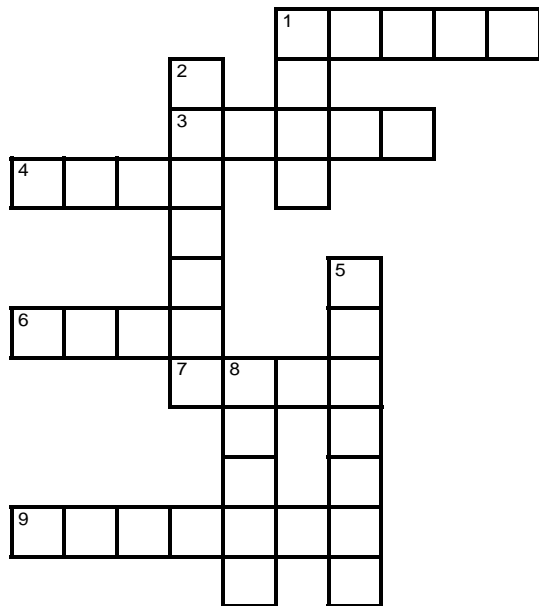
**5. Origami Frog:** see below

**6. Frog Riddles:** see below... just for fun

## Life cycle of a frog



# Life cycle of a frog - Activity sheet



## Frog Life Cycle



### Across

1. What do frogs use to breathe?
3. What do tadpoles eat?
4. A place where a mother frog might lay eggs.
6. What do tadpoles use to swim?
7. What do mother frogs lay?
9. A young frog with a tail still attached.

### Down

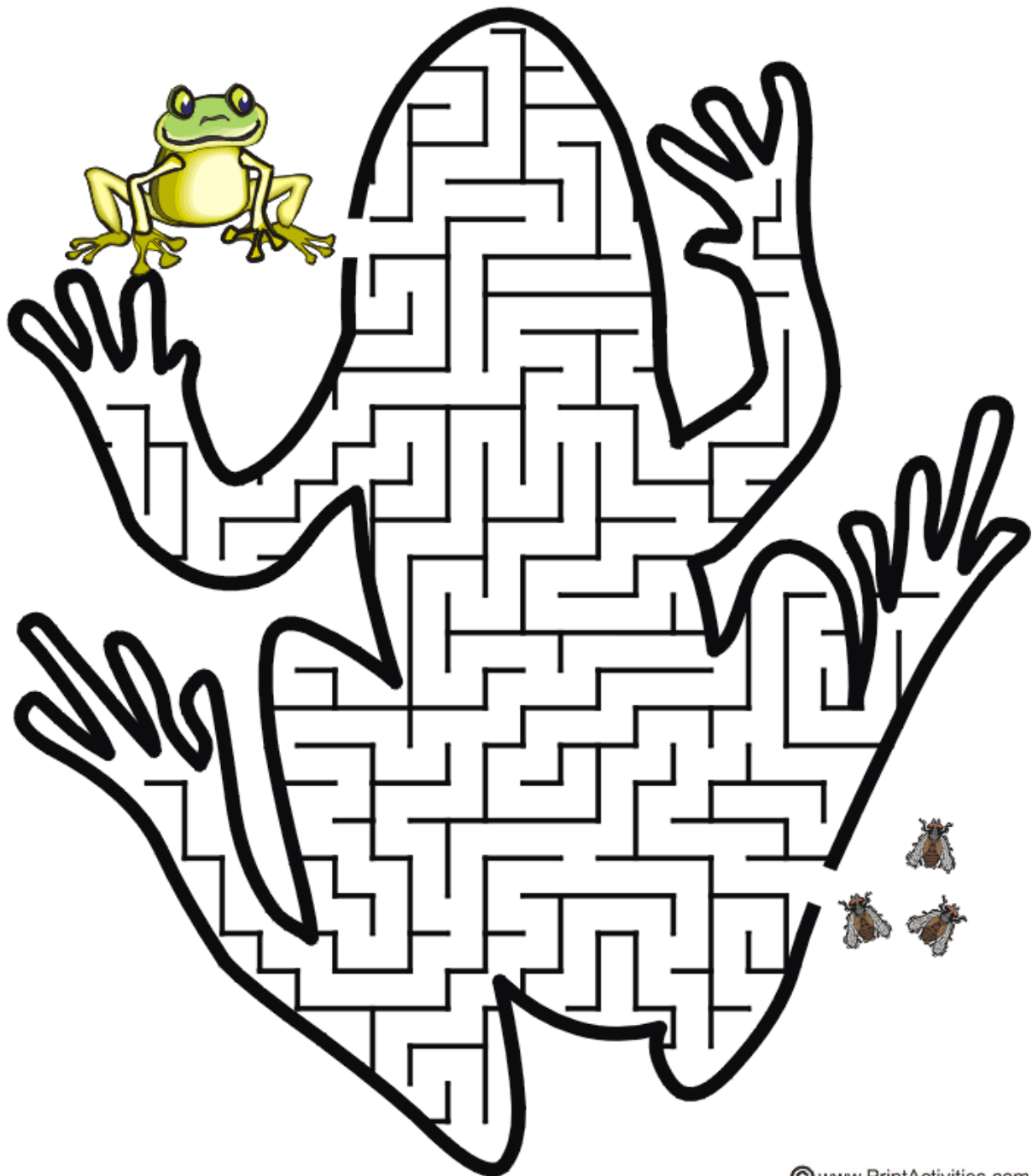
1. Adult frogs use these to move around instead of a tail.
2. A baby frog.
5. What do adult frogs eat?
8. What do tadpoles use to breathe?

Find these frog life cycle words in the grid to the right.

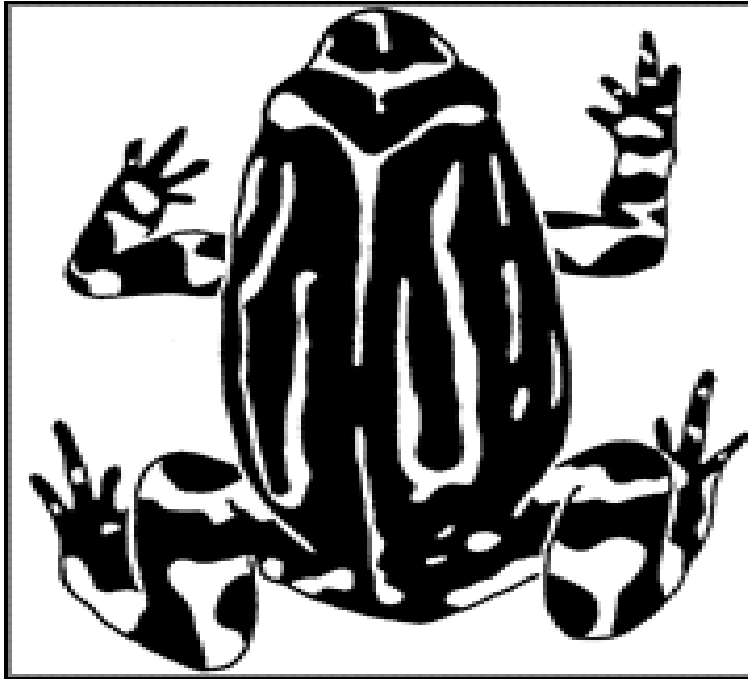
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- tail
- water



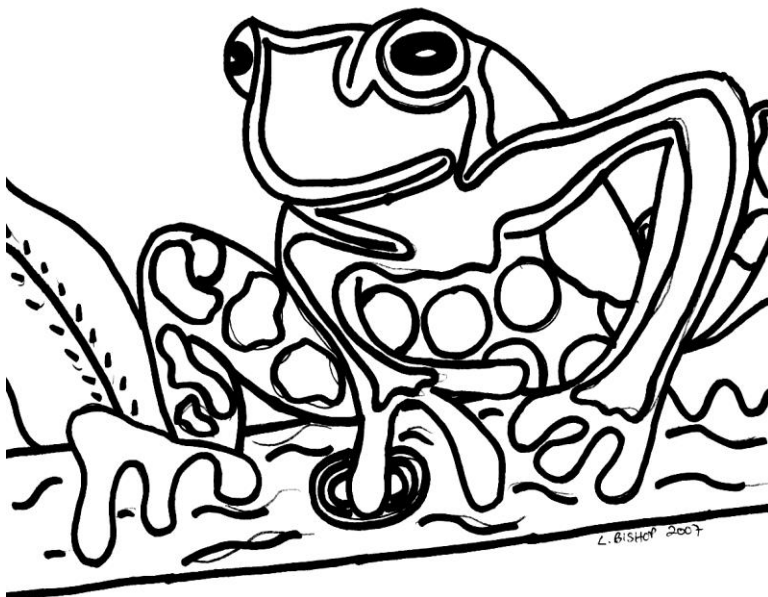
Show the frog the path through the Frog shaped maze to catch the flies.



## Endangered species in the ACT: Colouring in Frogs



**Corroboree Frog** (colour in black and yellow)



**Green and Golden Bell Frog** (colour in green and gold!)

# Origami Frog

Care for wildlife near your home. Make a toad abode for your backyard. Just Google "toad abode."

FrogWatch USA is a frog and toad monitoring program that gives YOU the opportunity to help scientists conserve amphibians! Visit [www.nwf.org/frogwatchUSA/](http://www.nwf.org/frogwatchUSA/) to get involved.

Turn over and start folding!

## Answer the Call of the Wild Fold Your Own Frog Friend

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1 Start with a SQUARE piece of paper. TURN OVER, so the green side is down.



2 Fold the opposite edges together, then unfold. Repeat using the other edges. Open it up. It's a square again.



3 Fold each of the four corners to the center point.



4 Fold each of the two top edges to the center line.



5 Fold the triangle at the bottom upwards.



6 Fold each of the bottom two corners to the middle of the bottom edge.



7 Fold the bottom portion upwards (along the dotted line).



8 Fold the top half of the lower rectangle downwards toward yourself. This forms the frog's legs.



9 Give your frog a head by folding a small part of the upper point downwards. Draw two eyes, and your frog is done.

To make your frog jump, push down on the "X" and slide your finger away from the frog.



## Frog Riddles

Q: What happens if a frog parks in a bus stop?

A: He gets toad away.

Q: Why are frogs always happy?

A: Because they eat whatever bugs them.

Q: What happens when two frogs catch the same fly?

A: They get tongue-tied.

Q: What do you get when you cross a pig with a frog?

A: A Ham-phantian.

Q: What kind of frog lives in a treehouse?

A: A tree frog.

Q: What kind of frog do you find on a farm?

A: A bullfrog.

Q: What do you get when you cross a frog with a rabbit?

A: Ribbits.

Q: What kind of dart shouldn't you throw?

A: Poison Dart Frog.



## Colouring in Spotted Grass Frog

