

Keep the Yarra Valley Fruit Fly FREE



Queensland Fruit Fly - Video 1 worksheet

Name: _____

Where does the Queensland Fruit Fly lay her eggs?

- a) On a branch
- b) On a leaf
- c) Only in Queensland
- d) In ripening fruit and vegetables

What does the larvae do to fruit and vegetables?

- a) Burrow into the fruit and make it go rotten and mushy
- b) Munch holes through leaves
- c) They collect nectar to sweeten the fruit

What are the identifying features of the Queensland Fruit Fly?

Draw a line to connect each feature to the correct part of the Queensland Fruit Fly

- o Yellow shoulder pads
- o Yellow stripes on the back
- o Large reddish brown eyes
- o Ovipositor (Stinger on the female fly)
- o Yellow triangle on base of thorax

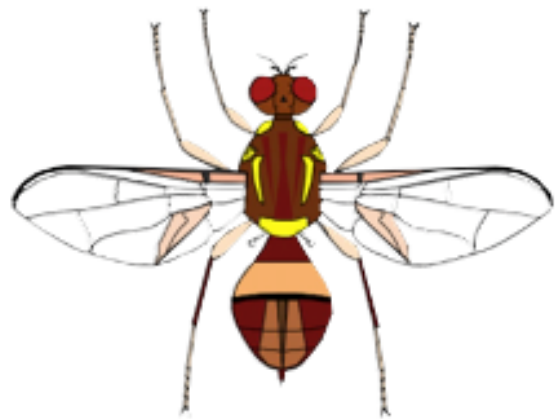


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Life Cycle of the Queensland Fruit Fly

Draw a line to connect the life cycle stage with the correct picture below

Pupae

Eggs

Adult

Larvae



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Why is the Queensland Fruit Fly a problem for the Yarra Valley?

- a) Queensland Fruit Fly affects farmers who grow crops for a living in the Yarra Valley
- b) Queensland Fruit Fly can spread from garden to garden
- c) Queensland Fruit Fly destroys our own home grown fruit and vegetables
- d) Queensland Fruit Fly makes our fruit and vegetables rotten and inedible
- e) All of the above

List your favourite fruits and vegetables that you like to eat or grow at home/school?

Draw and label a picture of what happens to our fruits or vegetables when they are affected by the Queensland Fruit Fly