

bear life cycle

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adult





adult fishing

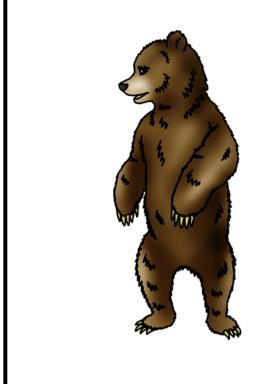
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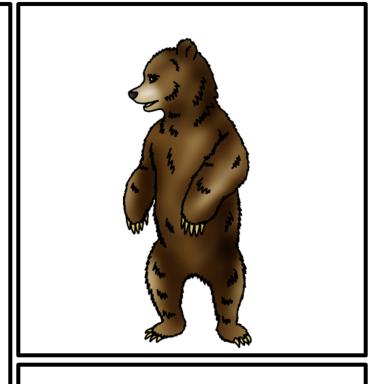




cub



adolescent



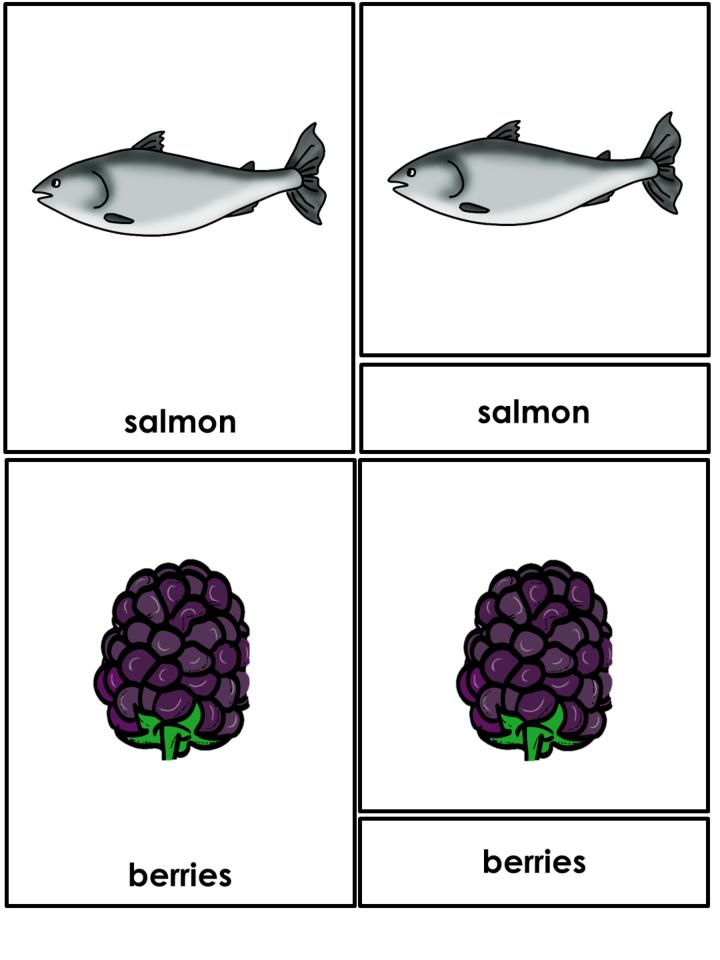
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hibernation



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bear track

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cub

A newborn cub does not have fur and cannot see until it is several days old.

Cubs will stay with their mothers for up to three years. Cubs need protection from predators, such as wolves and other bears.

adolescent

When the bears are adolescents, they will be able to feed themselves. Then the mother will breed again, and it will be time for the adolescent bears to leave the mother.

Now, the bear will weight between 350 to 700 lbs (158 to 318 kg).

adult

Bears typically live between 15 to 20 years. They can grow to be between 5 to 8 feet tall (1.5 to 2.4 meters). They will weigh up to 700 lbs (318 kg).

When bears reproduce, the mother raises the cubs alone.

Females reproduce once every three years.

hibernation

During the fall, bears will eat a lot – up to 90 lbs (40 kg) of food! They are preparing for hibernation. Brown bears dig dens for hibernation.

Female bears den while pregnant, and give birth during this time.

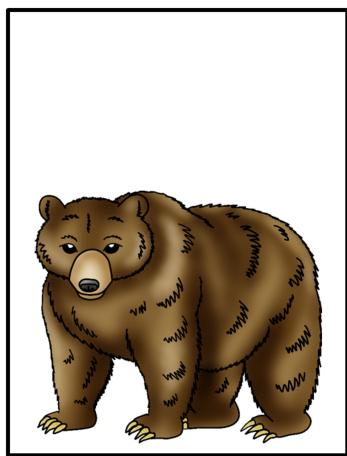
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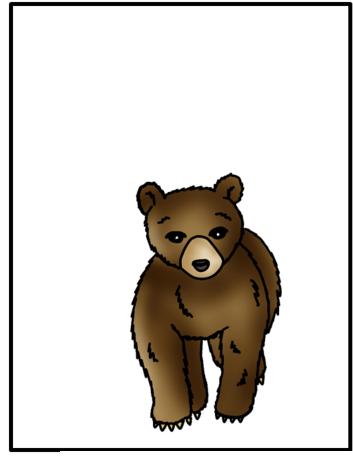
Brown bears are omnivores.

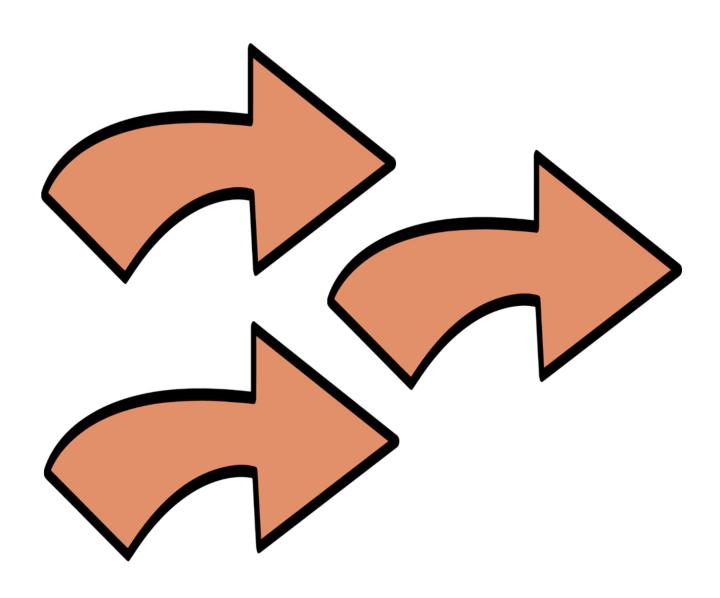
They eat fish, such as salmon, nuts, berries, fruit, leaves, and roots.

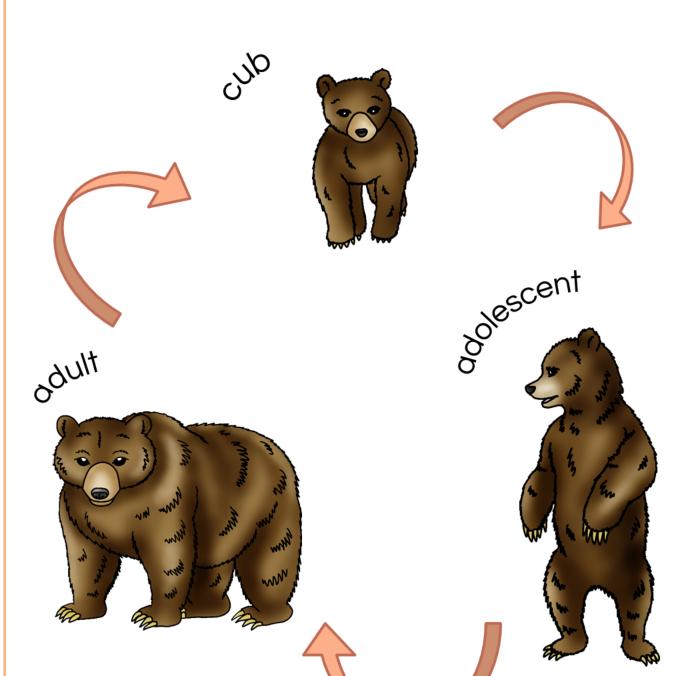
They are also at the top of the food chain. They may also eat other animals, including moose and rodents.

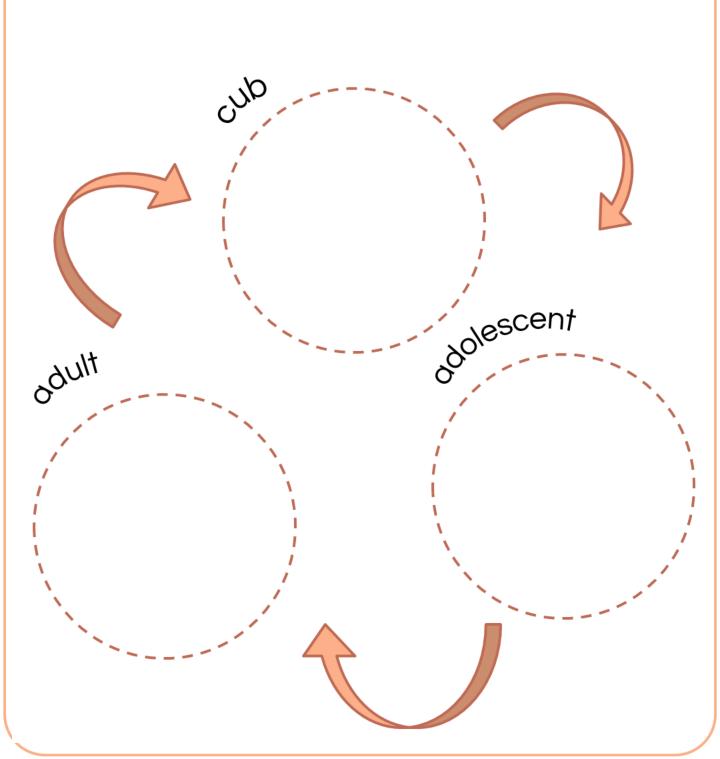


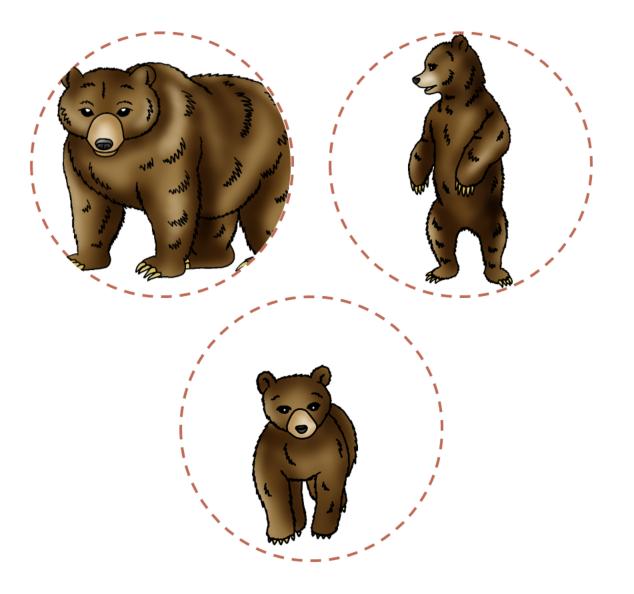


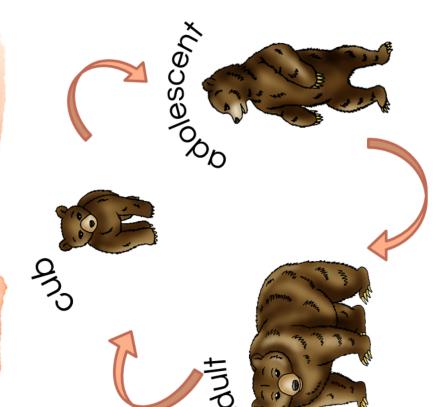












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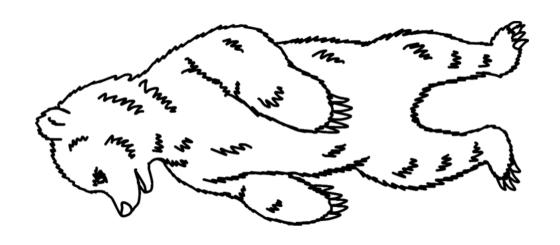




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