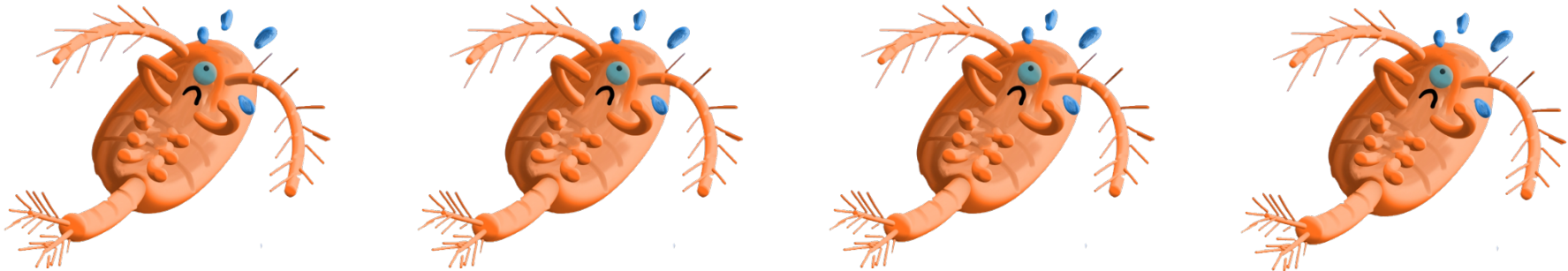


I spend the day chasing the children and making sure they behave. They are somewhat naughty.

Being a parent is exhausting!

But it is also so beautiful, and it is the cycle of life!



To learn more: Nauplii undergo 11 molts until they become adults. Once a copepod is an adult, it no longer grows and devotes all its energy to eating, escaping from predators, and reproducing.