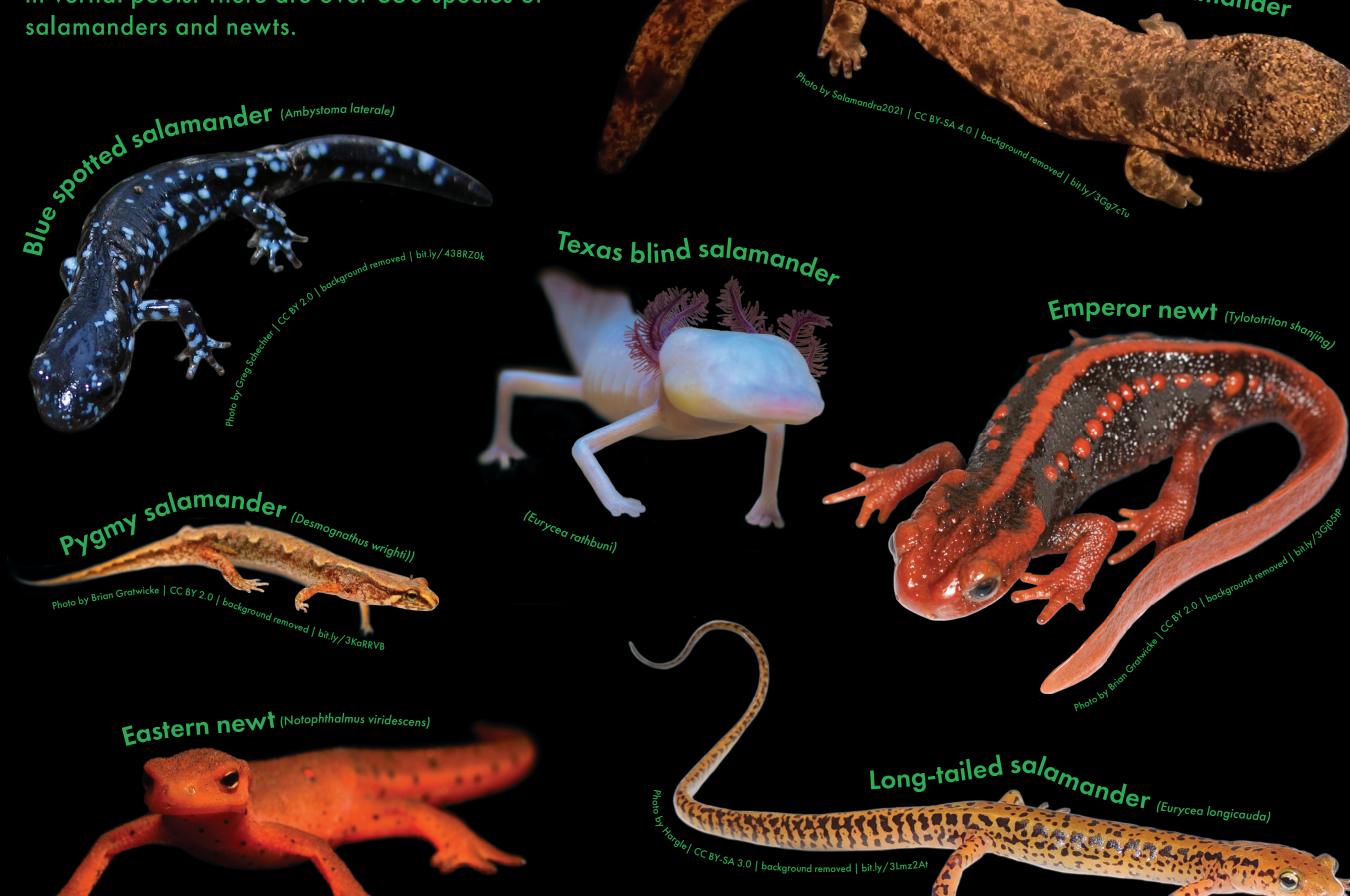
Amphibians are cold-blooded animals that begin their life in wet environments and absorb water through their skin. They undergo metamorphosis to become adults.

## SALAMANDERS + NEWTS

Salamanders and newts may look like lizards, but they do not have scaly skin. They begin their lifecycles in wet areas like under leaves or in vernal pools. There are over 650 species of salamanders and newts.



## FROGS + TOADS

Worldwide, there are over 5,300 species of frogs and toads and over 95 species in North America. Most toads have warty, drier skin than frogs which tend to have moist skin. Both groups absorb water through their skin.





Caecilians are legless amphibians that often live underground. There are close to 200 species of them. They have small eyes and come in different colours. The largest caecilian known can grow up to 5 feet in length!













