An adult male and female blackbird meet up and mate. The female builds a nest from grass and twigs.

The female blackbird lays her eggs inside the nest.
The female blackbird sits on her eggs to keep them warm.

After two weeks, chicks hatch from the eggs.
At 14 days old, the chicks leave the nest. They flutter around and learn to fly.
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A chick begs its mum and dad for food. Chicks live with their parents until they are about six weeks old.
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