

Evolution and the Lawnmower

Evolution is a slow process that takes a long time. Adaptation and genetic mutation typically occur very slowly, but sometimes there is a quantum leap that moves us in a completely different direction.

The lawnmower is a tool for cutting grass. It can be like a pair of scissors or it could be different.

The old "push mower" was like a pair of scissors.



How can you make the old push mower easier to use and more efficient?
You add some parts to the basic design.



How do you take a quantum leap forward? You change the basic design.

