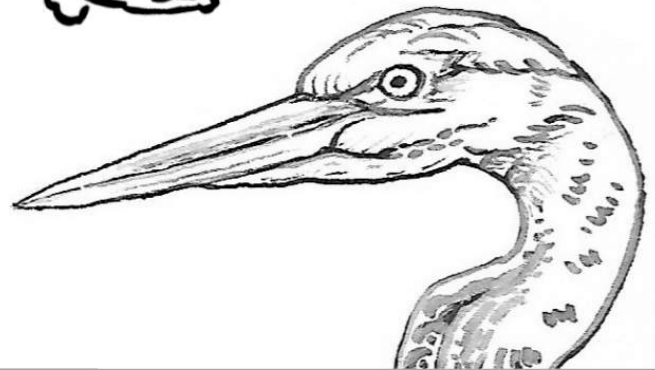


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NATURE ACTIVITY BOOK



featuring 26
pages from
8 artists!



HELLO! MY NAME IS:





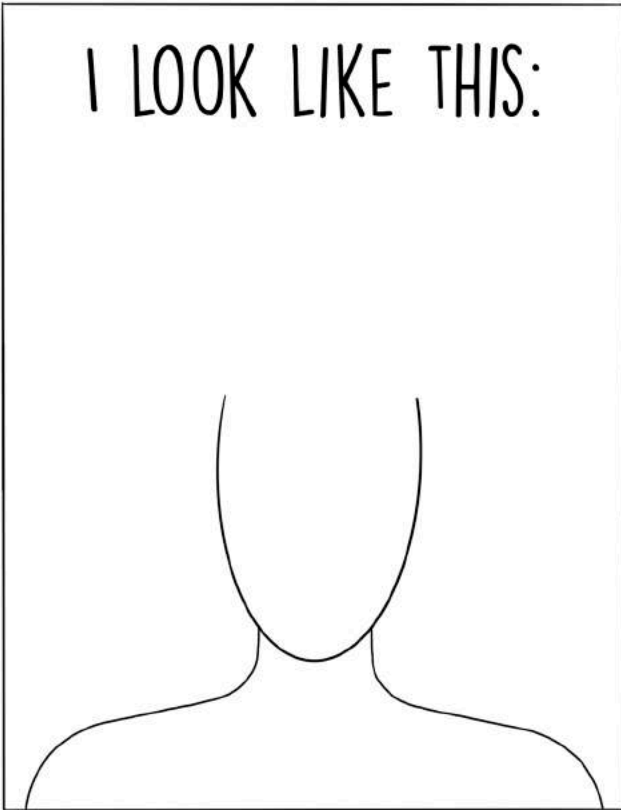
MY AGE IS: _____ YEARS, _____ MONTHS, AND _____ DAYS.



I LIVE IN: _____

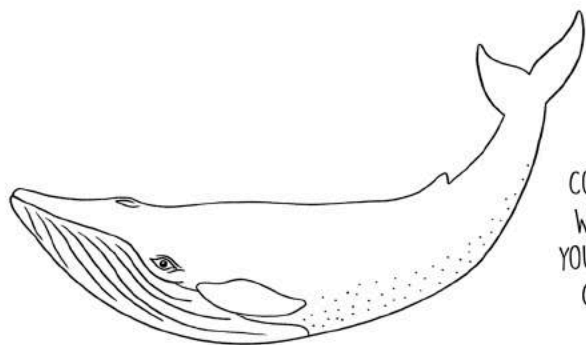


I LOOK LIKE THIS:



HERE ARE SOME THINGS I LOVE ABOUT MYSELF:

MY FAVOURITE COLOUR IS:



COLOUR THIS WHALE WITH YOUR FAVOURITE COLOUR(S)!

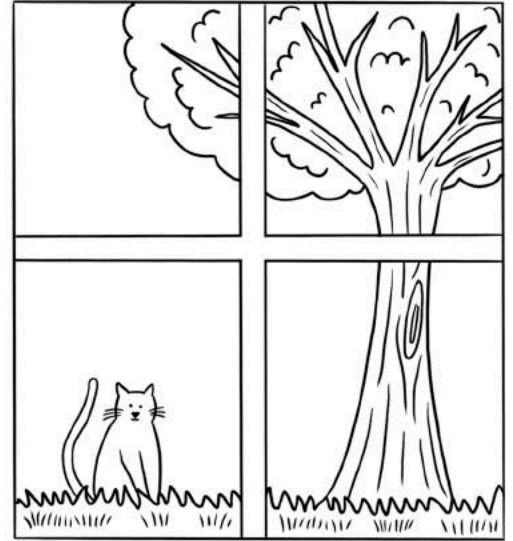


THERE ARE _____ WINDOWS IN MY HOUSE.

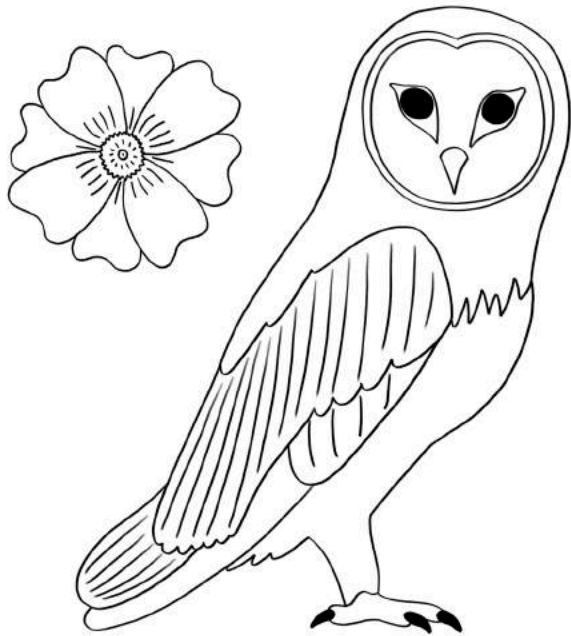
(I COUNTED THEM MYSELF!)



FROM THESE WINDOWS, I CAN
COUNT _____ TREES.



MY FAVOURITE TYPE OF TREE IS:



MY FAVOURITE ANIMAL IS:

MY FAVOURITE FLOWER IS:

I THINK IT'S IMPORTANT TO PROTECT NATURE BECAUSE:



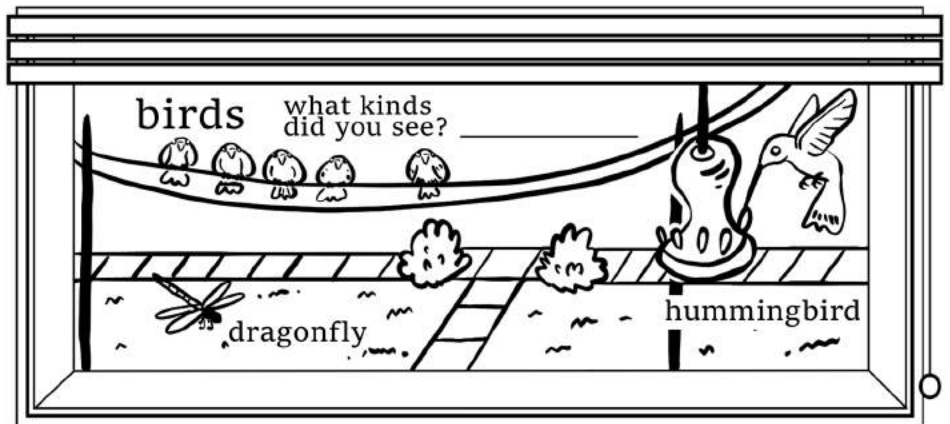
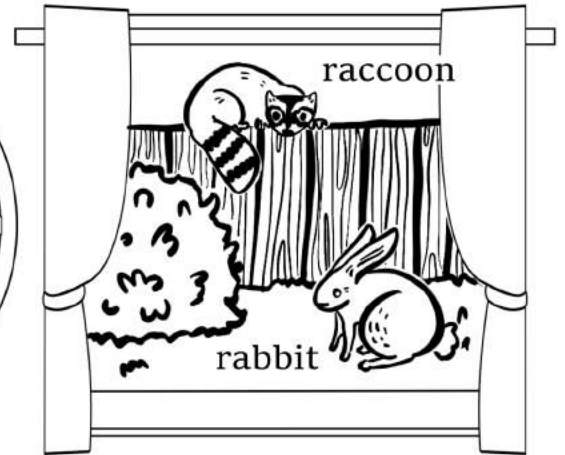
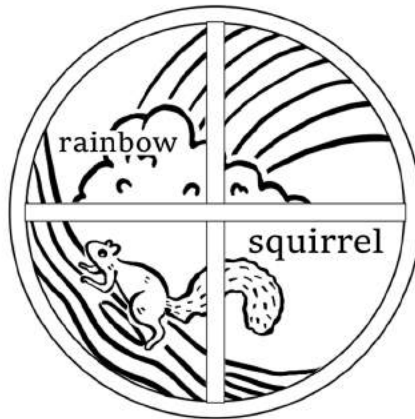
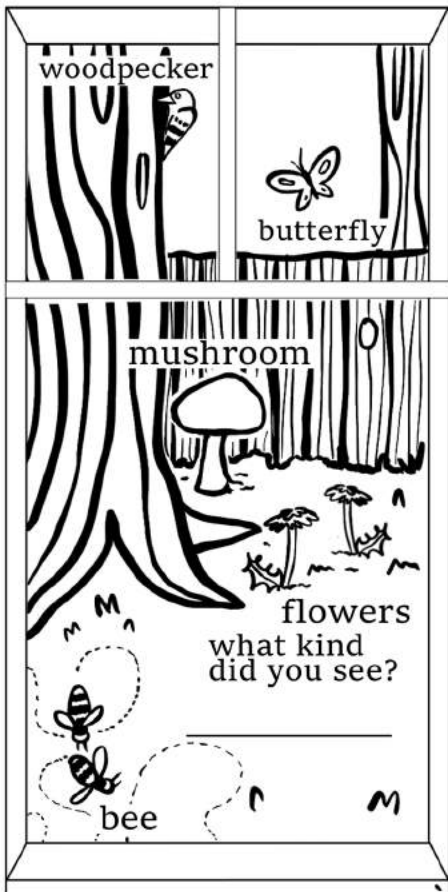
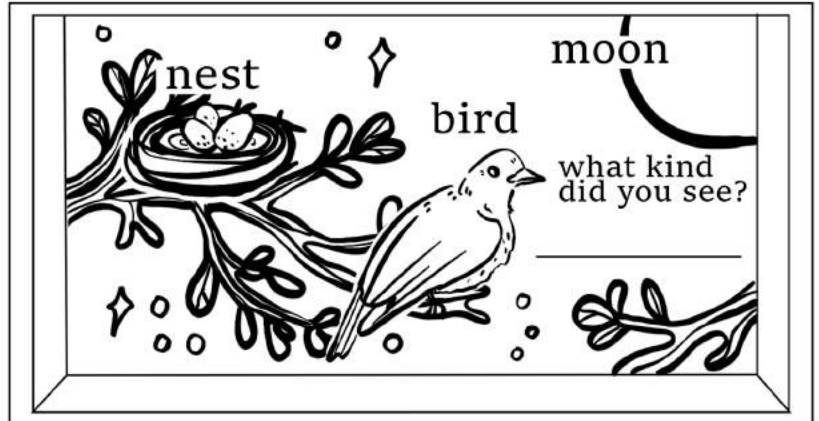
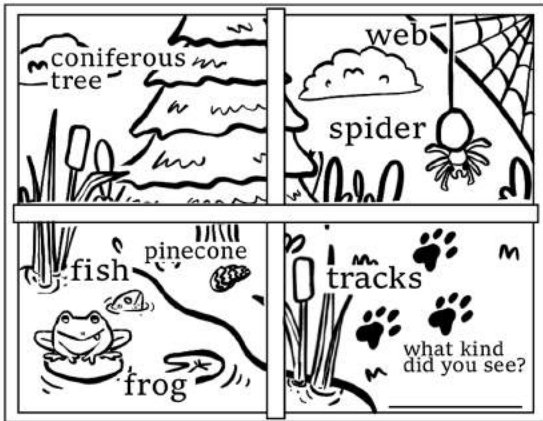




WINDOW

nature scavenger hunt

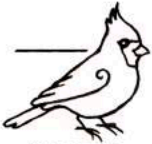
With a little bit of patience and a keen eye, you can see all kinds of animals, plants, and natural phenomena just by looking out the window! See which bits of nature below you can spot. Colour them in when you see them!



I SPY BACKYARD BIRDS

Birds of North America Color and Count

How many of each bird can you count in the box below? color as you go!



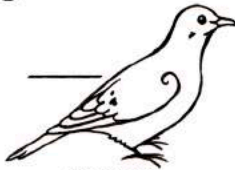
NORTHERN
CARDINAL



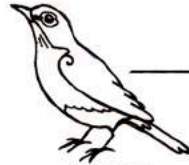
BLACK-CAPPED
CHICKADEE



WHITE-BREADED
NUTHATCH



MOURNING
DOVE



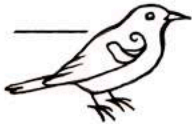
AMERICAN
ROBIN



DOWNY
WOODPECKER



RED-BELLIED
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RED-WINGED
BLACKBIRD



CAROLINA
WREN



TUFTED
TITMOUSE



AMERICAN
GOLDFINCH



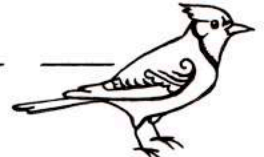
WHITE-CROWNED
SPARROW



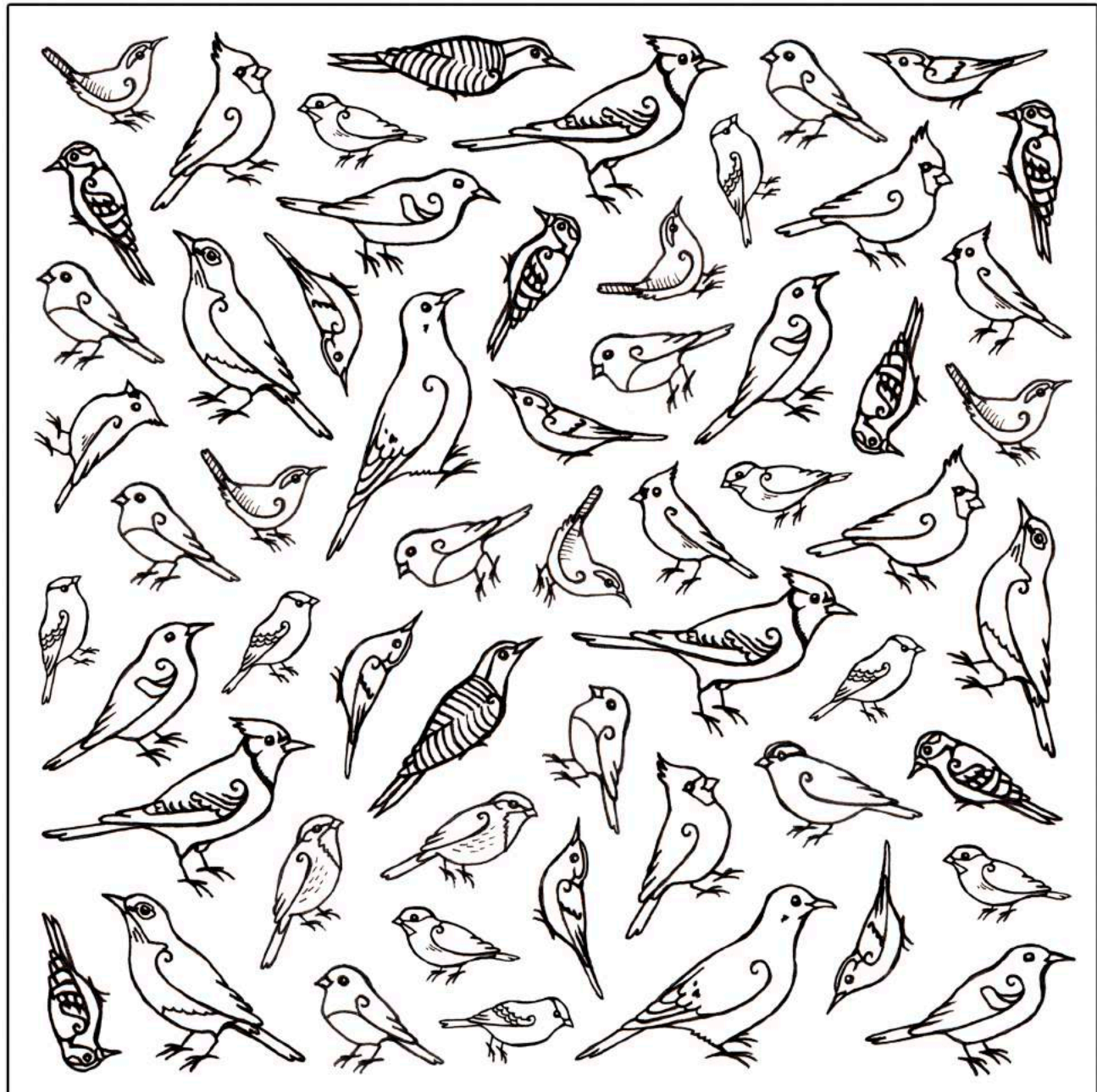
HOUSE
FINCH



DARK-EYED
JUNCO

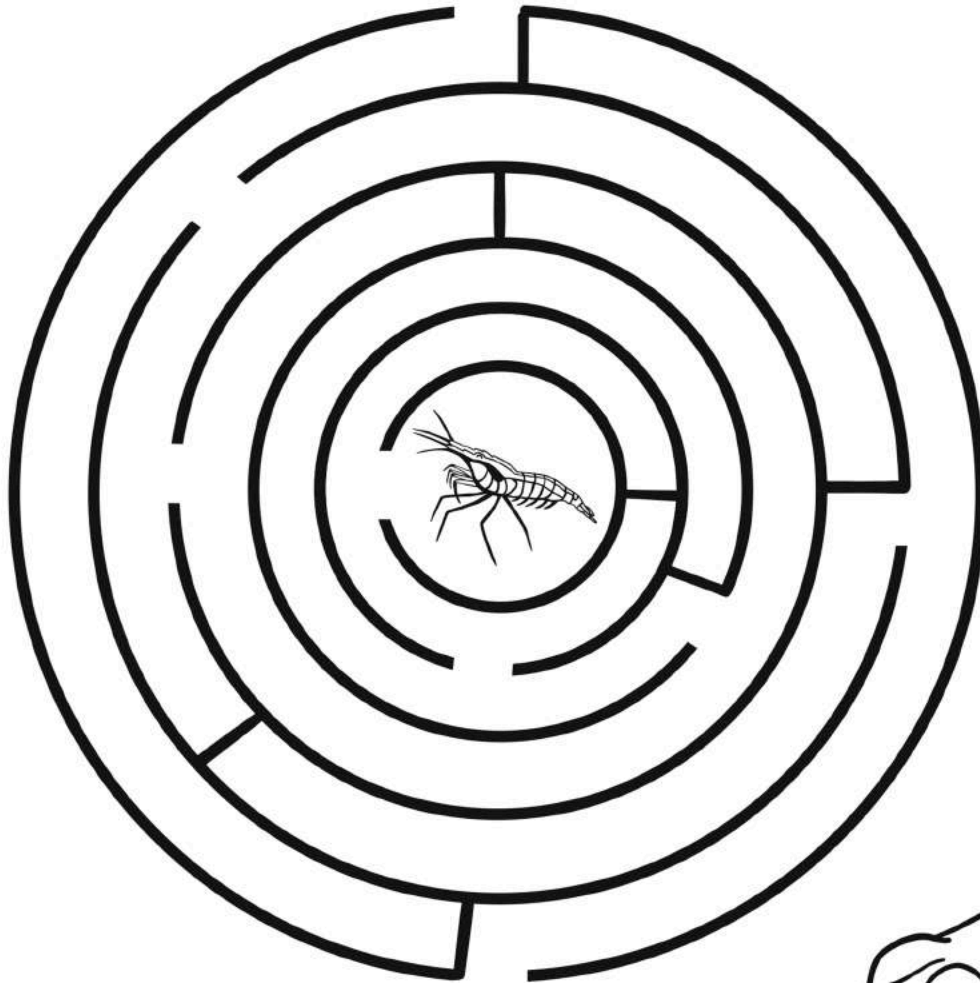


BLUE
JAY



OCTOPUS MAZE

Help the hungry coconut octopus get to the shrimp!



FUN FACTS

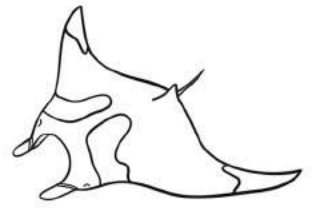
- Common name: Coconut octopus
- Scientific name: *Amphioctopus marginatus*
- Diet: Fish, shrimp, and crustaceans
- Average life span in the wild: 3-5 years
- Size: Around 6 inches long



How did I get my name?
I like to pick up and carry around empty
coconut shells to use as a mobile home!

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Ocean Word Search



S Y S Q U I D K Y S H A R K Y X D S
E Y C J P L A N K T O N S E A L W E
A W P U U X N U D I B R A N C H K A
A S W E T L N P H L E S H R I M P H
N N E A R T S E A W E E D E O N N O
E C R A L K L S M A N T A R A Y S R
M W C L S R O E P D O L P H I N G S
O H O G W T U C F S T I N G R A Y E
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E L A E M Y K R I A S N I C R A B Q
Z E L N L L G D H K N H N C Q I R Z
G A R I N C A O C T O P U S Z Q V K

Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘

Find the following words in the puzzle:

| | | |
|------------|-------------|----------|
| ALGAE | OCEAN | SEAWEED |
| CORAL | OCTOPUS | SHARK |
| CRAB | ORCA | SHRIMP |
| CUTTLEFISH | PLANKTON | SQUID |
| DOLPHIN | SEA ANEMONE | STINGRAY |
| FISH | SEAHORSE | SWIM |
| MANTA RAY | SEAL | WALRUS |
| NUDIBRANCH | SEA STAR | WHALE |



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Who am I? Am I a Raptor?

Raptors have 3 qualities that make them the top predators in the world of birds. Can you guess what they are? Match each bird to the correct description, and learn more about how to identify raptors next time you're out birdwatching!

**Hint: When identifying a Raptor, think of the 3 Sharps!
Sharp **eyesight**, Sharp **downward curved beak**, Sharp **talons***

- I'm good at grabbing things with my beak
- I can hover above water & then dive in to catch a meal
- Fish are slippery! So I whack my catch against a tree or rock to make it easier to eat
- I am territorial & can be quite loud!

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

A

- My beak is sharp & I use it to tear up my food
- I hunt other birds & small mammals
- I have great eyesight & a strong grip
- I am very fast! I can maneuver well through trees using my long tail
- My call sounds like a long series of kak-kak-kak-kaks!

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

B

- My feathers are very soft, this helps me stay quiet
- I prefer to hunt at night, but can also hunt during the day
- I have extremely good hearing
- Sometimes I cut my food up with my beak, other times I swallow it whole

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

C

- I am extremely clever & use my intelligence to find new food sources
- I have very good communication skills
- I like to hide my food sometimes & save it for later, this is called a food 'cache'
- I can mimic sounds

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

D

- My beak is extremely sharp
- I like to keep my head clean
- I have a really good sense of smell & will come from miles away to eat
- I only eat dead things
- I could soar for hours on thermal air updrafts

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

E

- I eat all sorts of different things like fish, amphibians, reptiles, rodents, & birds
- I grab my prey with my beak
- I don't mind staying still for long periods of time
- I swallow my food whole!

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

F

- I will eat almost anything I can find...or steal!
- My head feathers will completely change colour when I am around 5 years old
- I have very good eyesight
- I am big & strong, which makes it easier to bully other birds into giving me their meal

Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

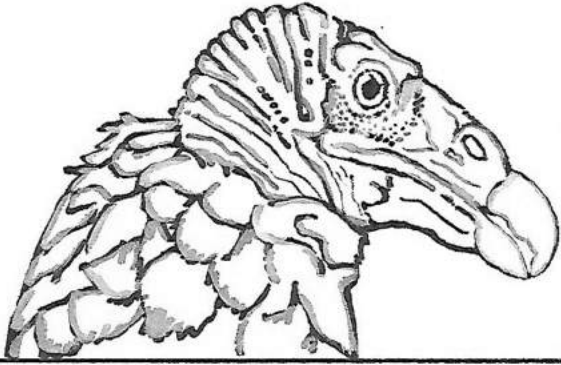
G

- I have a notch in my beak called a 'tomial tooth' to help me disable prey & tear up food
- My malar stripe helps reflect sun out of my eyes
- I am very fast & can hit prey out of the air with my chest or feet

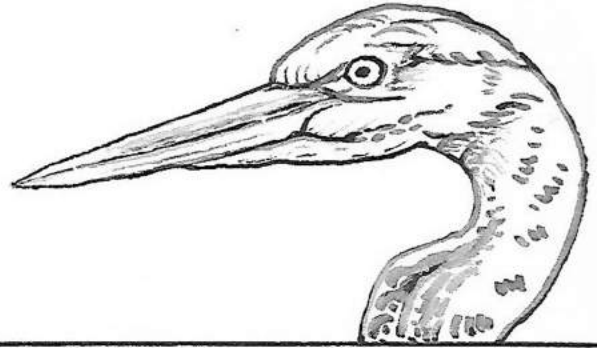
Who Am I? _____
Am I A Raptor? Y / N

H

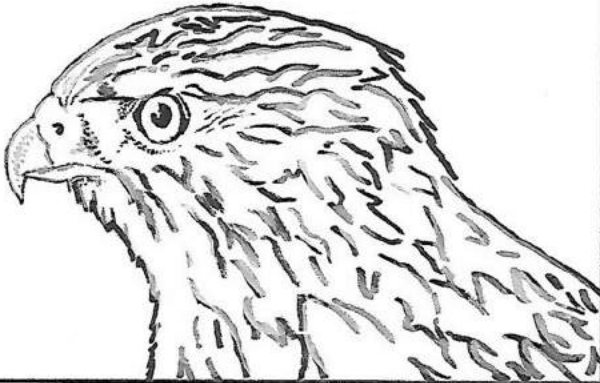
Turkey Vulture



Great Blue Heron



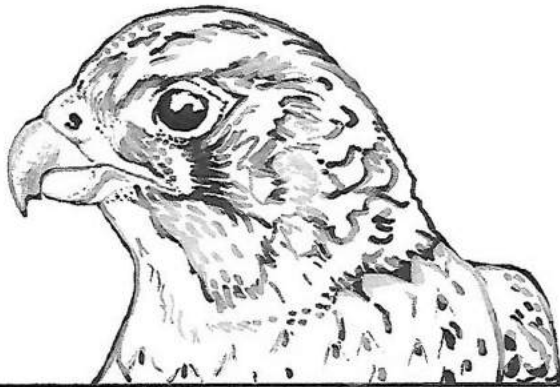
Cooper's Hawk



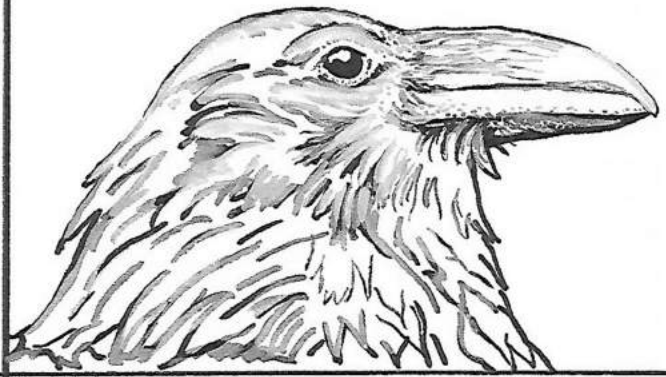
Bald Eagle



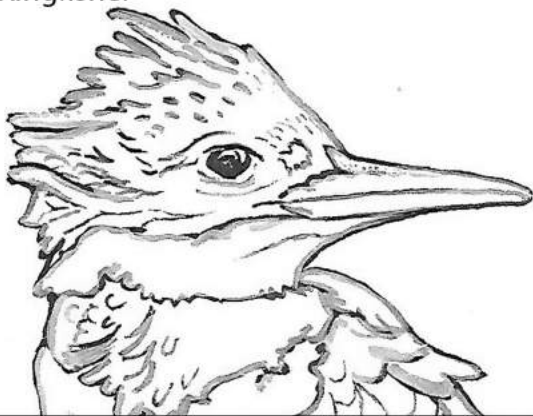
Peregrine Falcon



Common Raven



Belted Kingfisher



Barred Owl



PANGOLIN FACT SHEET

pangolins have very long, sticky tongues!

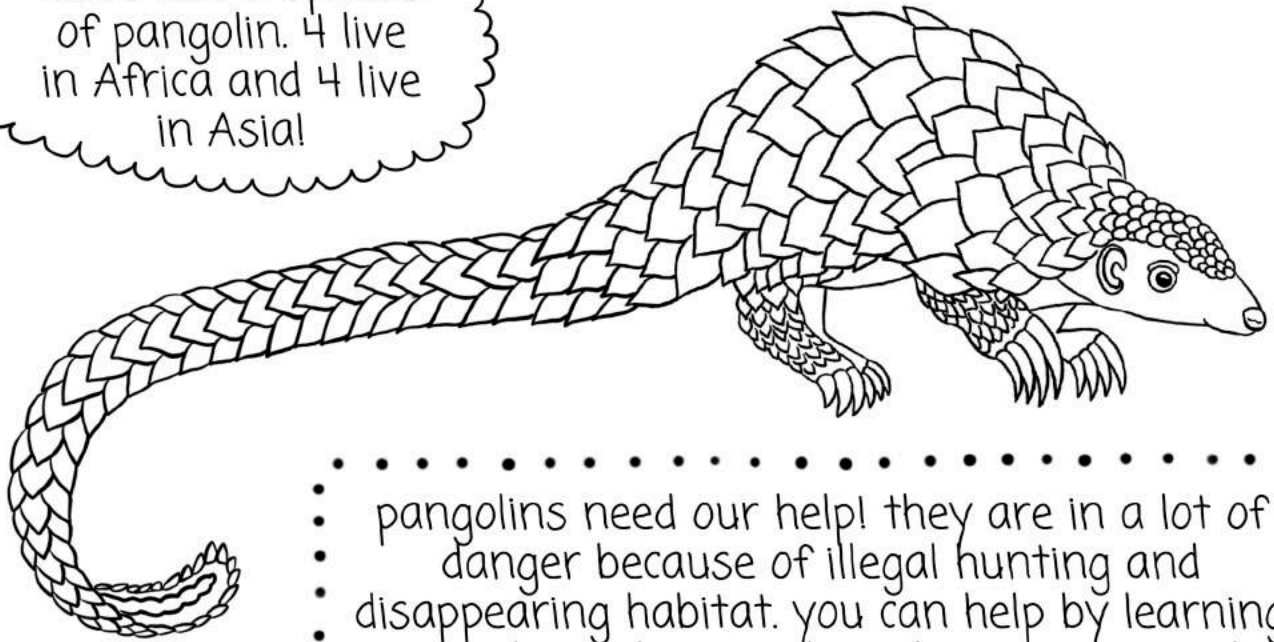
pangolins are the only mammals with scales!

pangolins have no teeth!

pangolins eat insects, like ants & termites!

when they are scared, pangolins roll into a ball!

there are 8 species of pangolin. 4 live in Africa and 4 live in Asia!

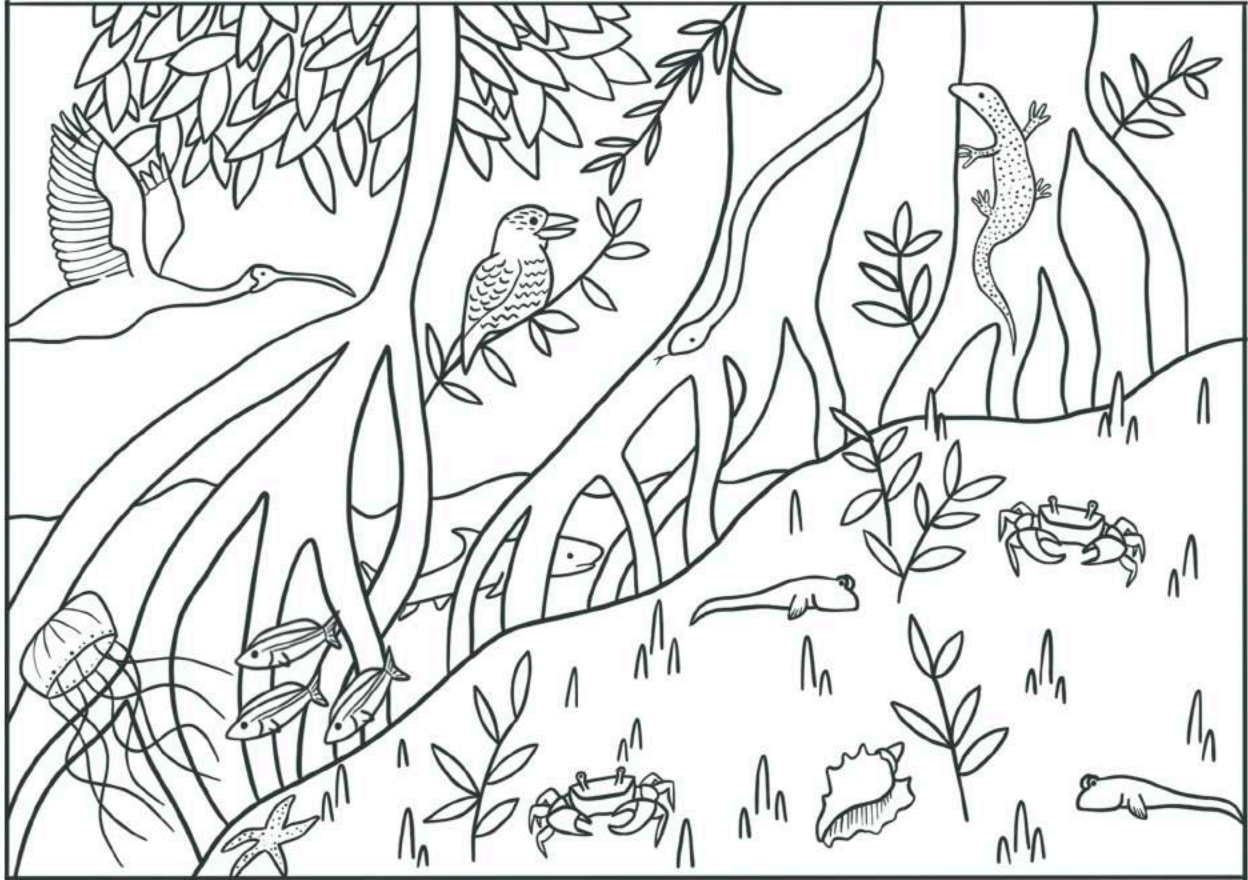


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pangolins need our help! they are in a lot of danger because of illegal hunting and disappearing habitat. you can help by learning more about them and teaching your friends!
.....

draw your own pangolin here!

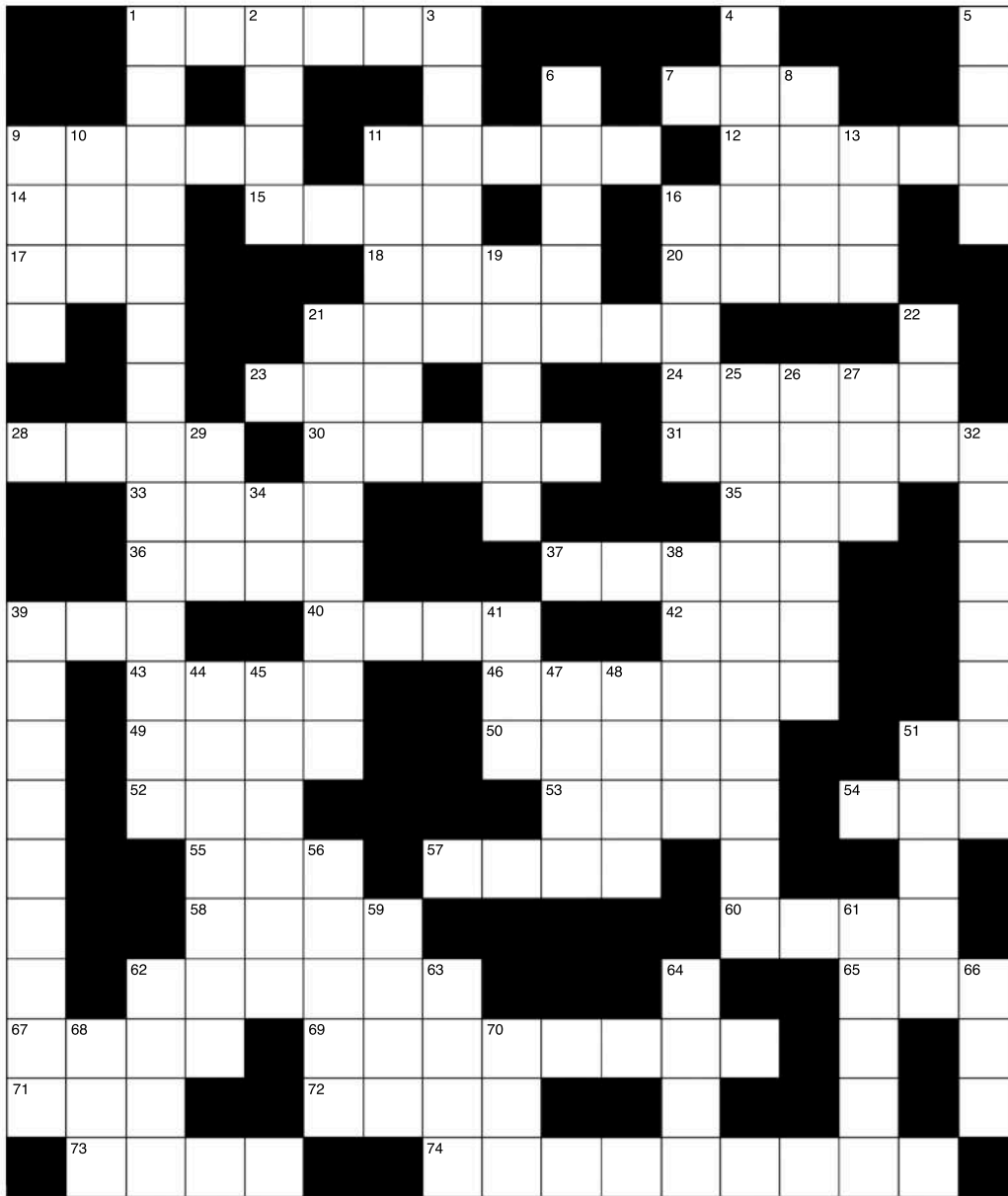
Spot the difference!

Mangrove swamps are full of wildlife. Can you find all 10 differences between these two pictures? When you're done you can colour in the pictures too!

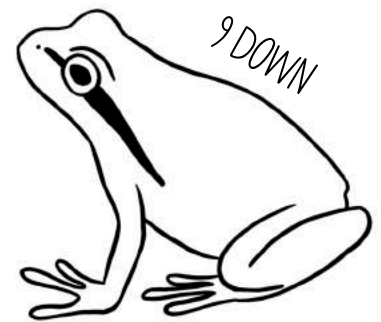


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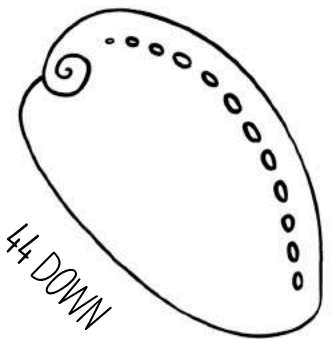
Solve the puzzle using the written clues on the right, and the picture clues across the page!
If there are some clues you can't figure out, don't worry. Ask a friend or do some research to find the answer!



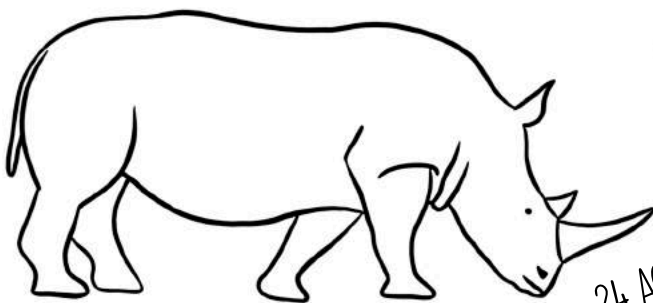
39 ACROSS



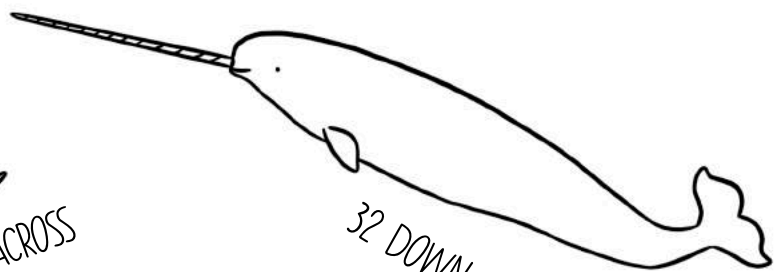
9 DOWN



44 DOWN



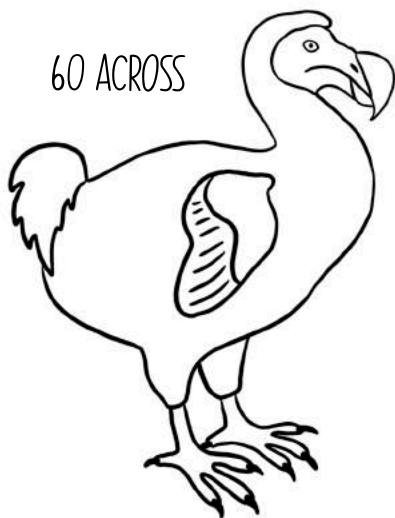
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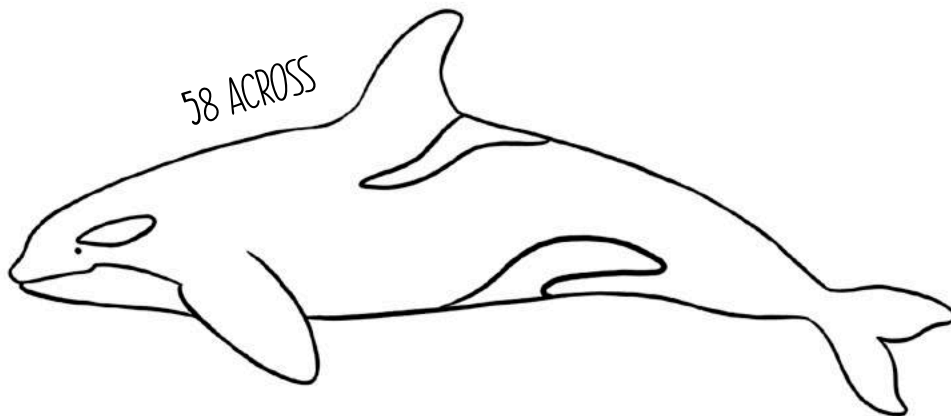
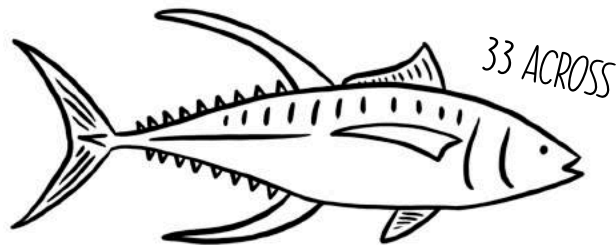
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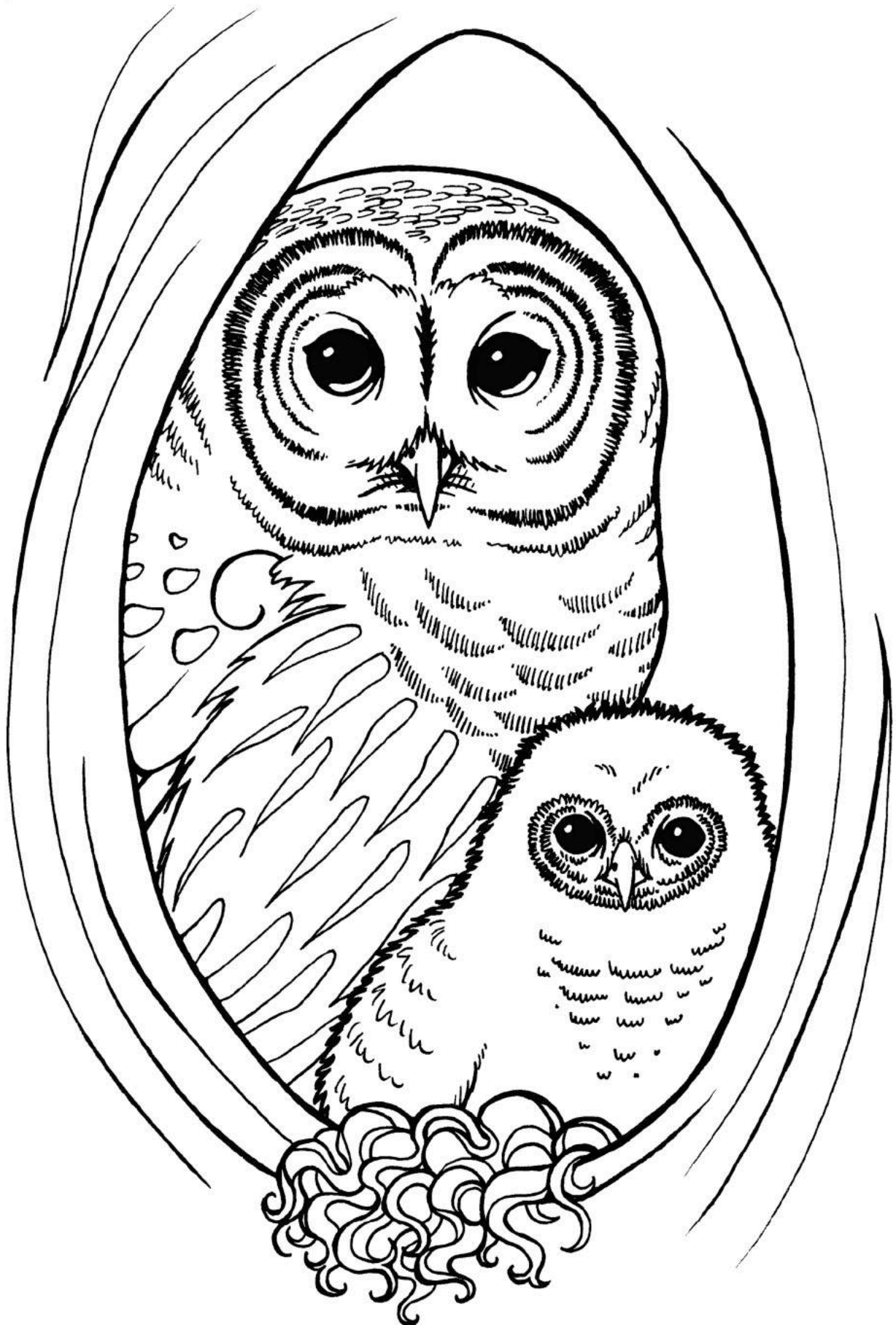
1. endangered black & white bears
7. feline
9. _____ & fauna
11. American buffalo
12. Animals closely related to sheep
14. decay, decompose
15. tide_____ (sheltered home for small marine creatures)
16. narrow valley
17. the Spanish word for "bear"
18. super_____ (the explosion of a star)
20. a bird's home
21. great ape found in Central Africa
23. one of several curved bones that protect the heart & lungs
24. large, horned, plant-eating mammal (for short)
28. tiny, loose rocks that often cover beaches
30. small bird with a red breast
31. salt water separated from the sea by a reef, sandbank, etc
33. large fish in the mackerel family (people like to eat it on sandwiches!)
35. rain + dirt = _____
36. the foot of a deer, horse, etc.
37. domesticated, woolly animal related to the camel
39. bumble _____ (fuzzy insect that buzzes!)
40. ebb & _____ (tidal water movement)
42. where bears hibernate in winter
43. to rescue / protect from harm (verb)
46. _____ borealis (Northern Lights)
49. large, wading bird with a curved bill - considered sacred in ancient Egyptian culture
50. a mathematical plot or diagram
51. mother, for short
52. sugary liquid that transports nutrients through a plant
53. location / area of ground
54. snake-like fish
55. lion zodiac symbol
57. a young horse
58. killer whale
60. a large extinct flightless bird
62. bug
65. _____ & outs
67. something that connects two points
69. spider
71. large member of the deer family
72. Finding _____ (animated movie about a clownfish!)
73. wild cat with a short tail and tufted ears
74. a learning process (often in school)

**DOWN:**

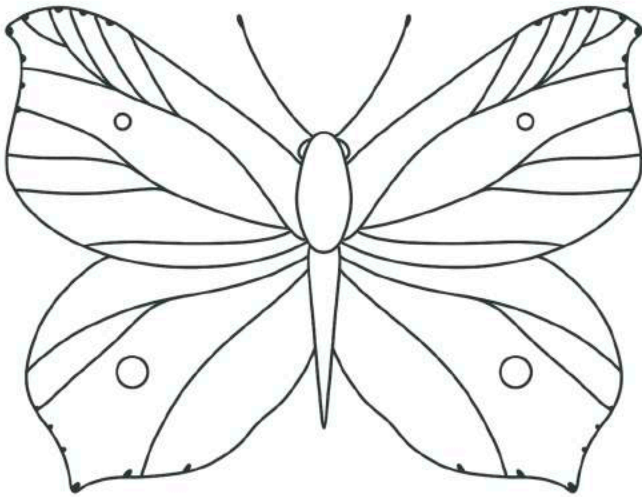
1. process by which plants use sunlight to make food/energy
2. tide with the least difference between high & low water levels
3. by-the-wind _____ (jellyfish that uses the wind to move)
4. large raptor
5. cold-blooded marine animal with gills & fins
6. a type of animal that forms colourful reefs (and looks like a plant!)
8. fingers of the feet!
9. amphibian with no tail (often jumps!)
10. _____ Angeles (city in California)
11. small species of chimpanzee
13. small insect that often lives in a social colony
16. a large knot in a tree
19. to go spend some time with (verb)
21. African mammals with long necks
22. sound a cow makes
25. type of shark with an unusually-shaped head
26. large type of lizard, often lives in trees
27. shake your head "yes"
29. a pair of people or things
32. Arctic whale with one very long tooth / tusk
34. opposite of "yes"
38. _____ don't shop (when getting a pet)
39. a species of 4 DOWN with a white head
41. how a dog moves its tail
44. large sea snail with a beautiful, shiny shell
45. a family of venomous snakes
47. _____ major (Big Dipper star constellation)
48. bird family that includes crakes, coots, & moorhens
51. a beluga whale's forehead
56. large body of salt water
59. measure of land size
61. wild dog species of Australia
62. covered in dye or pigment (like an octopus!)
63. to domesticate an animal (verb)
64. small mammal related to rabbits, often living on rocky mountain slopes
66. the sun, stars, moon, and clouds are all up in the _____
68. sick, unwell
70. type of bottom-dwelling fish, commonly eaten by humans



• BARRED OWLS •

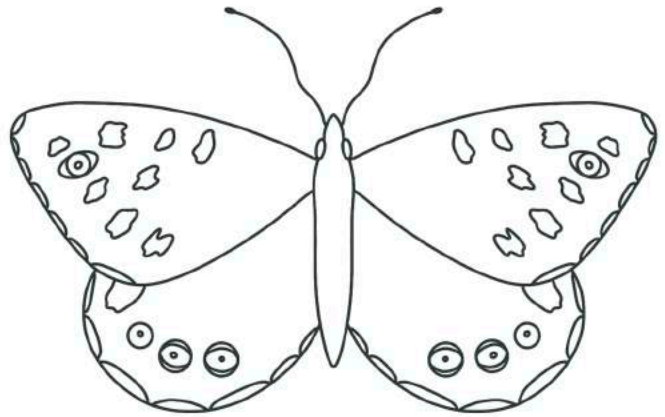


Unscramble the words to find out what butterflies these are!
 All these butterflies are commonly found in the UK, but some do migrate!
 When you're done, colour in the butterflies in your favourite colours!



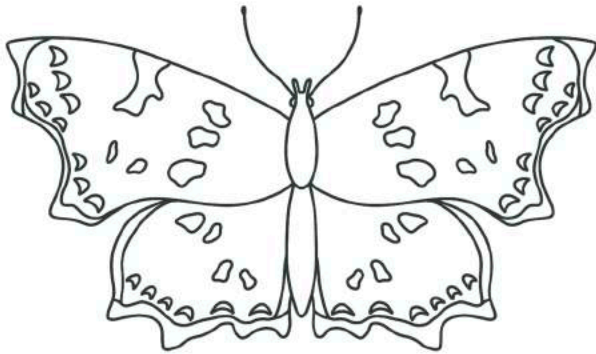
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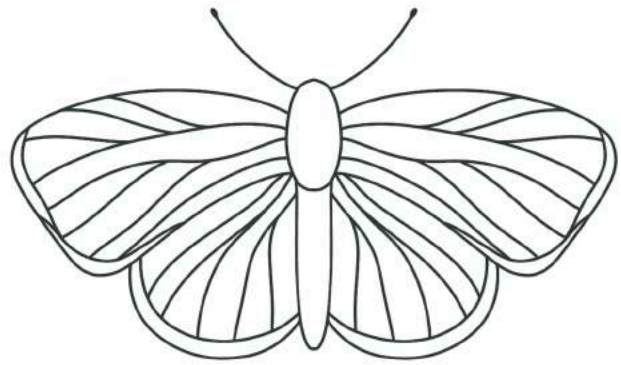
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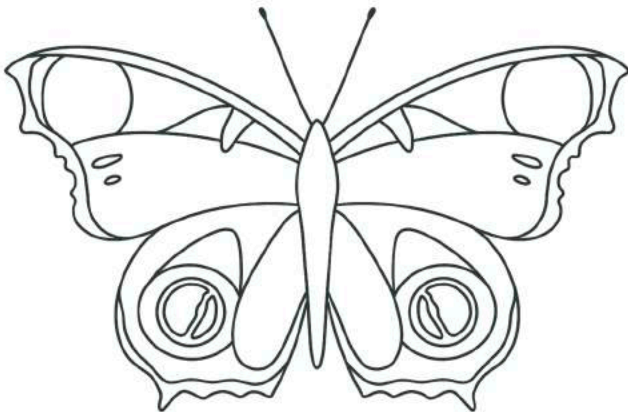
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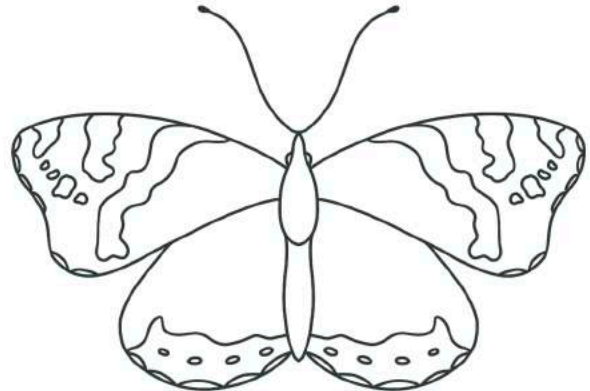
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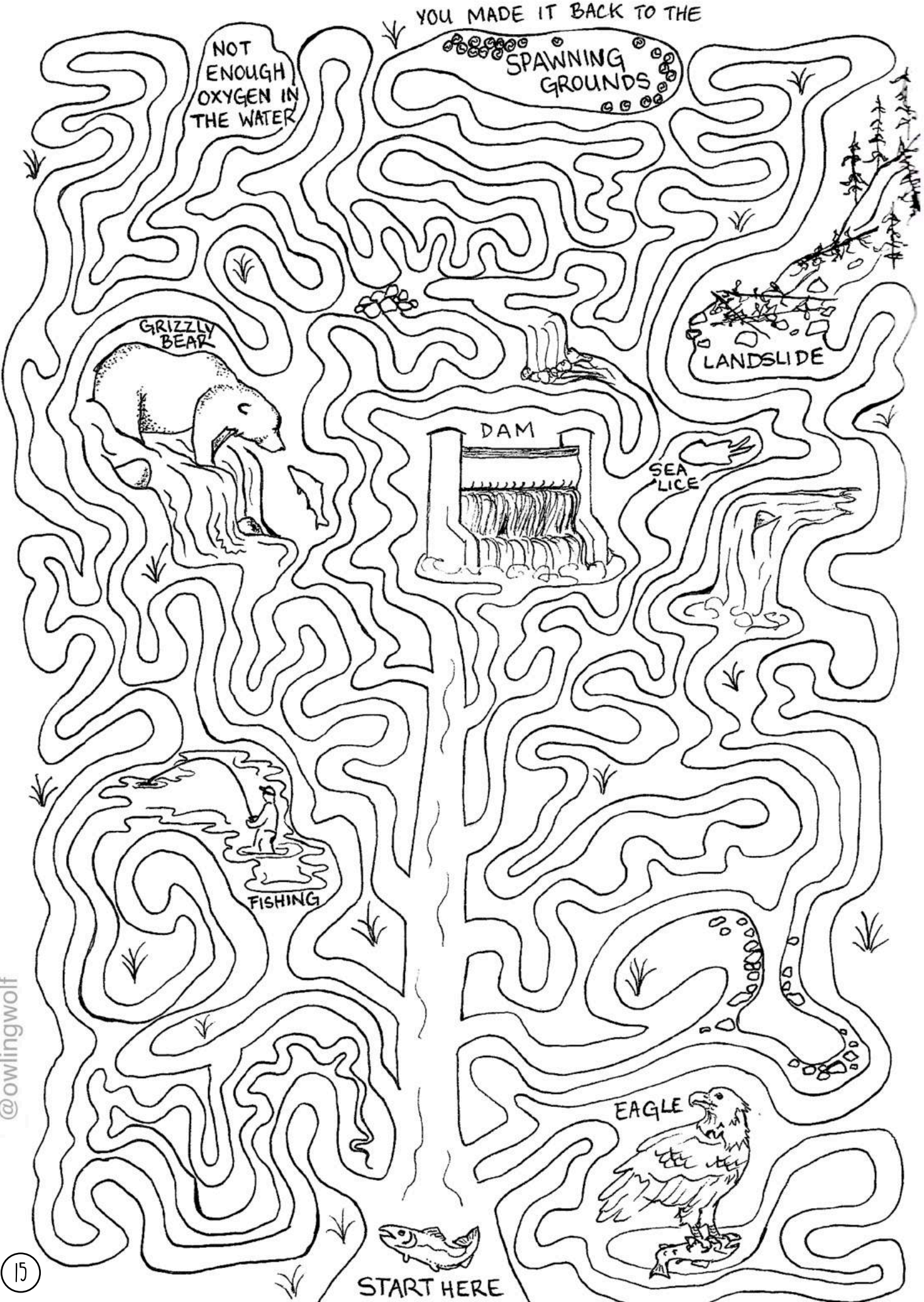


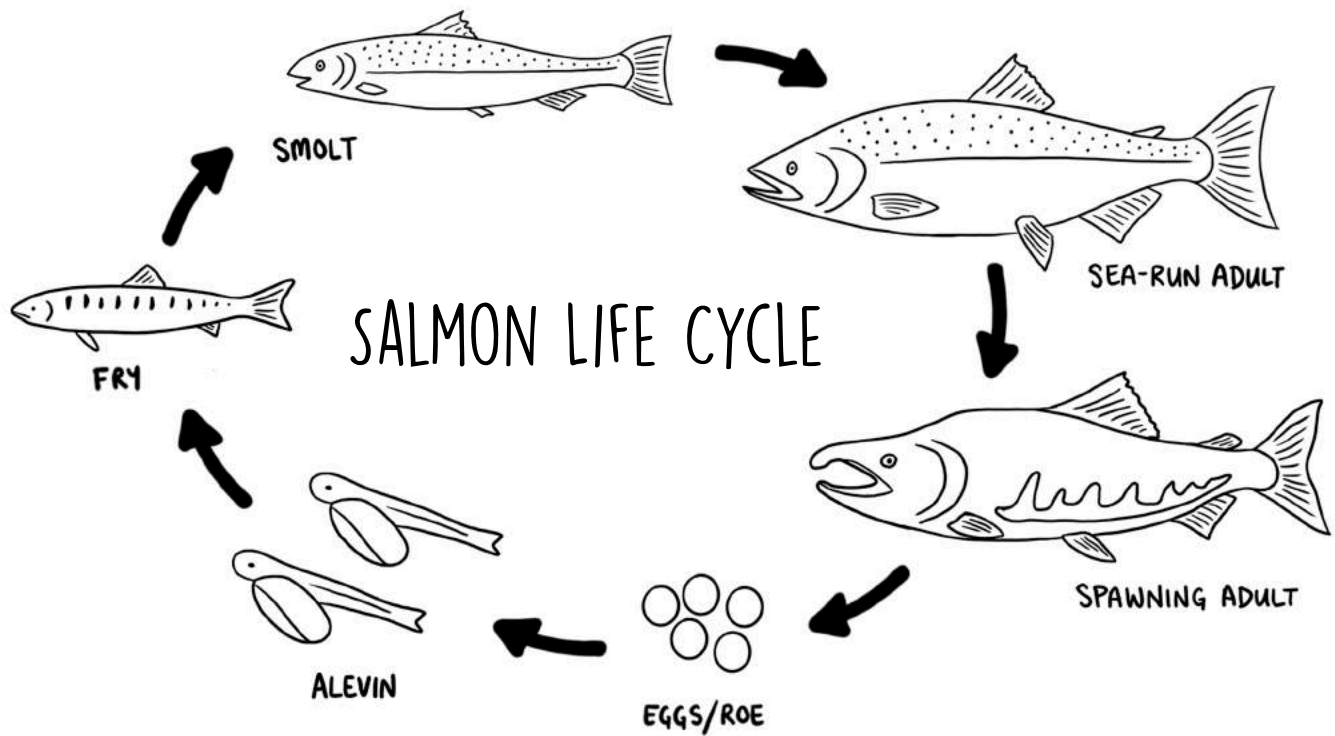
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R _____ A _____

Salmon Maze

Can you help the salmon find its way back to the spawning grounds?





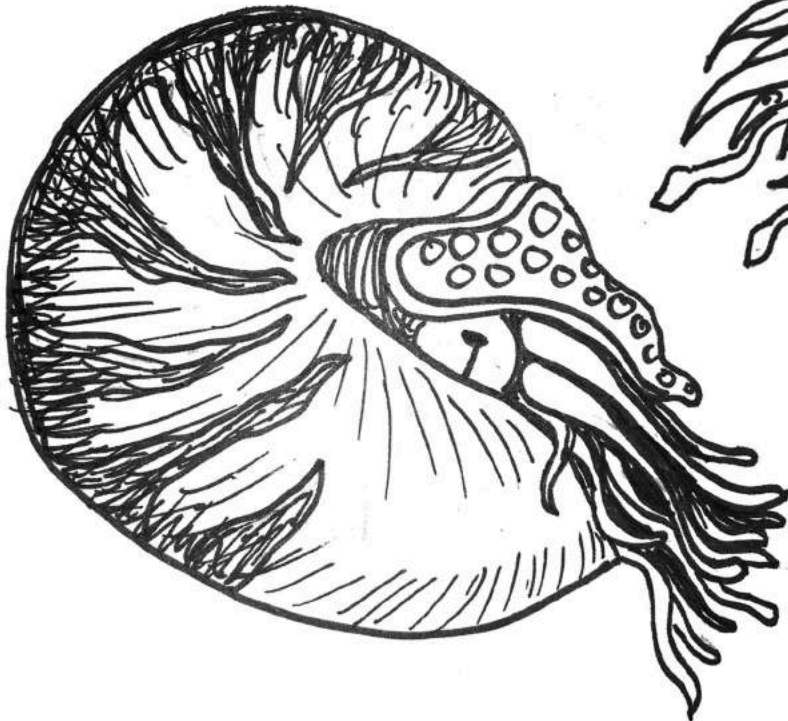
Salmon Word Search

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- SPAWNING
- NITROGEN
- PINK
- GRAVEL
- OCEAN
- CHUM
- ROE
- CHINOOK
- REDD
- OXYGEN
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- FRY
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- SALMON
- KELTS
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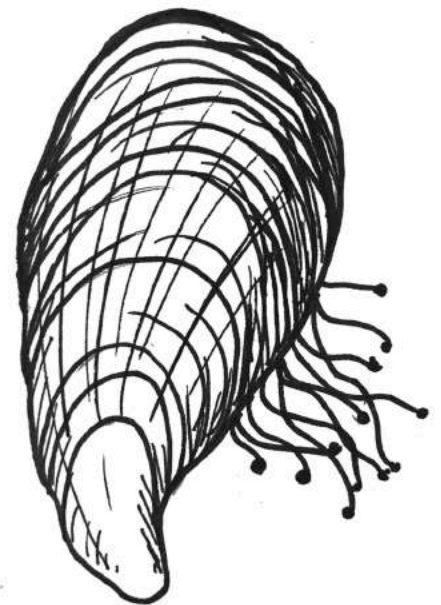
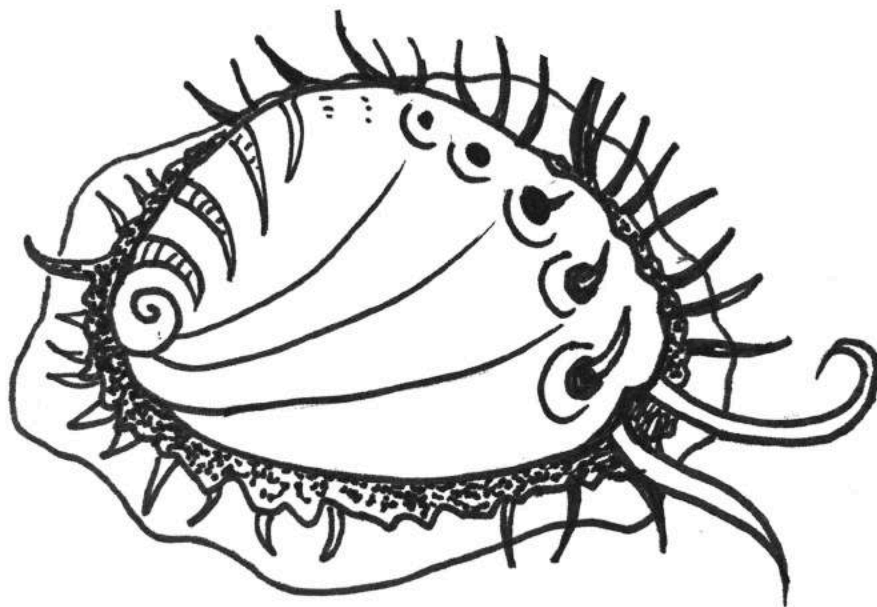
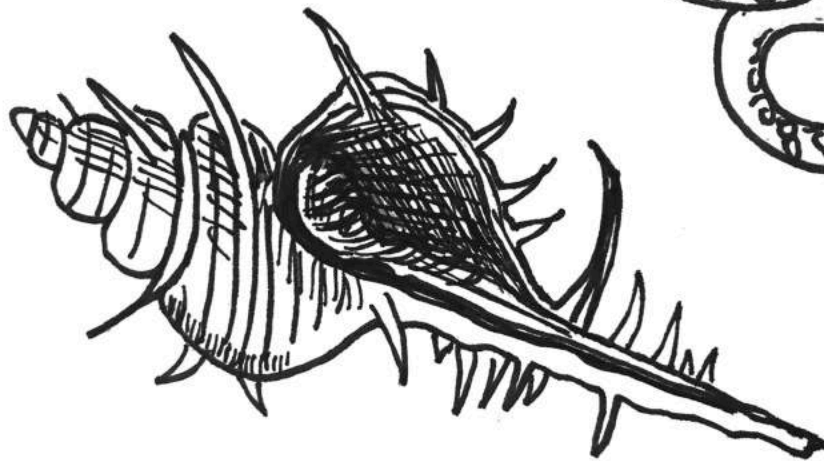
Marine Molluscs

Color these magnificent creatures that live in our ocean. Do you recognize any?



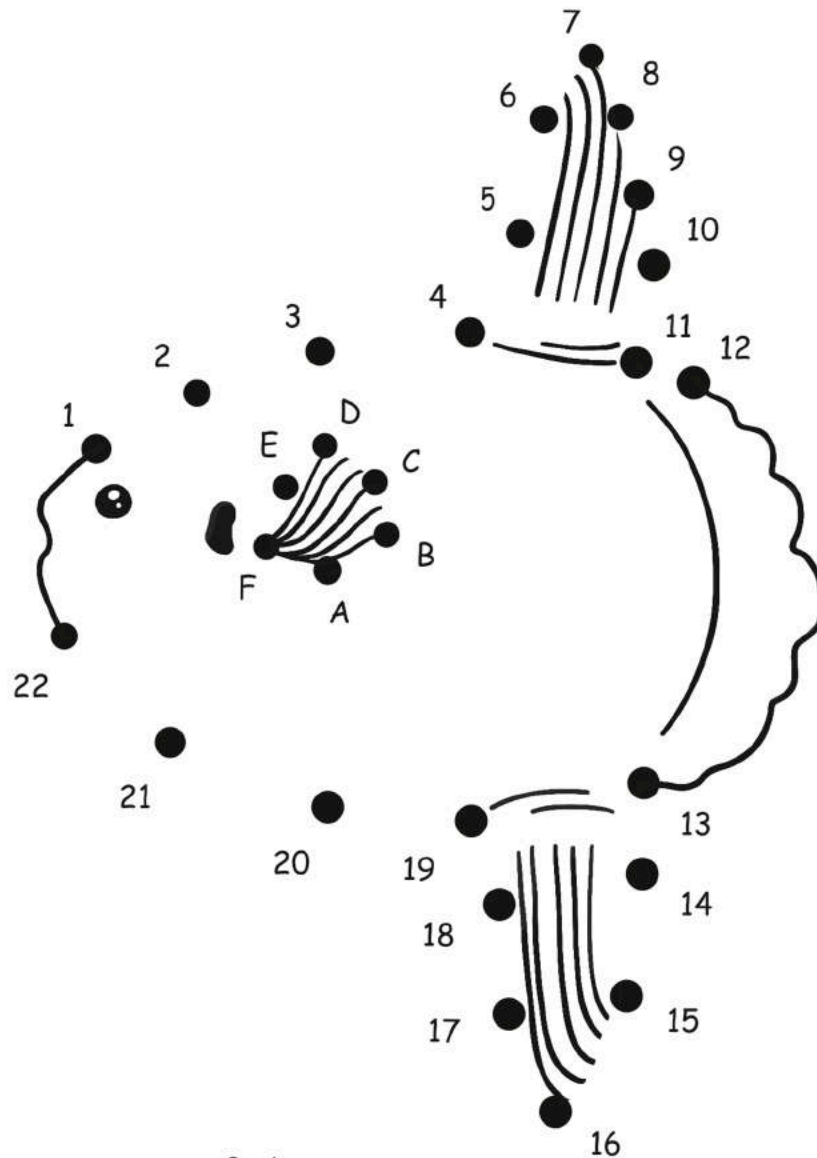
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Ocean Sunfish

Connect the dots and color in a mola mola!



FUN FACTS

Common name: ocean Sunfish

Scientific name: Mola mola

Size: ~11 feet

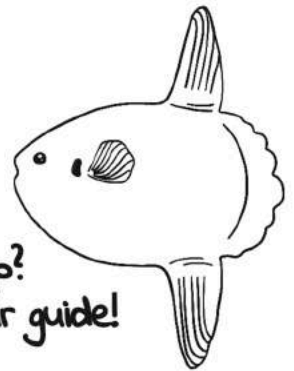
Weight: Up to 2.5 tons

Favorite food: Jellyfish

Average life span in the wild: Unknown

Status: vulnerable to extinction

They are the heaviest bony fish!



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Whale Shark Activity

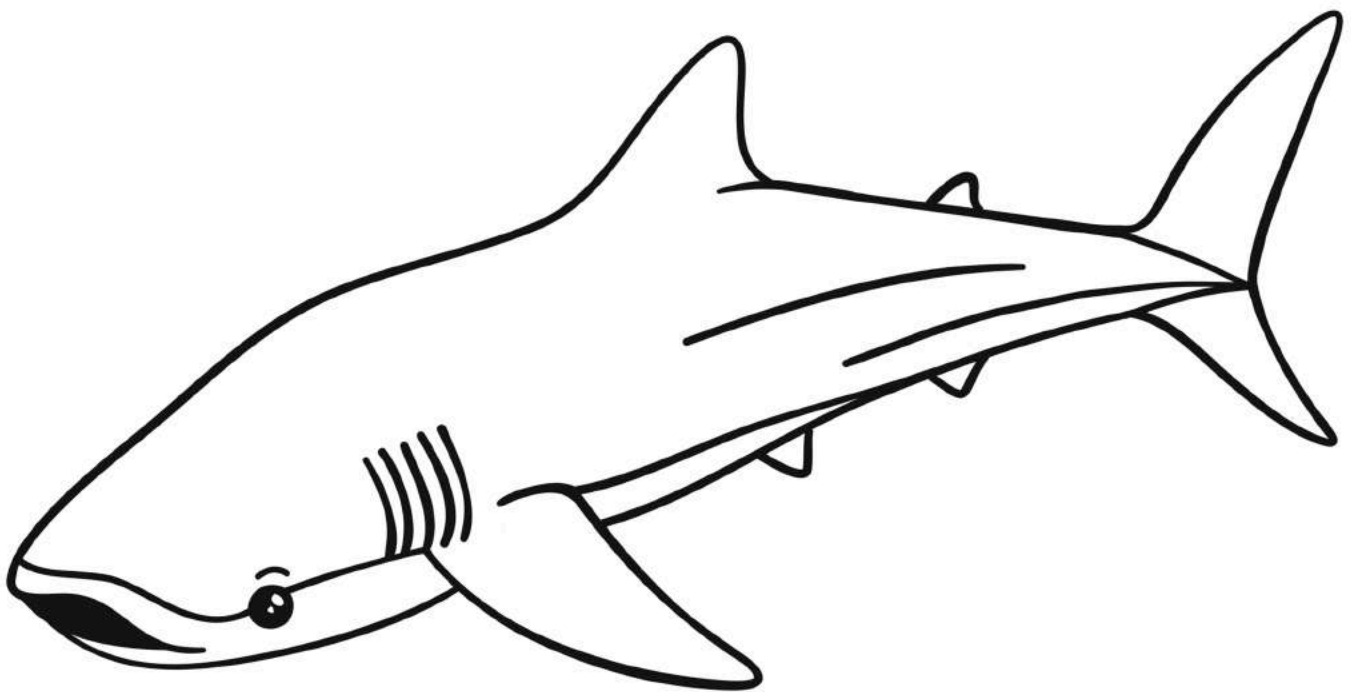
Did you know...

Every whale shark has a unique pattern of spots and stripes on their skin!

Scientists are able to use these markings to identify individual sharks.

If you were a whale shark, what would your spots and stripes look like?

Draw on the whale shark below!



FUN FACTS

Common name: whale shark

Scientific name: Rhincodon typus

Size: Can grow to ~33 feet long

Diet: Plankton and fish eggs

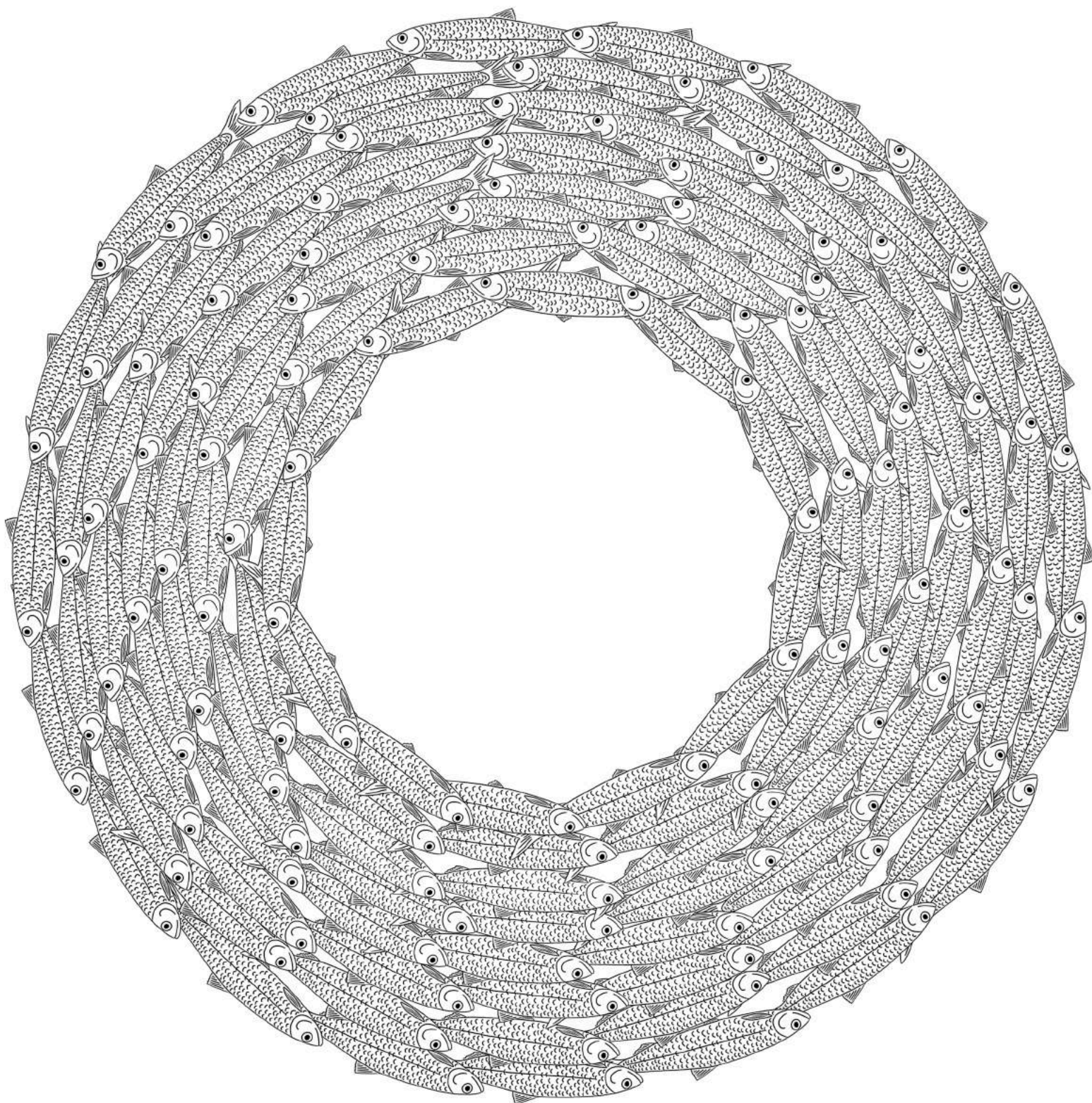
Average lifespan in the wild: 70 years

Status: Endangered species

Share your whale shark on social media
+ challenge your friends to draw their own!

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SCHOOL OF PACIFIC HERRING



Word Search

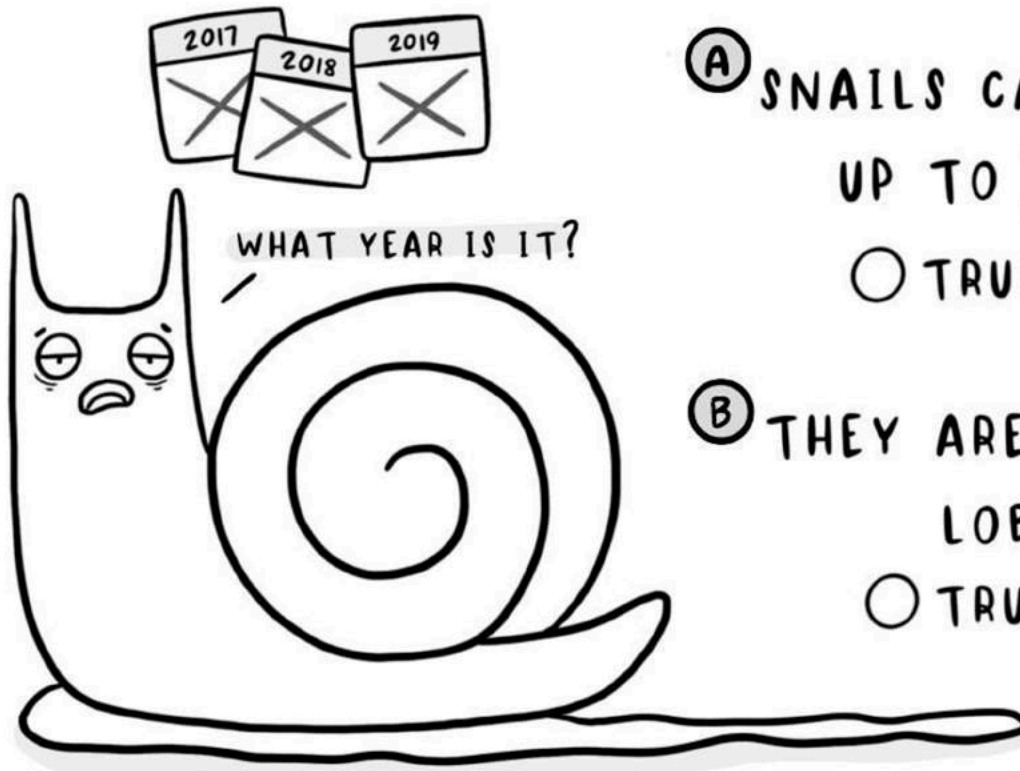
Deserts have so much wildlife! Find all these desert dwelling animals from across the world!
Don't forget to check diagonally and backwards!

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| Addax | Coyote | Gila Monster | Quokka |
| African Porcupine | Desert Tortoise | Hyena | Rattlesnake |
| Spotted Bat | Dingo | Ibex | Roadrunner |
| Bilby | Fennec Fox | Meerkat | Sand Cobra |

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WEIRD ANIMAL FACTS

≡ TRUE OR FALSE ≡



(A) SNAILS CAN SLEEP FOR UP TO 3 YEARS.

TRUE FALSE

(B) THEY ARE RELATED TO LOBSTERS.

TRUE FALSE

LOBSTERS HAVE (C)

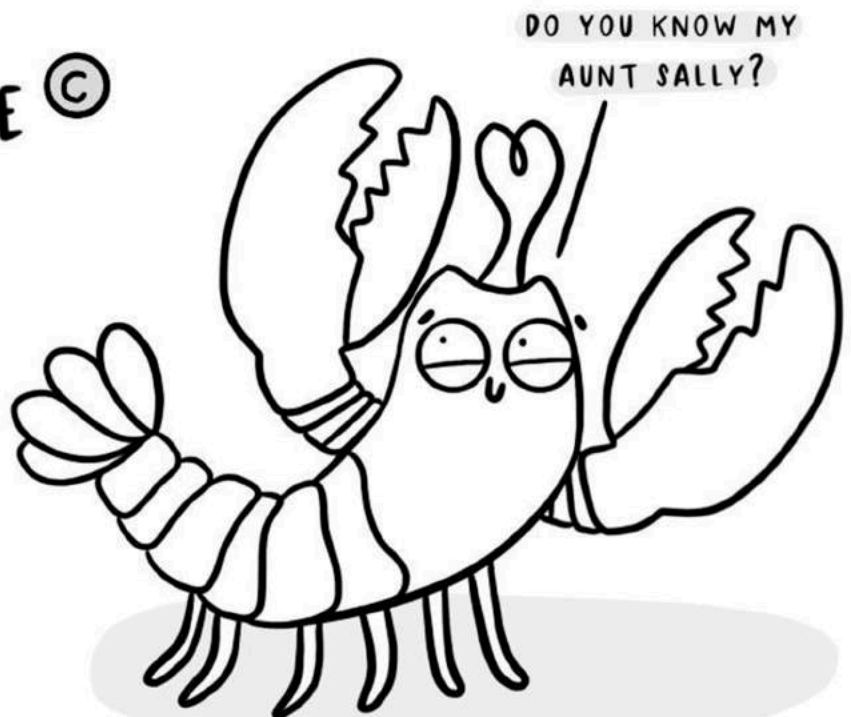
2 STOMACHS.

TRUE FALSE

(D) LOBSTERS HAVE

NO TEETH.

TRUE FALSE



ANSWERS: A. TRUE B. TRUE C. TRUE D. FALSE (THEY HAVE "TEETH" IN THEIR STOMACH)

A AN AVERAGE LLAMA PREGNANCY LASTS FOR 100 DAYS.

TRUE FALSE

B LLAMA POOP HAS ALMOST NO SMELL.

TRUE FALSE



HAPPY BIRTHDAY MR WHISKERS

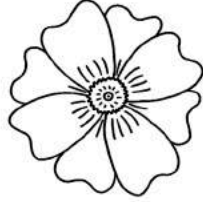
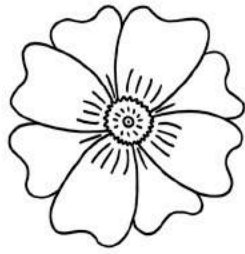
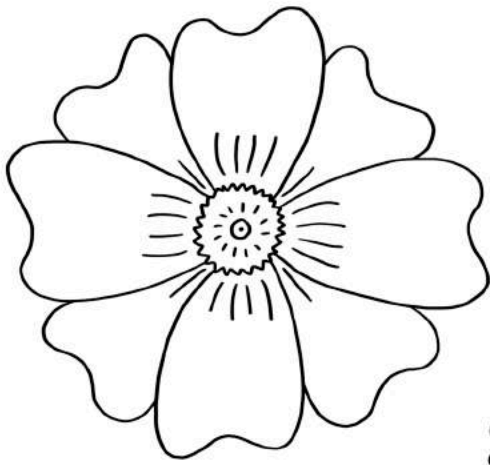


C CATS SHOW YOU THEIR BUTT BECAUSE THEY DISLIKE YOU.

TRUE FALSE

D CATS HAVE NO SWEET TASTE BUDS

TRUE FALSE

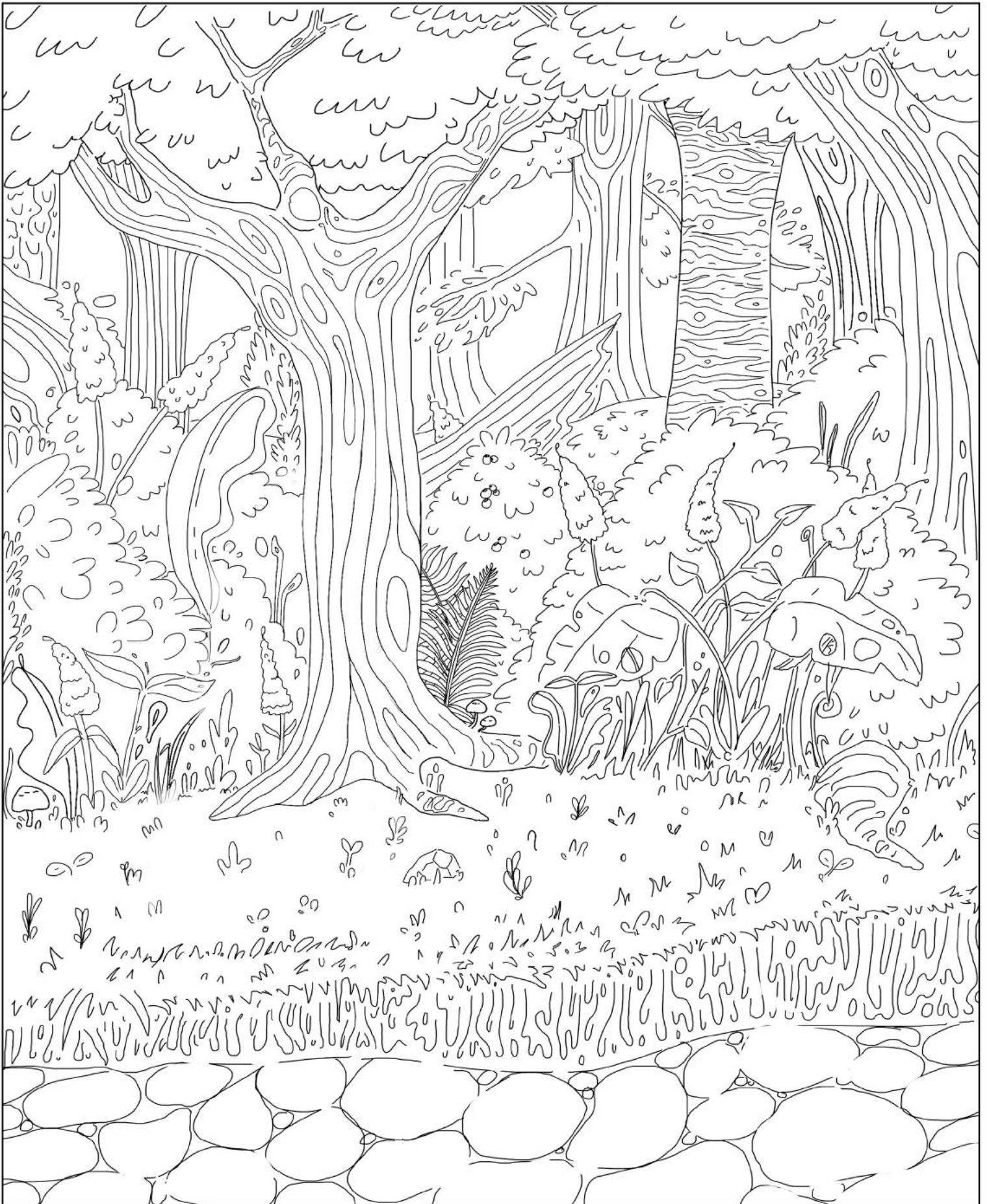


DOODLE BOX

THIS BOX IS A SAFE SPACE
FOR YOU TO PUT WHATEVER YOU FEEL.
HOW ARE YOU FEELING TODAY?
DRAW IT HERE!

A large empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for drawing.

BUILD YOUR OWN SCENE! COLOUR THE PAGE BELOW, THEN CUT OUT ANIMALS FROM THE REST OF THE BOOK AND STICK THEM IN TO THE FOREST! JUST MAKE SURE YOU FINISH YOUR OTHER ACTIVITIES BEFORE YOU CUT :)



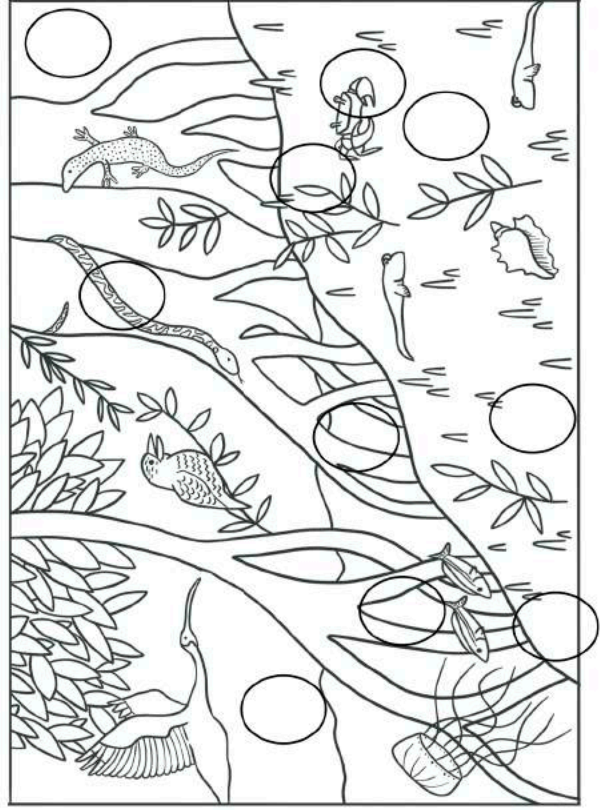
ANSWERS

Ocean Word Search



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 E Y C J P L A N K T O N S E A L W E
 A W P U U X N U D I B R A N C H K
 A S W E T L N P H L E S H R I M P
 N N E A R T S E A W E E D E O N N
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 G A R I N C A O C T O P U S Z Q V K

Spot the difference!



Who am I? Am I a Raptor? ANSWER SHEET

When identifying a Raptor, think of the 3 Sharps!

Sharp eyesight

Sharp downward curved beak

Sharp talons

What really sets a Raptor apart is the fact that they catch and kill their prey with their feet and sharp talons. Their beak is used to help tear up their meal into smaller pieces – like Raptor cutlery!

Depending on the size of the prey, they might even swallow it whole! All of these birds might be considered 'Birds of Prey' as they all eat prey, but only 4 of them are considered true Raptors.

E Turkey Vulture – I'm not technically a raptor. I only eat dead things! I am a scavenger, and clean up the environment. My stomach acid is so strong that I help stop the spread of bacteria just by eating. My beak is very sharp for tearing up meat.

F Great Blue Heron – I may not be a raptor, but I'm very large! You'll probably see me by the water, fishing in the shallows. I also eat a wide variety of other things like reptiles and small mammals.

B Cooper's Hawk – I'm a **RAPTOR** – I'm quick, so you might miss me as I swoop down to catch my prey. Don't underestimate my small size; I have incredible force in my feet. My sharp beak helps me tear up food.

G Bald Eagle – I'm a **RAPTOR** – I am a large raptor, with an incredibly strong grip. I love to catch fish, but I am not picky about what I eat. I'm so powerful that I use my size to bully other birds into dropping their catch.

H Peregrine Falcon – I'm a **RAPTOR** – I'm lightning fast! When I am diving in the air, I can reach speeds up to 300 kilometers an hour. I hit my prey out of the air and use my beak once I'm on the ground. The malar stripe under my eye helps reflect the sun.

D Common Raven – I'm incredibly smart, and you'll often see me scavenging food and picking up scraps. I can communicate very well and even mimic the sounds other birds make! I use my beak to catch prey.

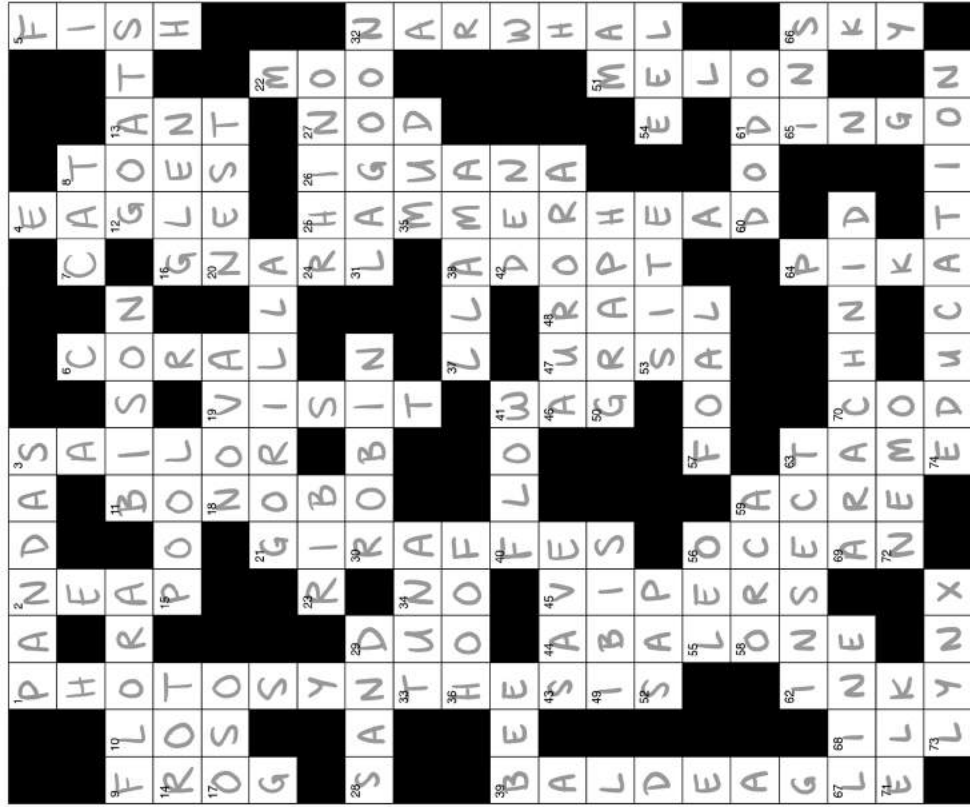
A Belted Kingfisher – I'm not a raptor, but I am pretty feisty! I make a lot of noise that carries across the water. That's where I spend my time fishing. I use my beak to grab my prey and whack it against a tree or rock.

C Banded Owl – I'm a **RAPTOR** – My specialty is being quiet and sneaking up on my prey. I mostly hunt at night, and rest in trees during the day. I am not picky about what I eat and I often swallow my prey whole. My sharp beak helps me cut up my food when I need to.



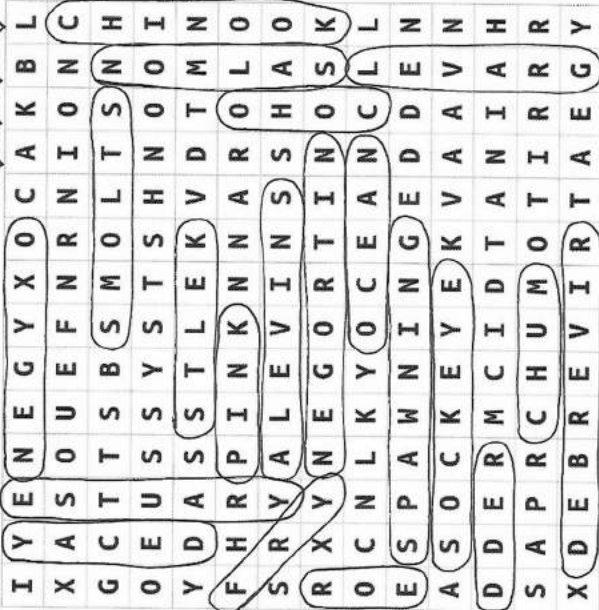
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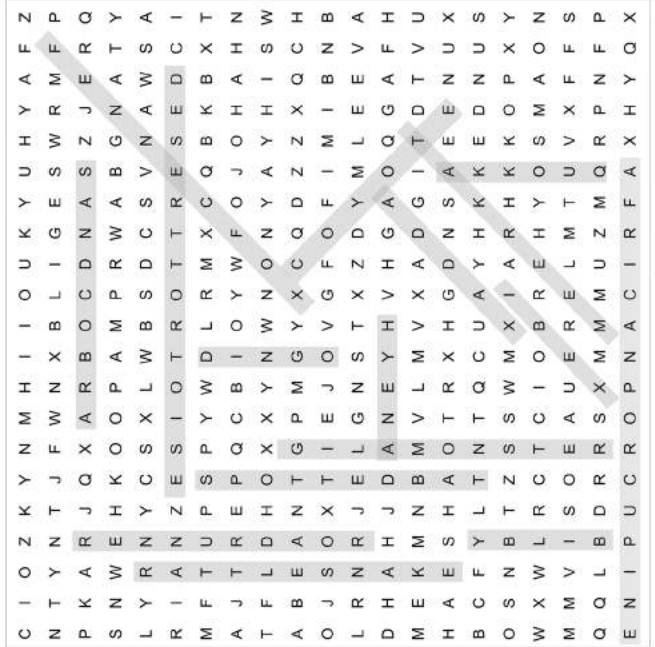


Salmon Word Search

ANSWERS



Desert Animal Word Search



GIVE YOURSELF A GOLD STAR! ★

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR DOWNLOADING OUR NATURE ACTIVITY BOOK!

About The Book

These are difficult times. The COVID-19 pandemic is changing the way we live our daily lives, all around the world. Children and adults alike are having to #StayHome to help #FlattenTheCurve and keep themselves (and their communities) safe.

To help you stay calm, stay creative, keep learning, and beat the boredom of #QuarantineLife, 8 artists have collaborated to bring you this FREE Nature Activity Book - perfect for nature lovers of all ages!

About The Artists

All participating artists are excited to bring you this book for FREE! Show your appreciation for their time, energy, and talent by following them on social media or purchasing from their shop.



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