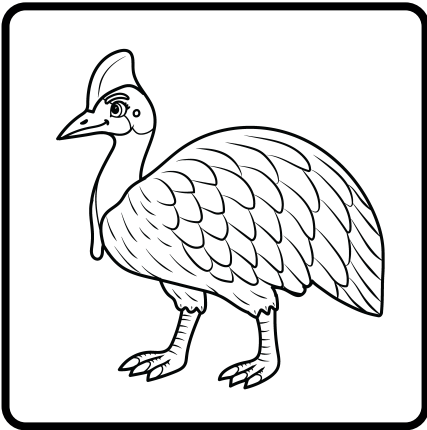


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## Cassowary

- **Modern-day dinosaur** - Cassowaries look like they walked straight out of the dinosaur age with their prehistoric appearance, including a bony helmet on their head called a casque!
- **World's most dangerous bird** - Cassowaries have powerful legs with dagger-like claws up to 5 inches (12 cm) long that can deliver dangerous kicks to defend themselves.
- **Rainforest gardeners** - Cassowaries eat fruit and spread seeds throughout the rainforest in their droppings. Over 150 plant species depend on cassowaries to spread their seeds!
- **Colorful neck wattles** - Cassowaries have bright blue heads and necks with red wattles (dangly skin) that make them one of the most colorful birds in the rainforest.
- **Flightless giants** - Cassowaries can't fly, but they don't need to! They can run up to 31 mph (50 km/h) through thick jungle and jump up to 5 feet (1.5 meters) high.

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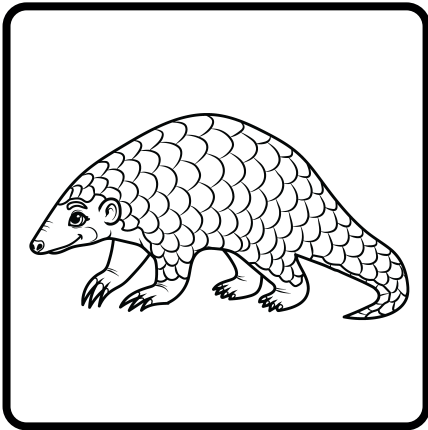


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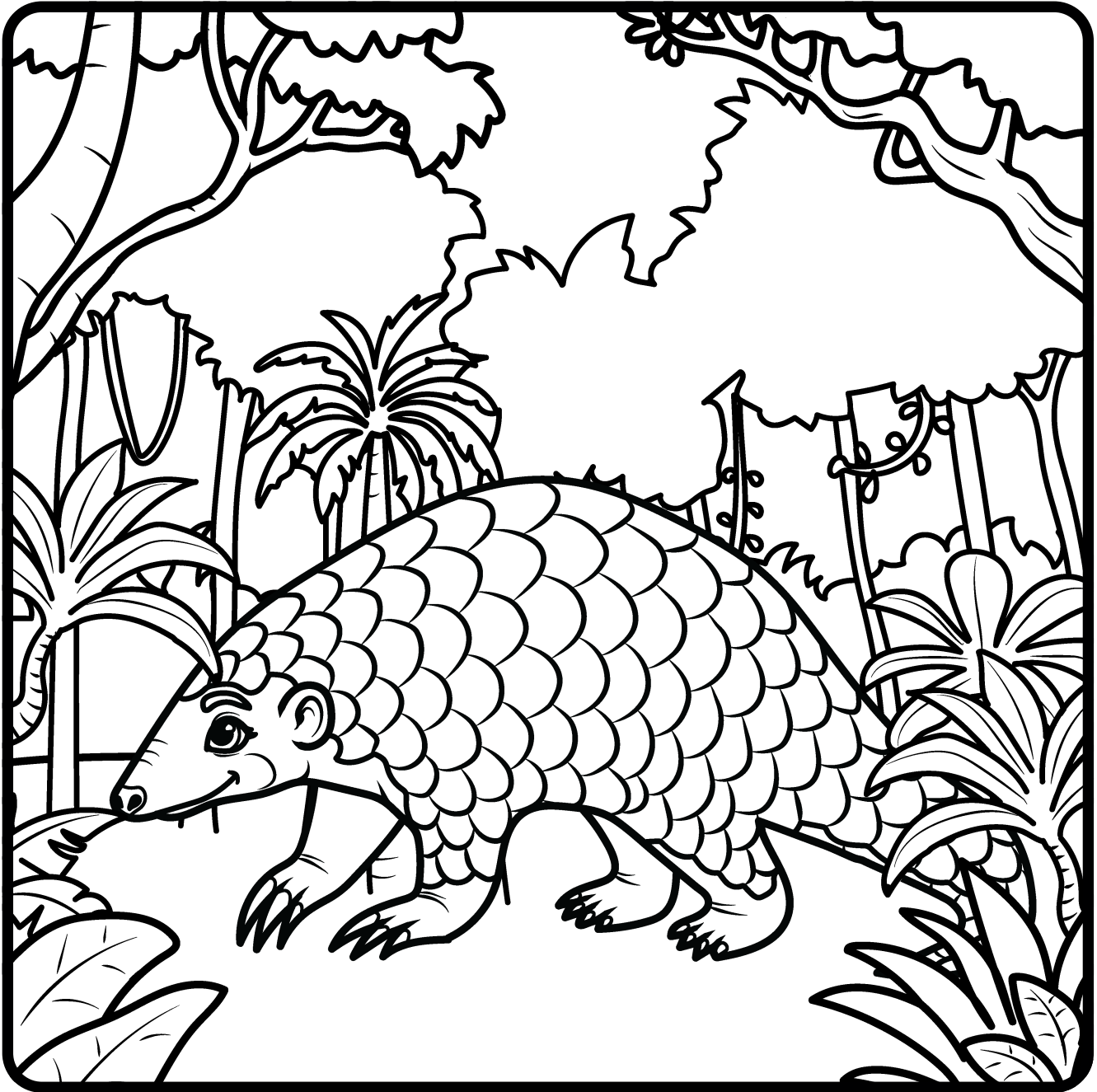
# Pangolin

- **Living pinecone** - Pangolins are the only mammals in the world completely covered in scales! Their scales are made of keratin, the same material as your fingernails.
- **Ant vacuum cleaners** - Pangolins have no teeth but use their incredibly long, sticky tongues (longer than their entire body!) to slurp up ants and termites like a vacuum cleaner.
- **Roll into a ball** - When threatened, pangolins curl up into a tight, armor-plated ball that's almost impossible for predators to open - their scales protect them like a suit of armor!
- **Mother's taxi service** - Baby pangolins ride on their mother's tail as she walks! If danger approaches, the mother curls around her baby to protect it with her armored scales.
- **Powerful diggers** - Pangolins have strong, curved claws perfect for tearing open termite mounds and ant nests. They can dig burrows to live in and sleep during the day.

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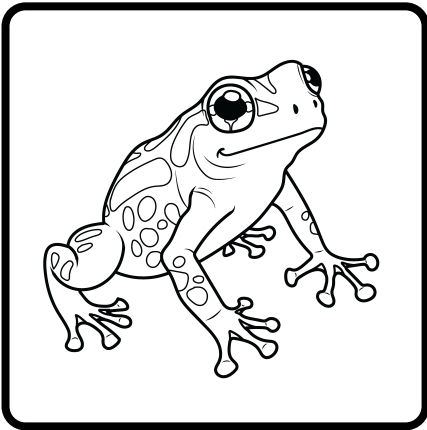


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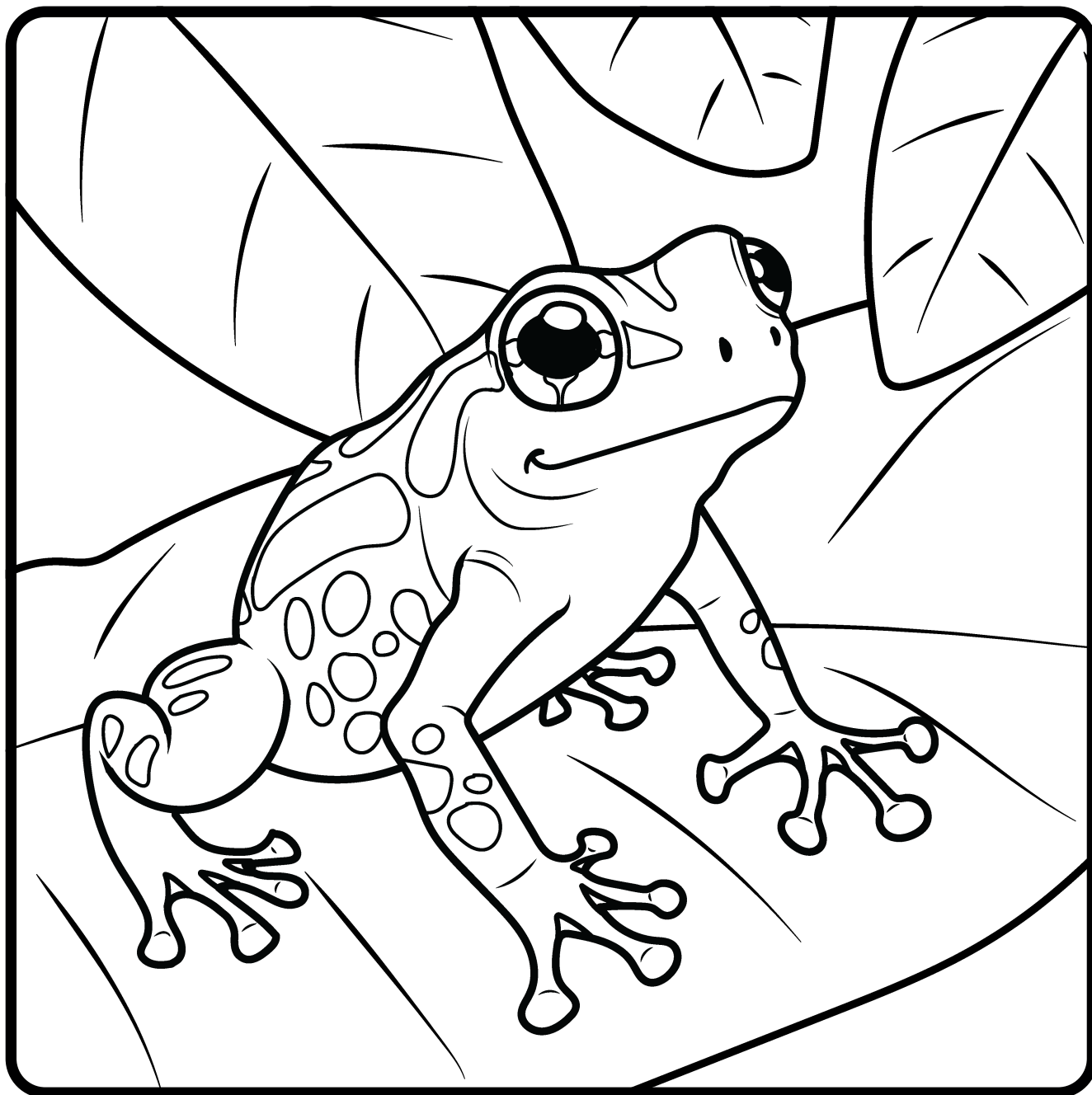
- **Tiny but toxic** - Poison dart frogs are only 1-2 inches long, but some species are so poisonous that one frog has enough toxin to harm 10 adult humans!
- **Colorful warning signs** - Their bright colors of red, blue, yellow, and green aren't just pretty - they're a warning to predators that says "Don't eat me, I'm poisonous!"
- **Diet creates the poison** - Poison dart frogs get their toxins from eating certain ants, mites, and insects in the wild. Frogs raised in captivity aren't poisonous because they don't eat these special bugs!
- **Super dads** - Male poison dart frogs are amazing fathers! They guard the eggs, keep them moist, and once tadpoles hatch, they carry them on their backs to water.
- **Unique patterns** - Like fingerprints, each poison dart frog has a slightly different pattern of spots and colors, making every individual unique!



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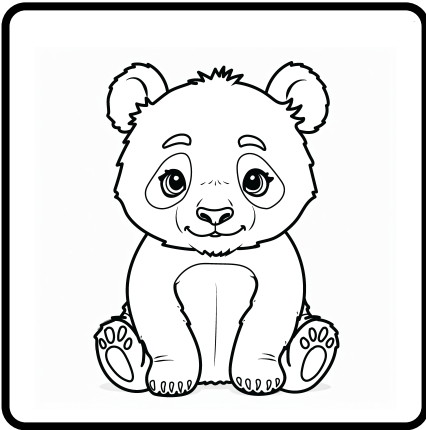
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## Panda

- **Bamboo eating machines** - Giant pandas eat 26-84 pounds (12-38 kg) of bamboo every single day! That's like eating hundreds of celery sticks from morning until night.
- **Born tiny** - Baby pandas are incredibly small when born - about the size of a stick of butter! They're pink, hairless, and blind, weighing only 3-5 ounces (90-130 grams).
- **Thumb that's not a thumb** - Pandas have a special "pseudo-thumb" - an extended wrist bone that works like a thumb to help them grip bamboo stalks while eating.
- **Technically carnivores** - Even though pandas eat bamboo all day, they're actually members of the bear family and have the digestive system of a carnivore - which is why they need to eat so much!
- **Expert tree climbers** - Despite their chunky appearance, pandas are excellent climbers! Cubs climb trees to play and stay safe, while adults climb to sunbathe or escape danger.

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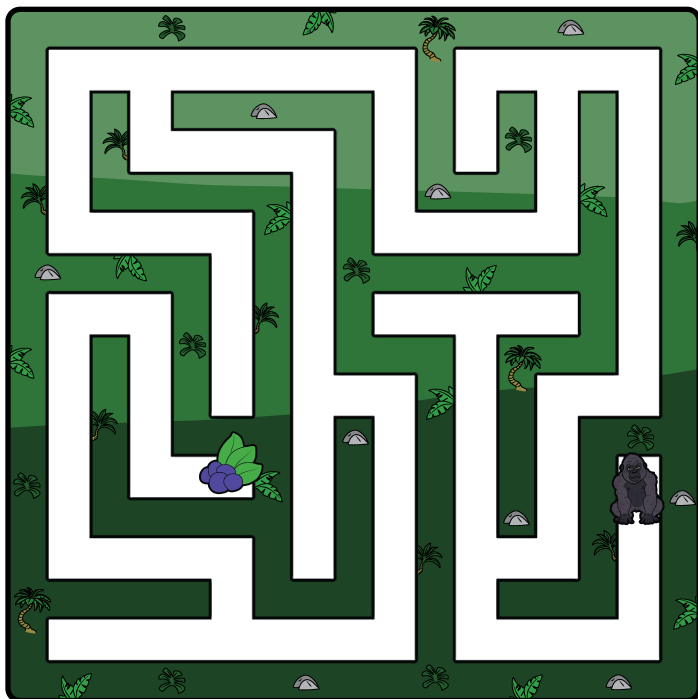
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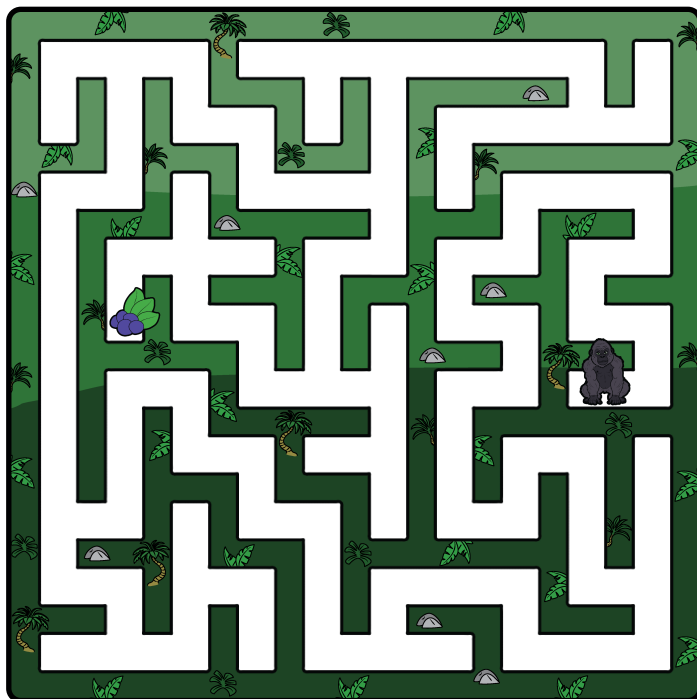
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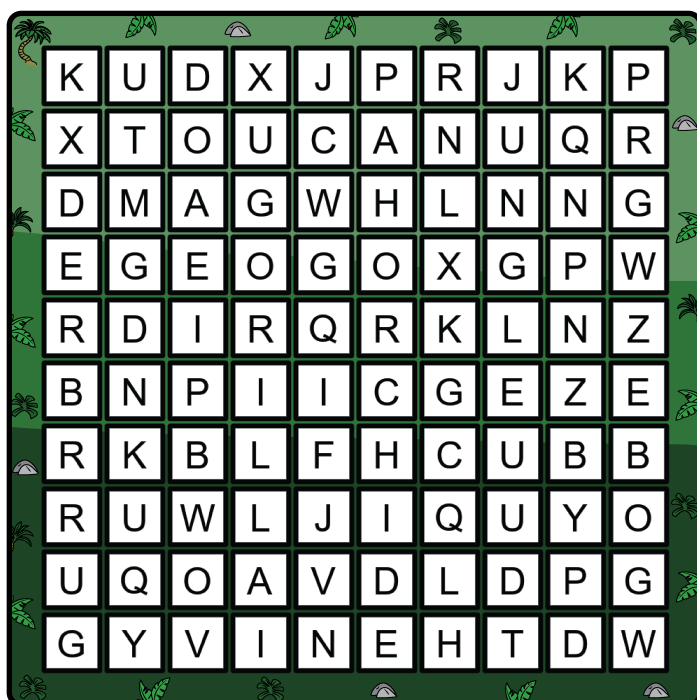
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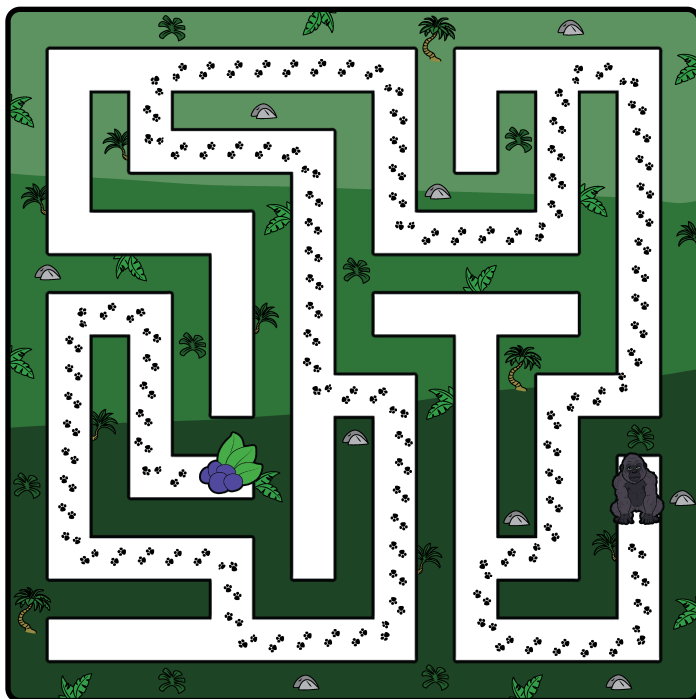
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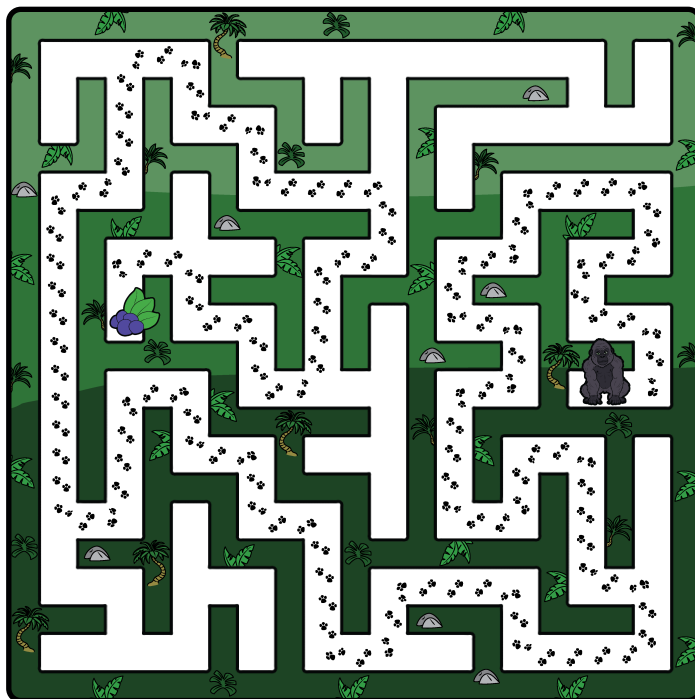
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