

MIX-N-MATCH MONSTERS



from
"In the Bag Kids' Crafts"

PAPER BAG MONSTERS



MATERIALS LIST

- Paper lunch bag
- Paint
- Newspaper
- Stapler with staples
- Pompoms
- Q-tips
- Construction paper
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- Markers
- Googly eyes (optional)
- Monster craft printables



Step 1: Paint the Bag

- Lay out some newspaper on your crafting surface.
- Place the paper lunch bag on the newspaper with the flap facing down and the opening at the top.
- Paint the paper bag in whatever design and colors you would like, leaving the top inch or so unpainted.



Step 2: Use the Printables

- Download and print the monster crafts printables.
- Use them to cut out whatever parts you would like for your monster from construction paper.



Step 3: Add the Parts

- Once the paint has dried, fold down the top 1 to 2 inches of your paper lunch bag.
- Use the glue stick to attach the parts of your monster.
- You can also use googly eyes or anything else in your kids' craft bag for special touches on your craft.



Step 4: Add Some Details

- Get the markers out and add even more details. This can simply be shadows or outlines or little lines to mimic fur. Really, there are no limits. Just use your imagination and get creative.



Step 5: Stuff It

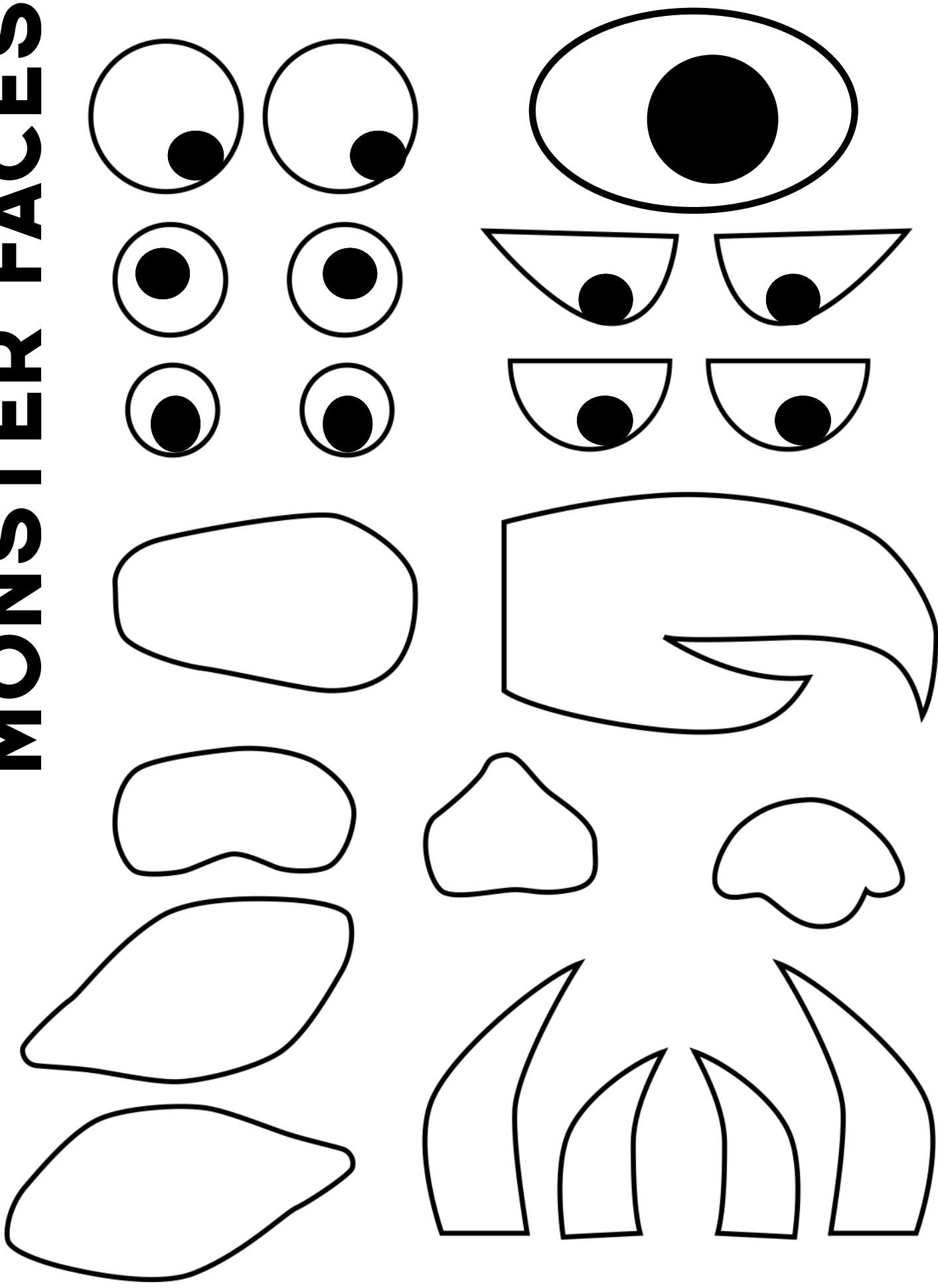
- Open up the top of your paper bag.
- Tear strips of newspaper and crumple them into balls.
- Place the newspaper balls into the bag one at a time until it is filled but not over-stuffed.



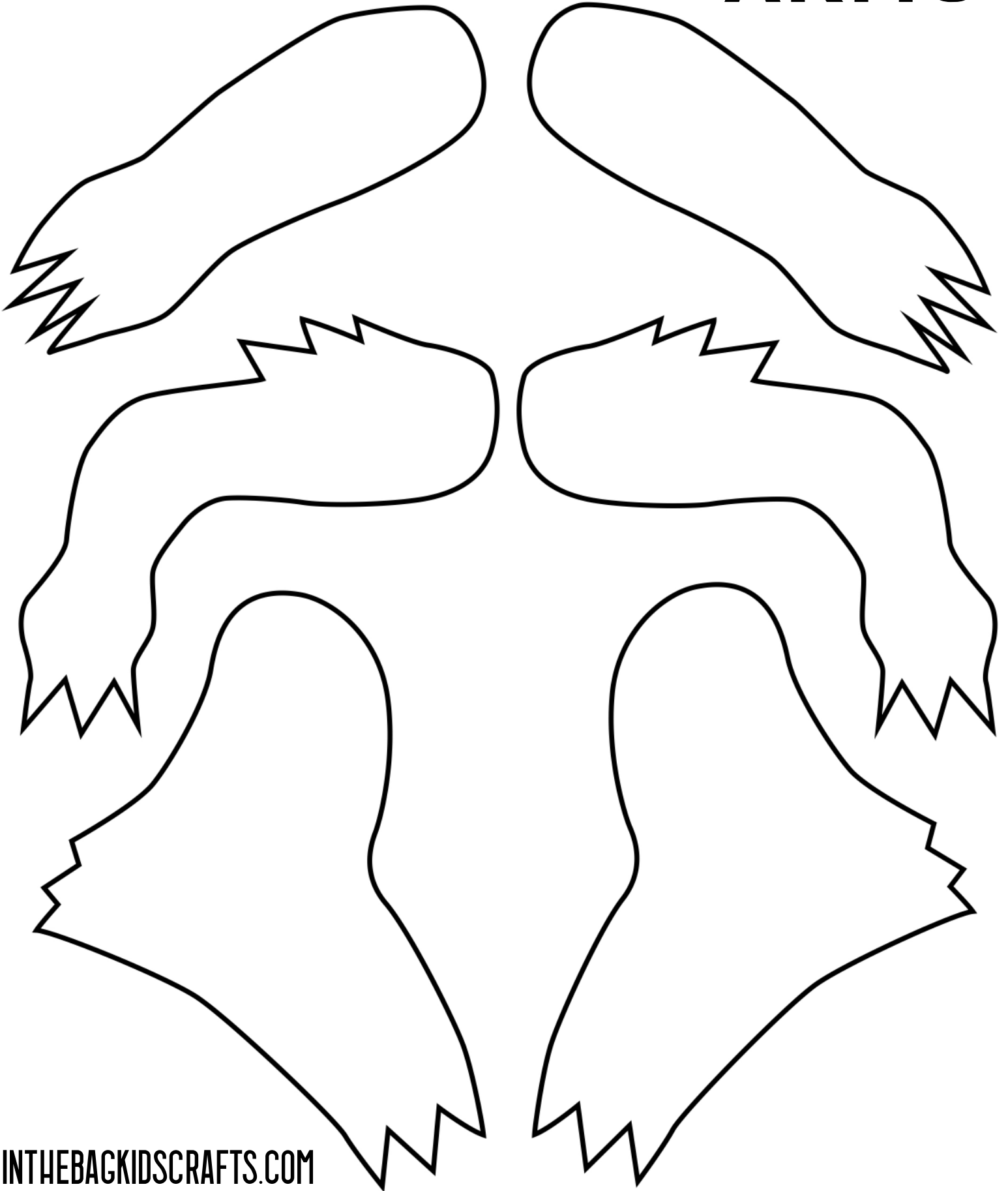
Step 6: Close It Up

- Fold the top of the paper bag back down.
- Secure it closed with staples on each side in the back of the bag.

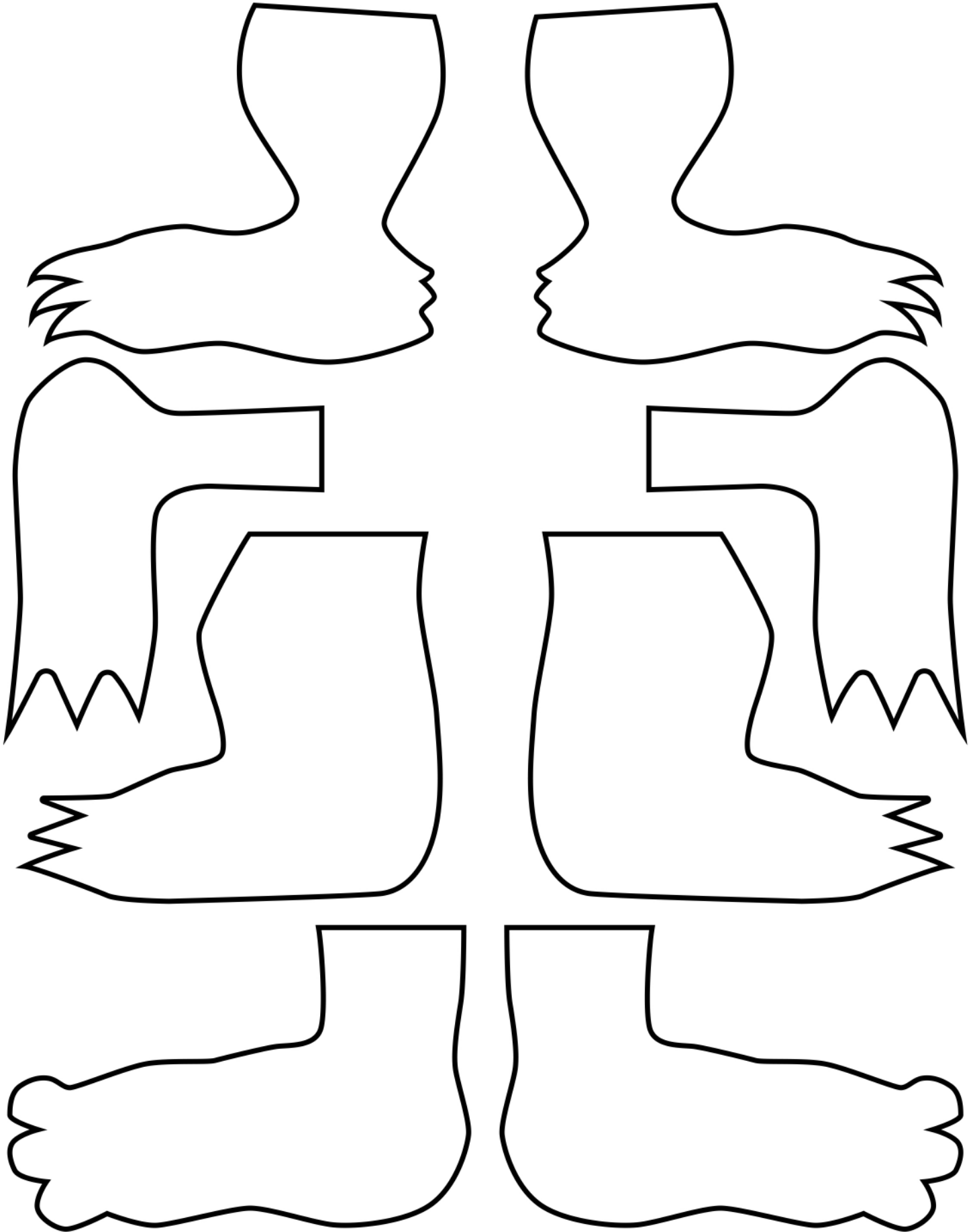
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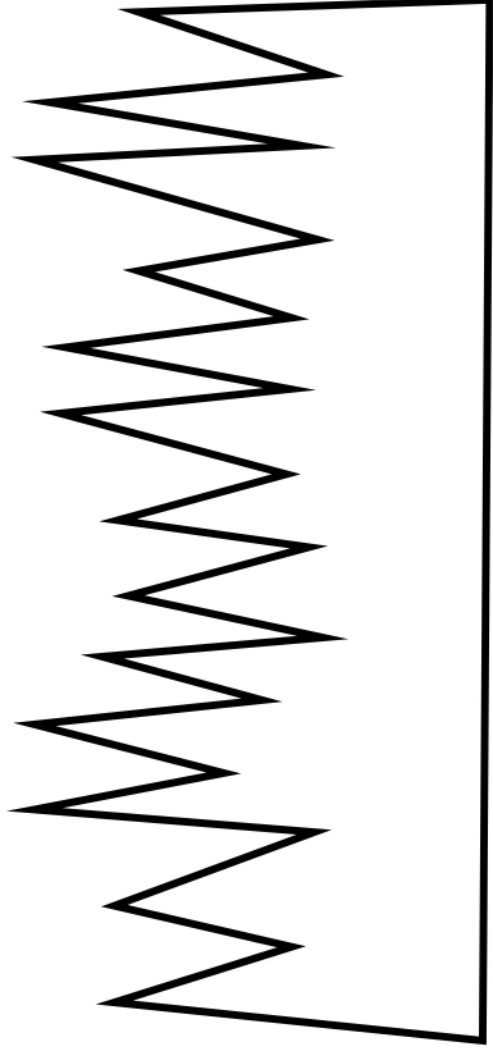
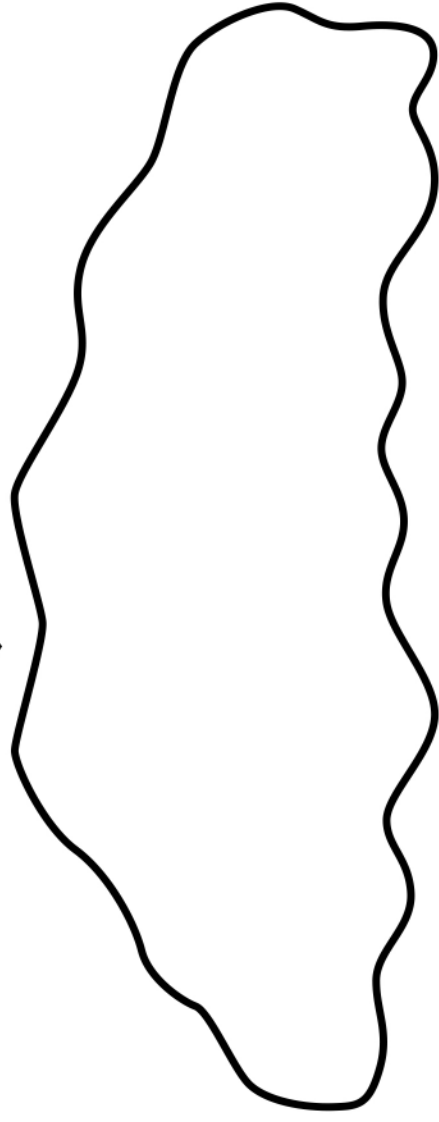
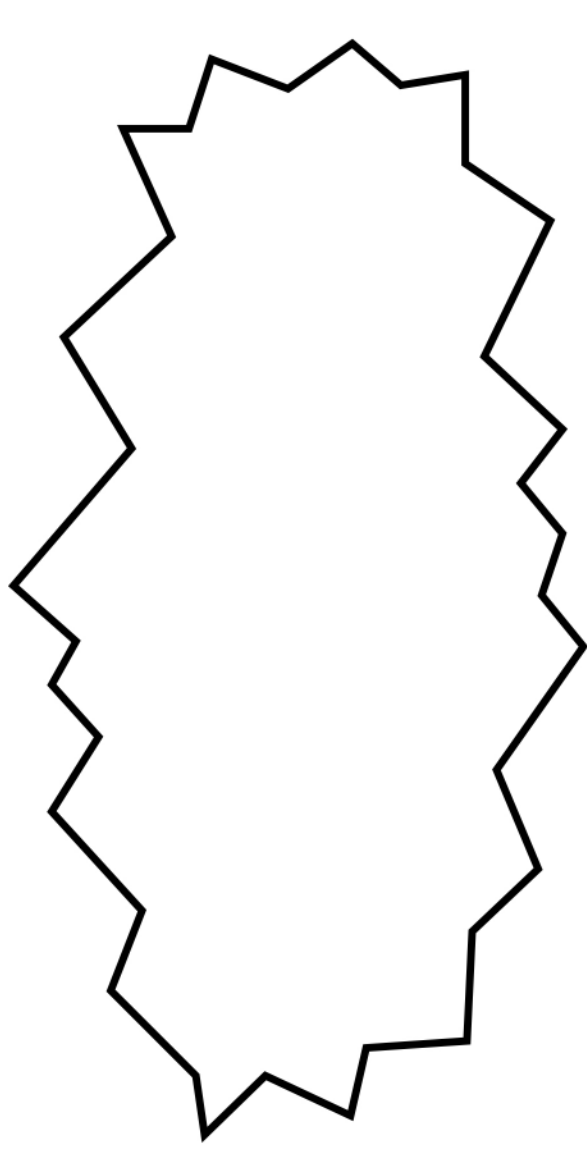
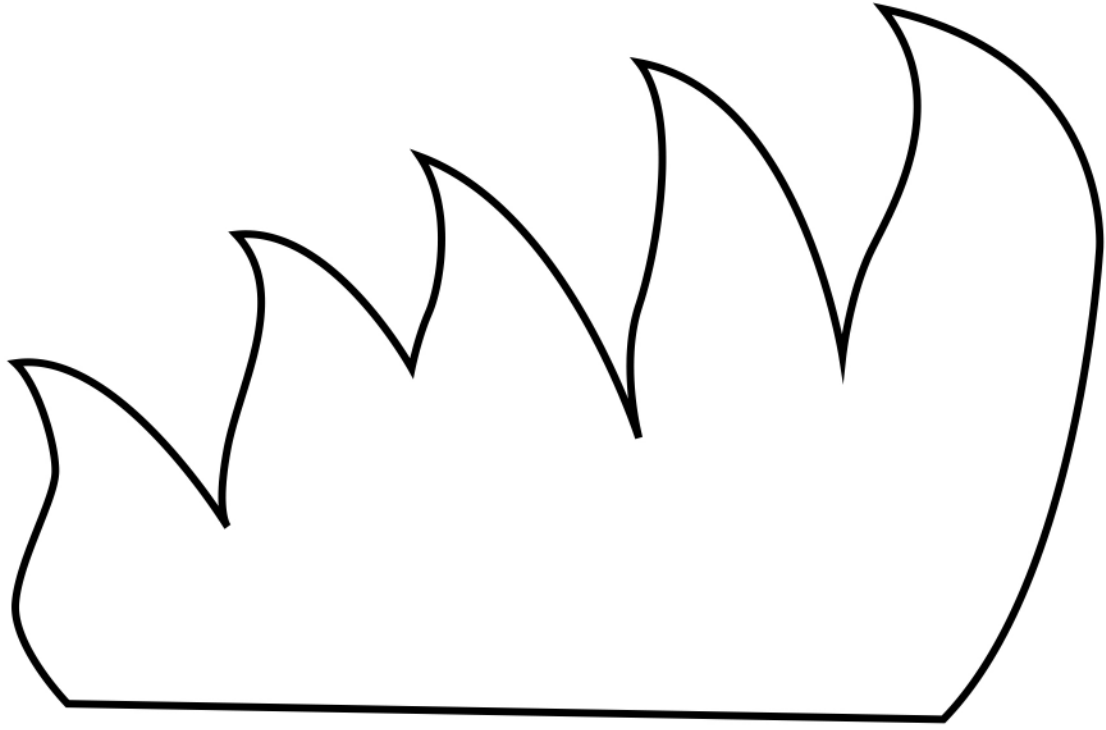
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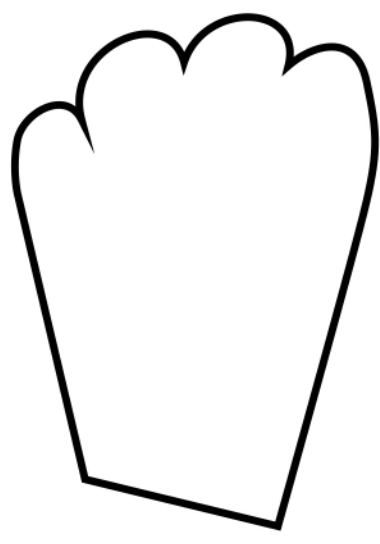
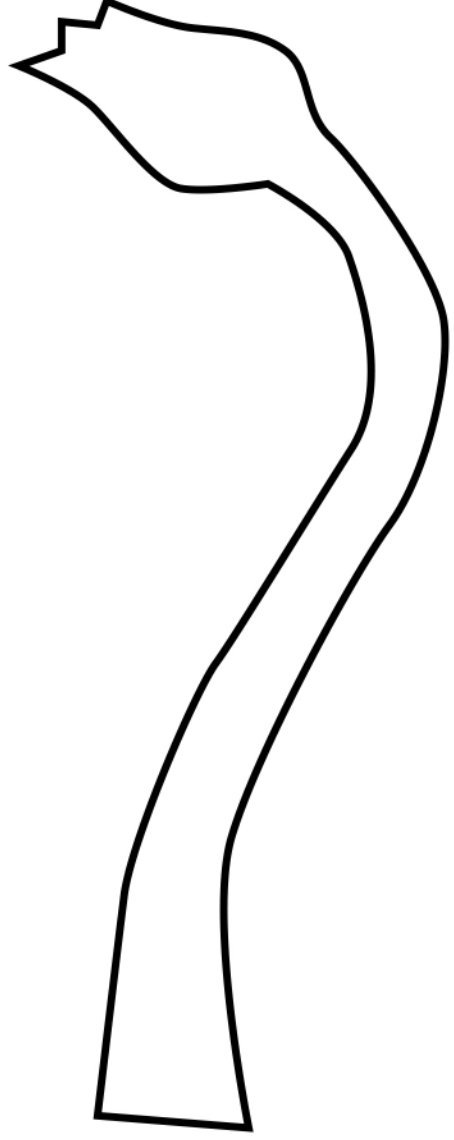
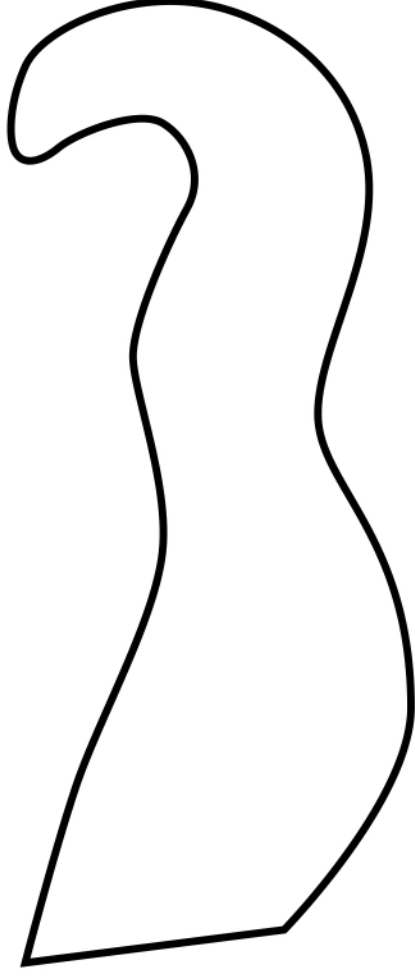
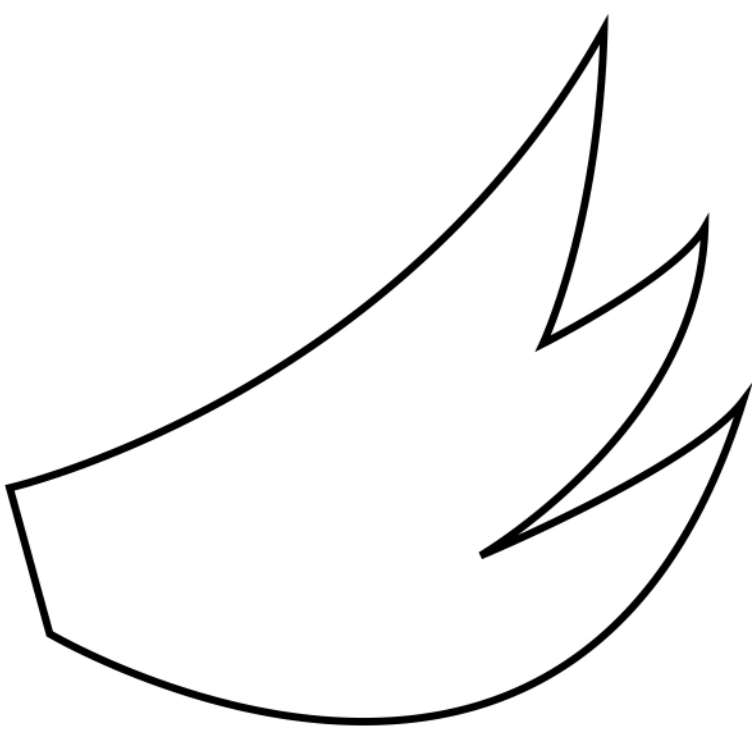
MONSTER FEET



MONSTER "HAIR"



MONSTER TAILS





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