

Rabbit Hole Learning's

Curvy Letters

Uppercase: U, J, and S

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Ways to Use:

This pack introduces children to the curvy uppercase letters: U, J, and S. Activities progress from simple prewriting strokes to independent letter formation, giving children confidence at every step.

Materials

- Print on regular paper, card stock, or place in page protectors for reuse.
- Provide crayons (recommended), pencils, or dry erase markers.
- Optional: Pipe cleaners, string, or any other loose parts for hands-on letter building.

Step-by-Step Guide

1. Prewriting Sheets (pg. 5–18)

2. Bubble Letter Tracing

- Each letter has a large bubble outline.
- Encourage sky writing first: draw the letter in the air with a big arm movement, saying the strokes out loud.
- Children trace inside with a crayon, marker, or alternative material (pipe cleaners, string, play dough, or loose parts).

3. Progressive Tracing Pages

- Line 1: Two large letters to trace.
- Line 2: Two medium letters to trace.
- Line 3: Two small letters to trace.
- Line 4: Blank guides for independent writing.
- Tip: Some children enjoy calling this “Three Bears Practice”—Papa Bear, Momma Bear, Baby Bear.
- Make it more fun by switching colors each line or letter.

4. Independent Practice Page

- Children write on the same handwriting lines without tracing support.
- If your learner isn’t ready, use a highlighter or light-colored marker to create your own tracing model.

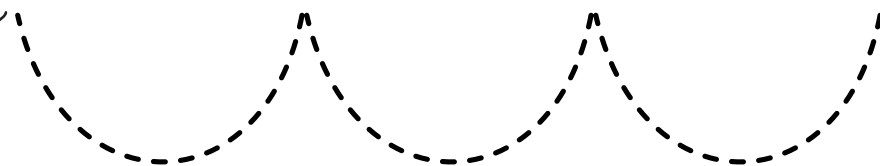
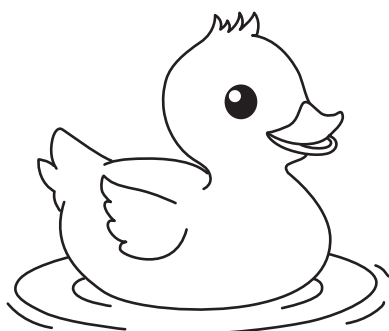
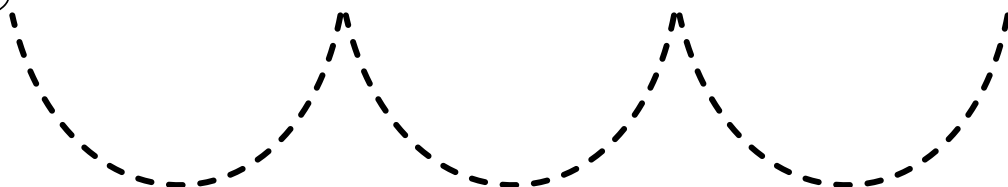
Teaching Tips

- Model first: “Watch me make an O. Start at the top and go around, all the way back to the top.”
- Use verbal cues for consistency, especially for letters like G and Q that add extra strokes.
- Sky writing helps children who need big movements before fine motor control.
- Slip pages into page protectors for repeated practice. Dry erase crayons (or 3-in-1 crayons like Stabilo’s) are often easier to control than markers.
- Repetition builds confidence, praise effort and improvement, not just neatness.

More Early Writing Extensions

- On the Early Learning section of Rabbit Hole Learning, you’ll also find:
 - Dot marker sheets for each letter.
 - Letter building activities using big and little curves.

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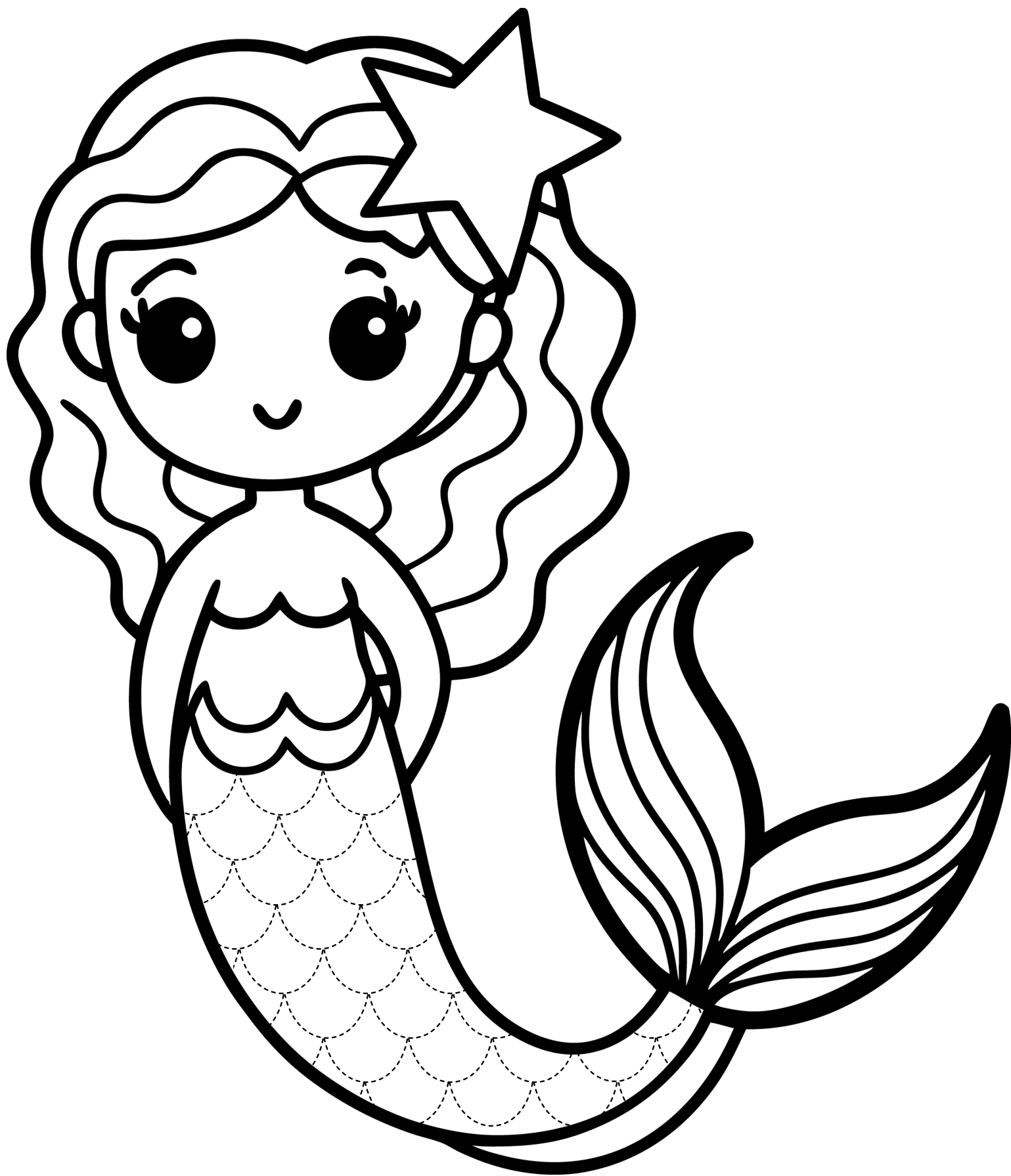
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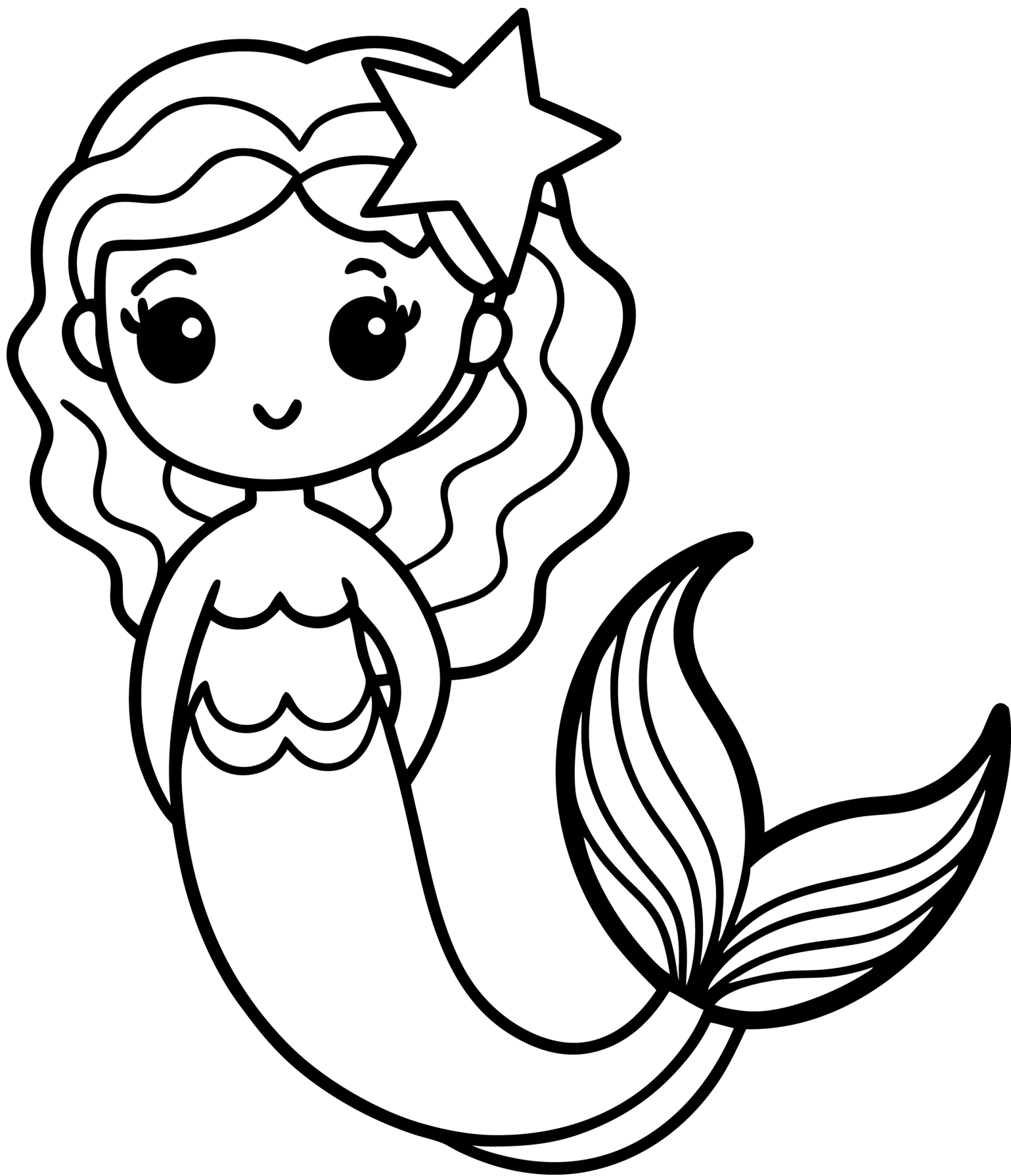
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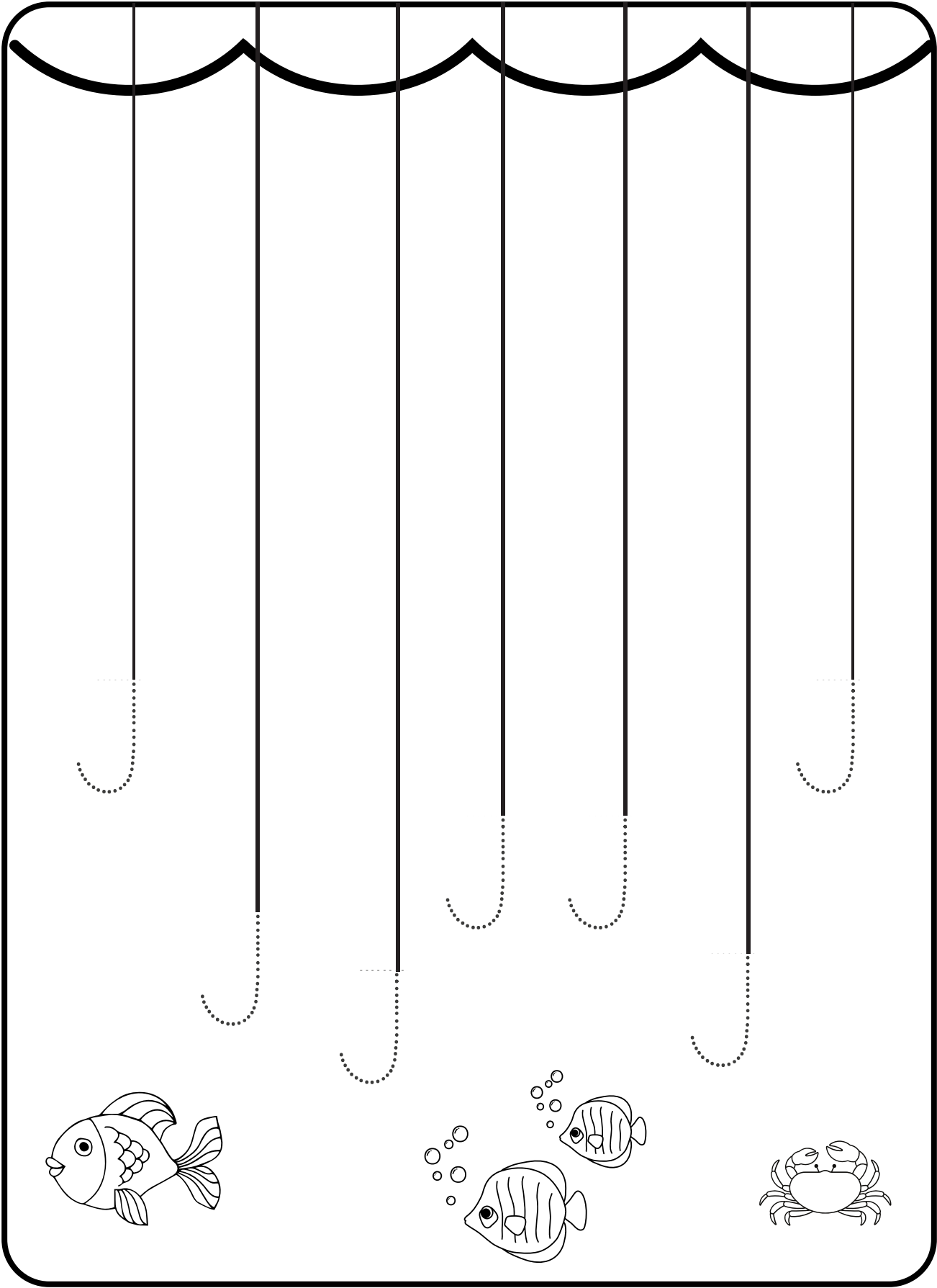
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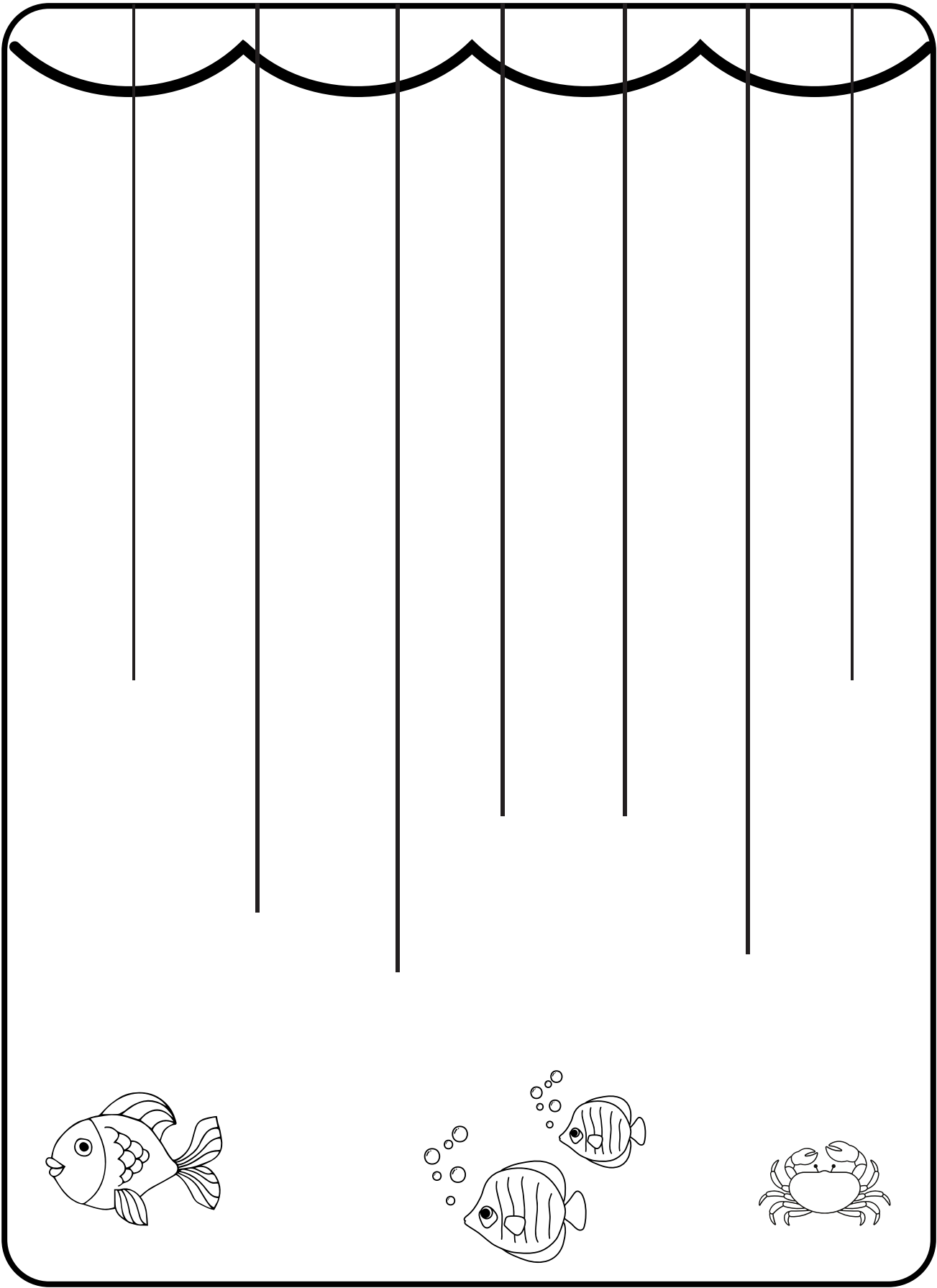
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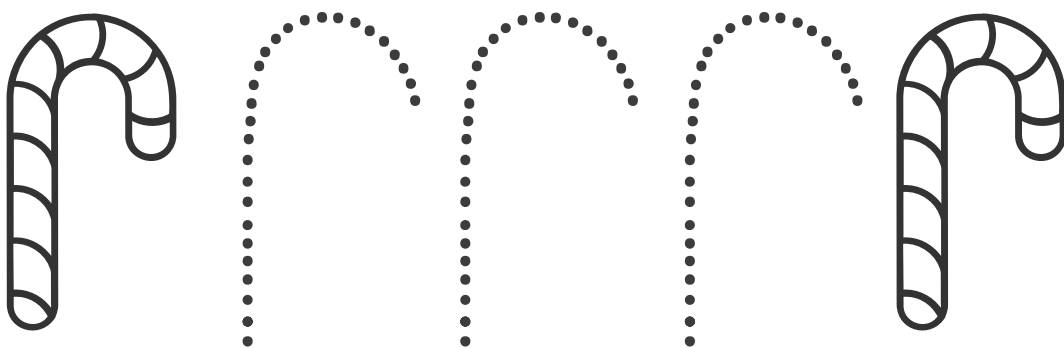
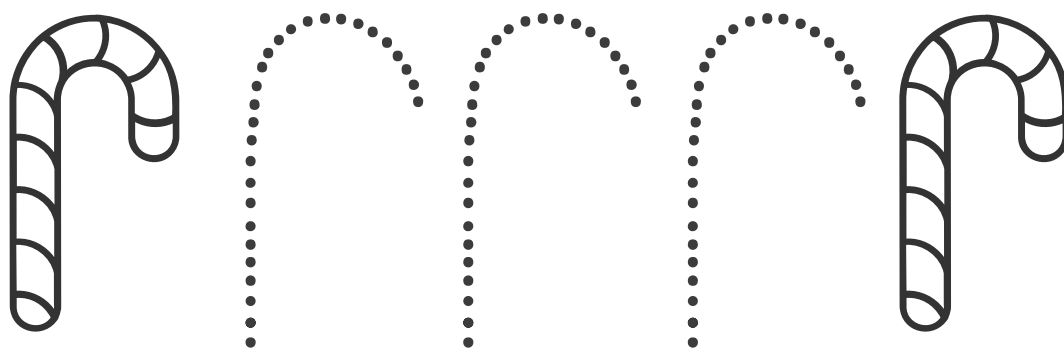
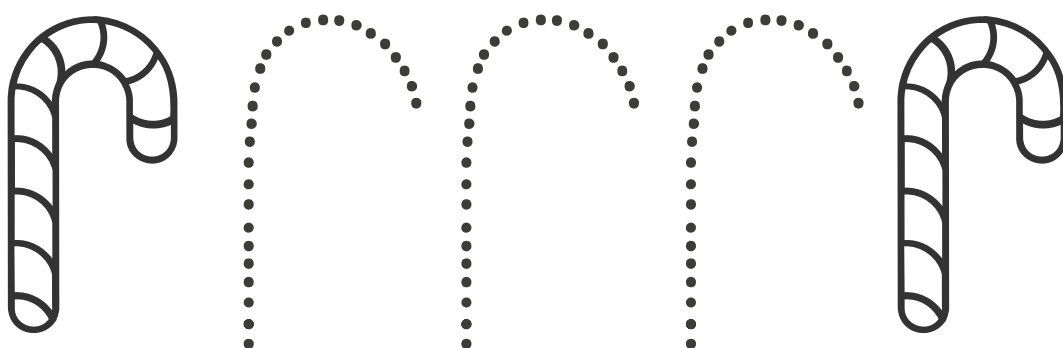
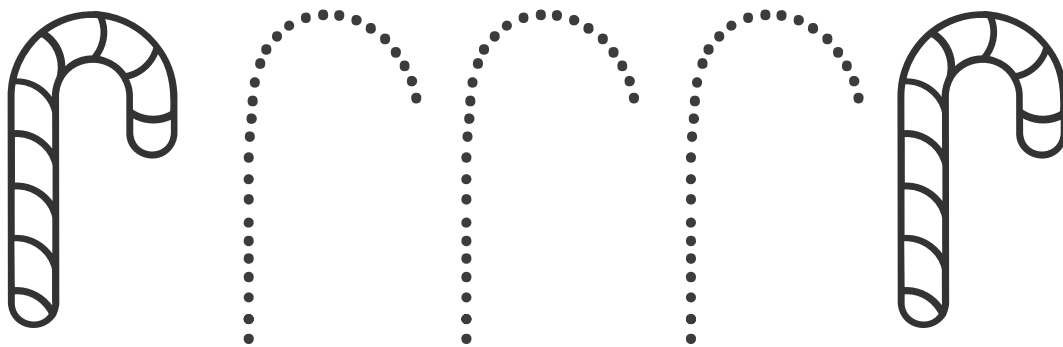
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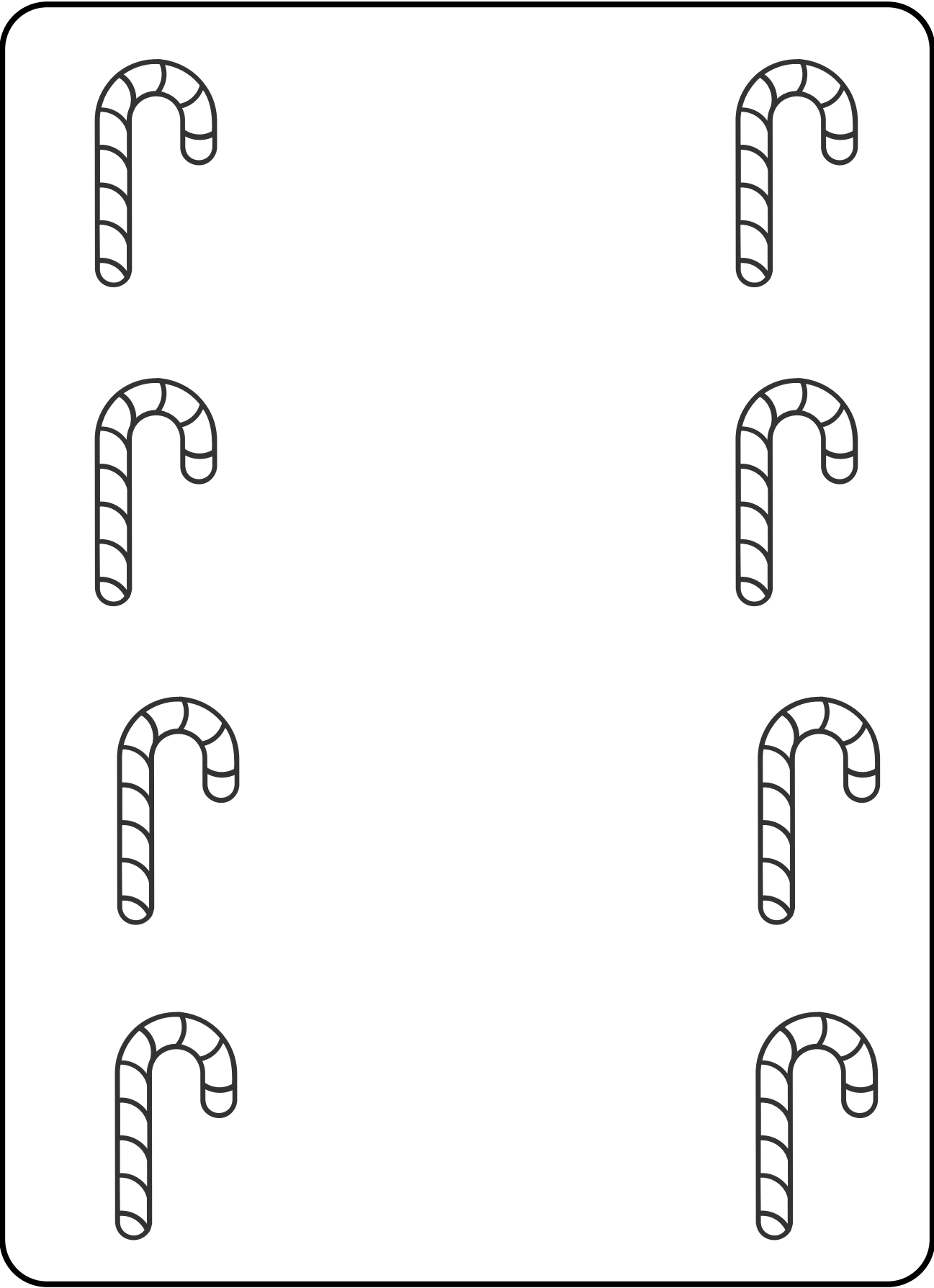
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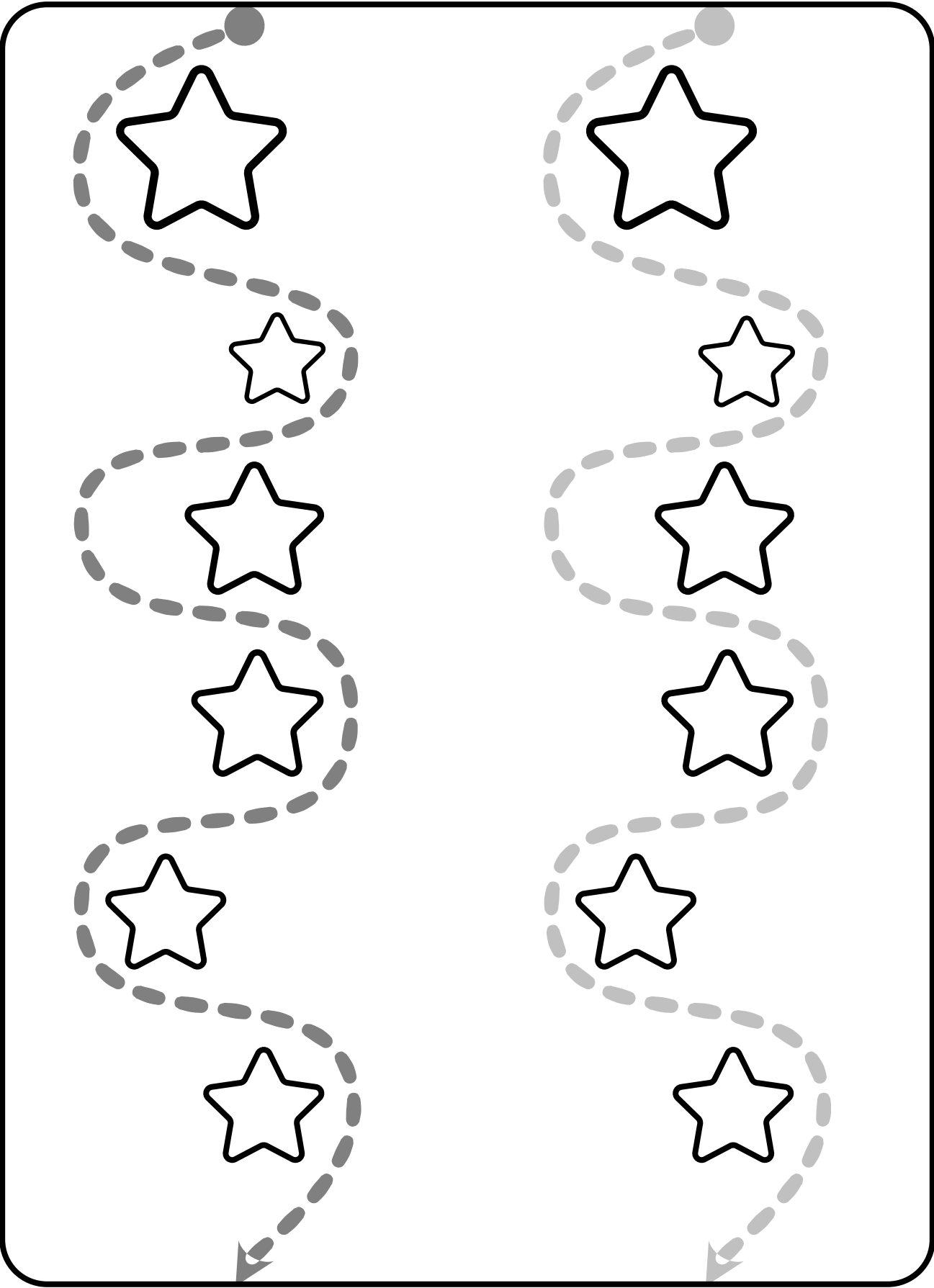
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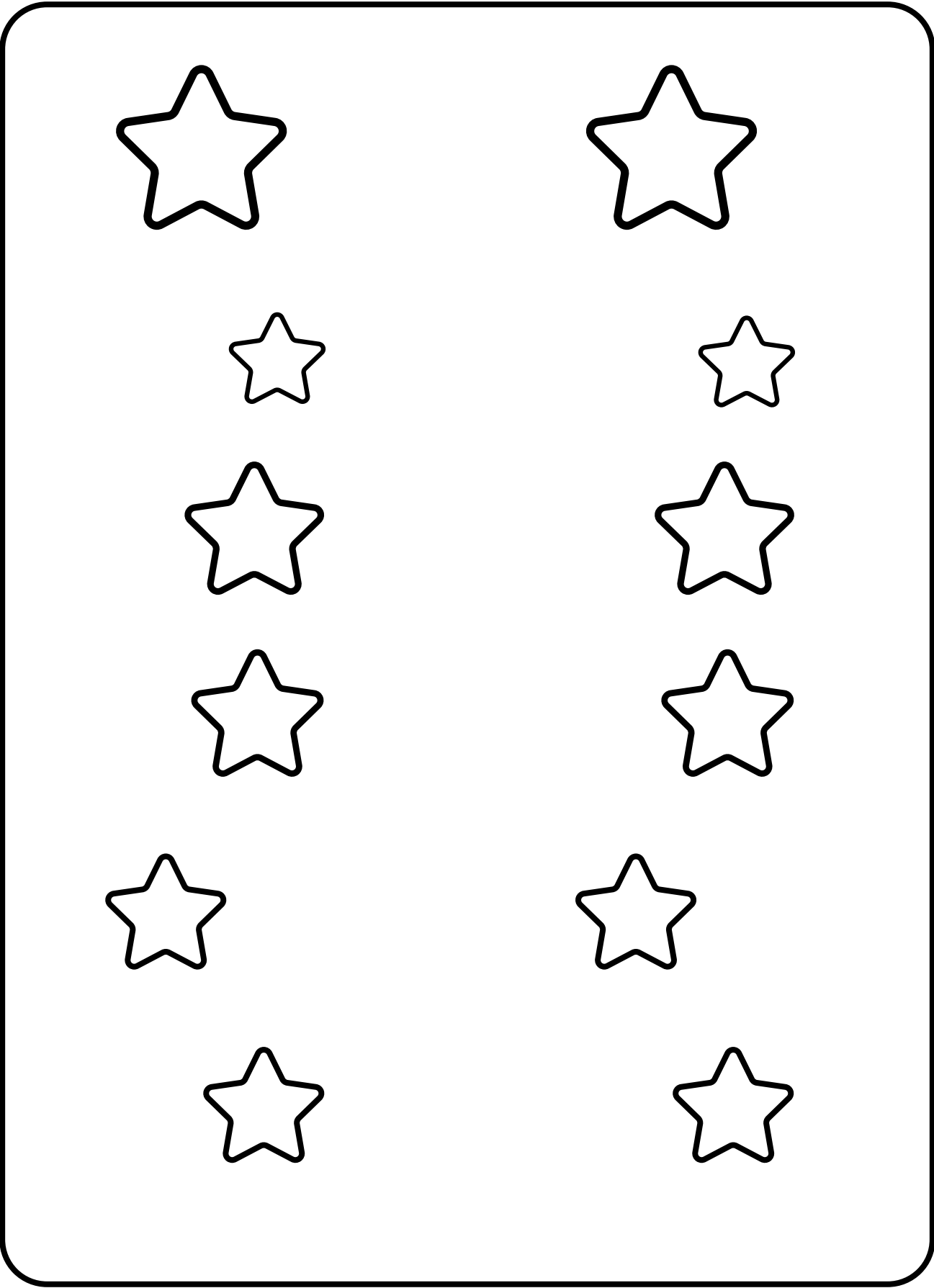
Draw your own candy canes



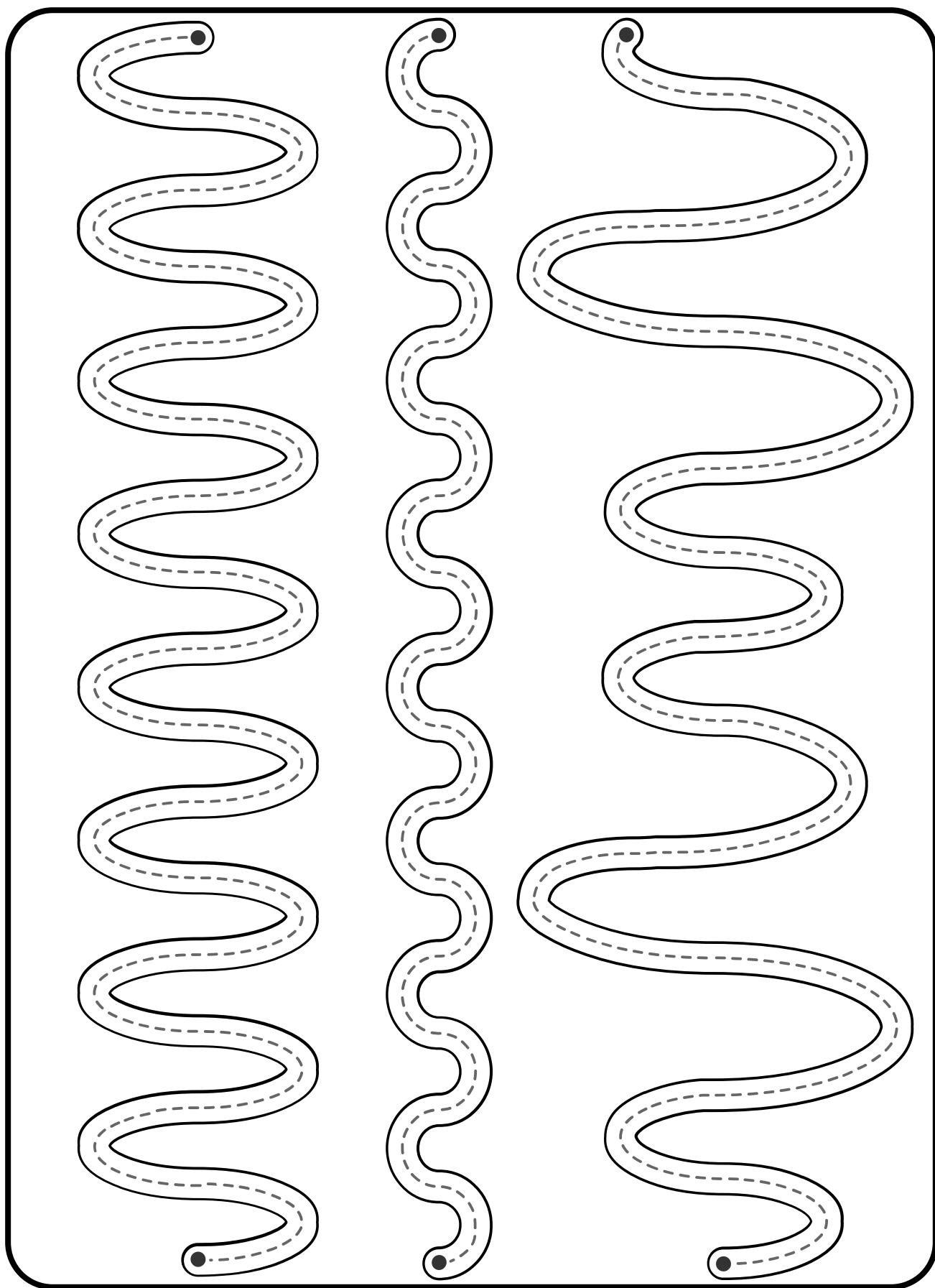
Don't run into the stars!



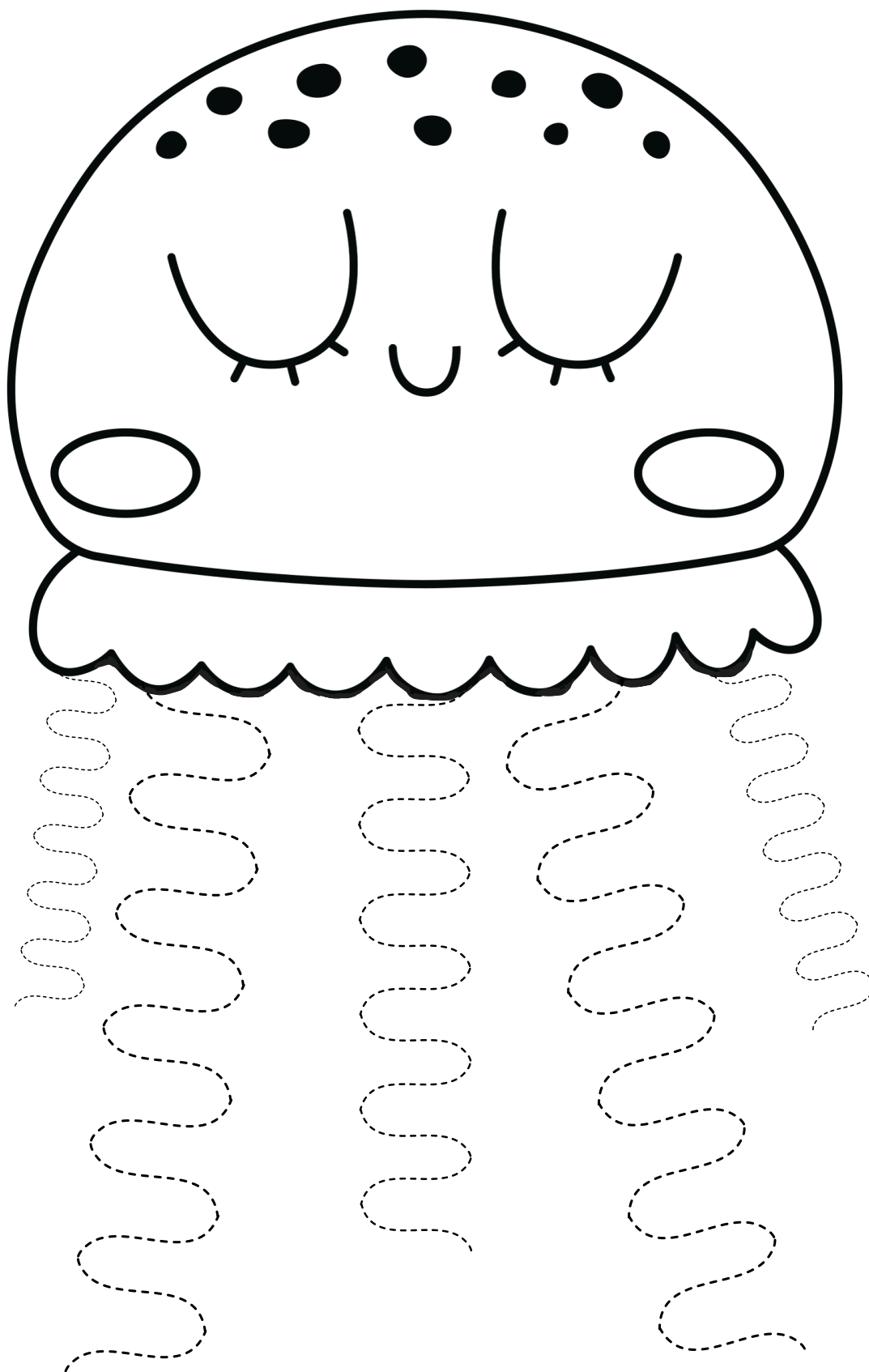
Make a path between the stars.



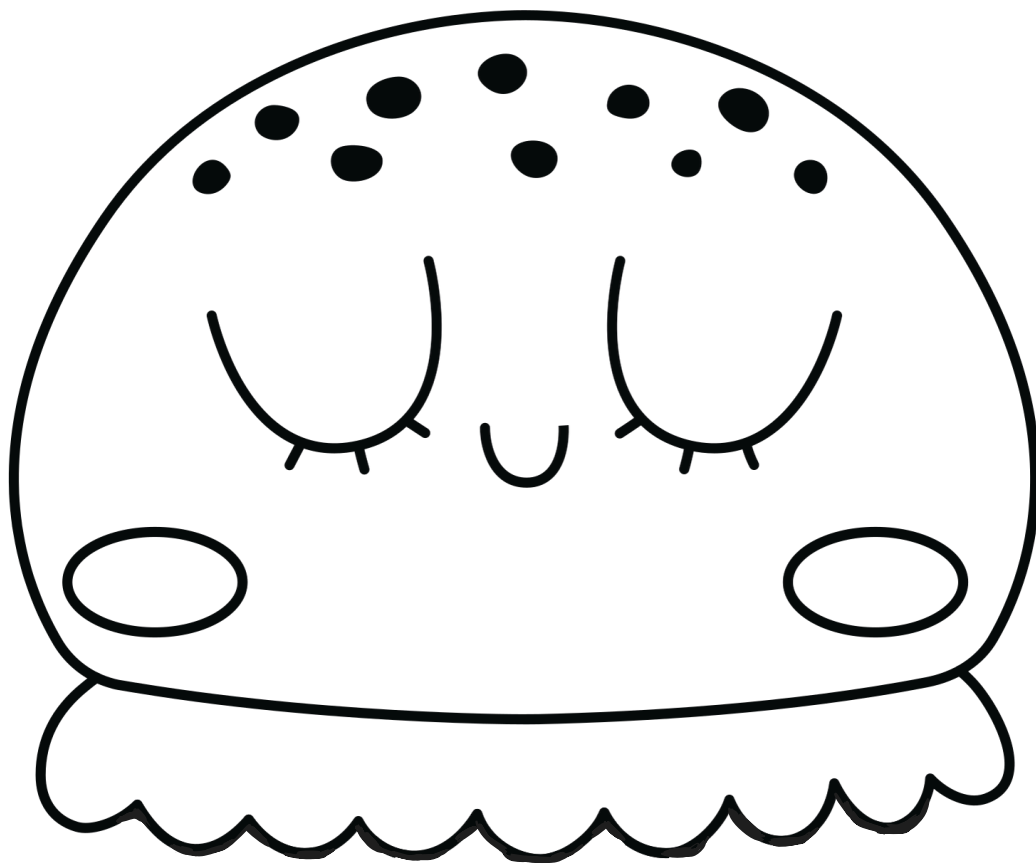
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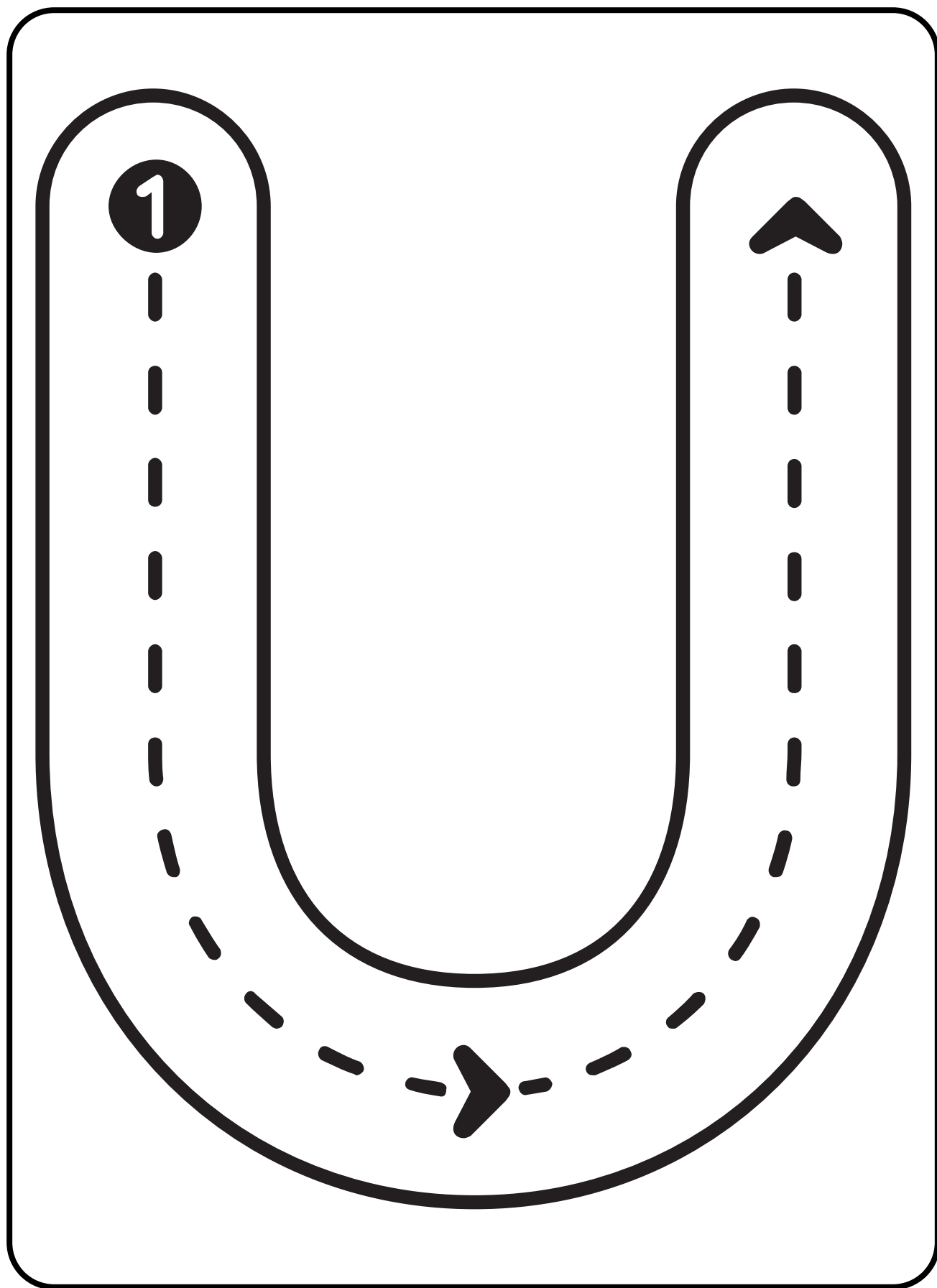
Add in the sea jelly's tentacles



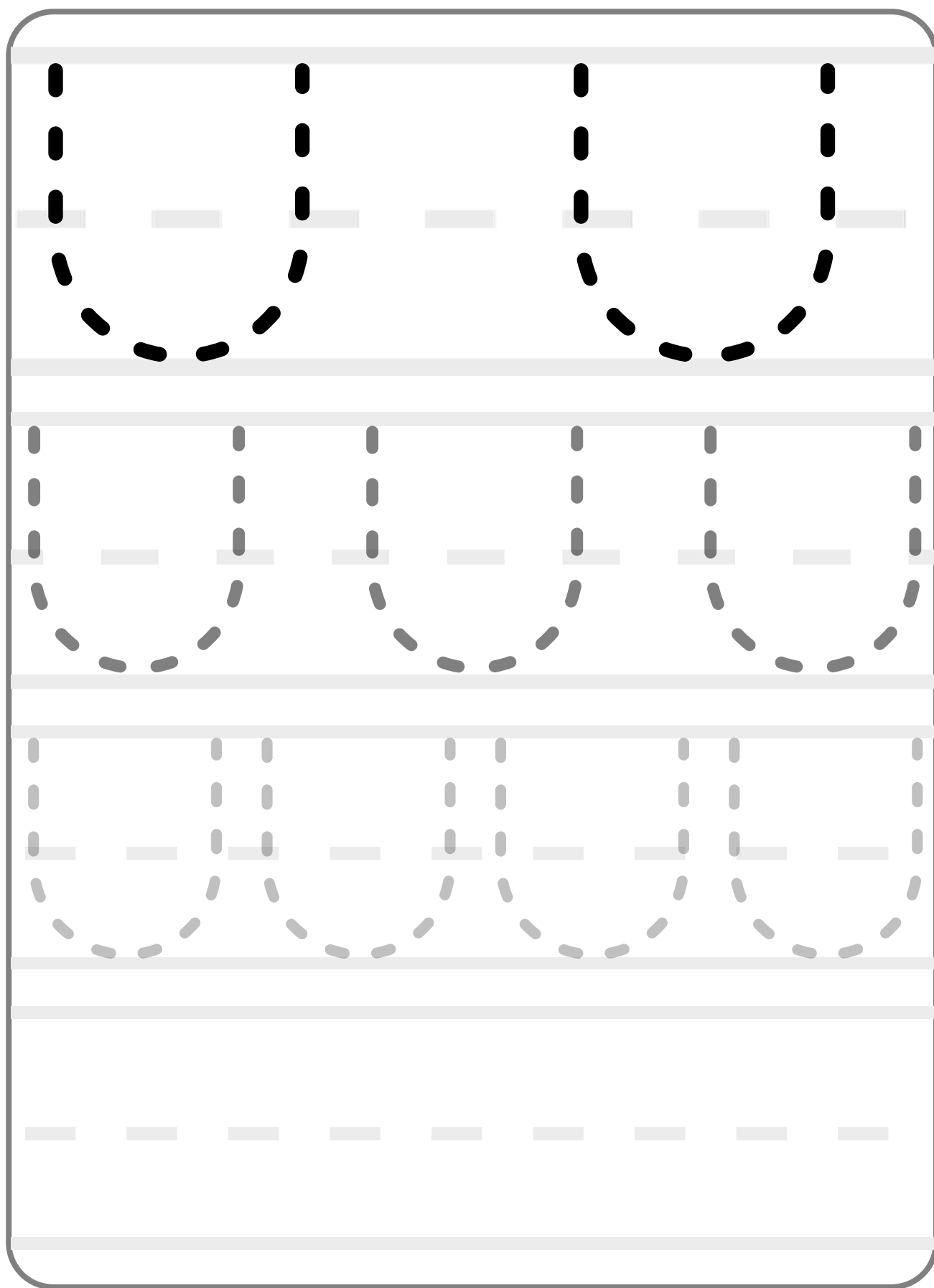
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Start at the top. Big line down... curve around the bottom... big line up.

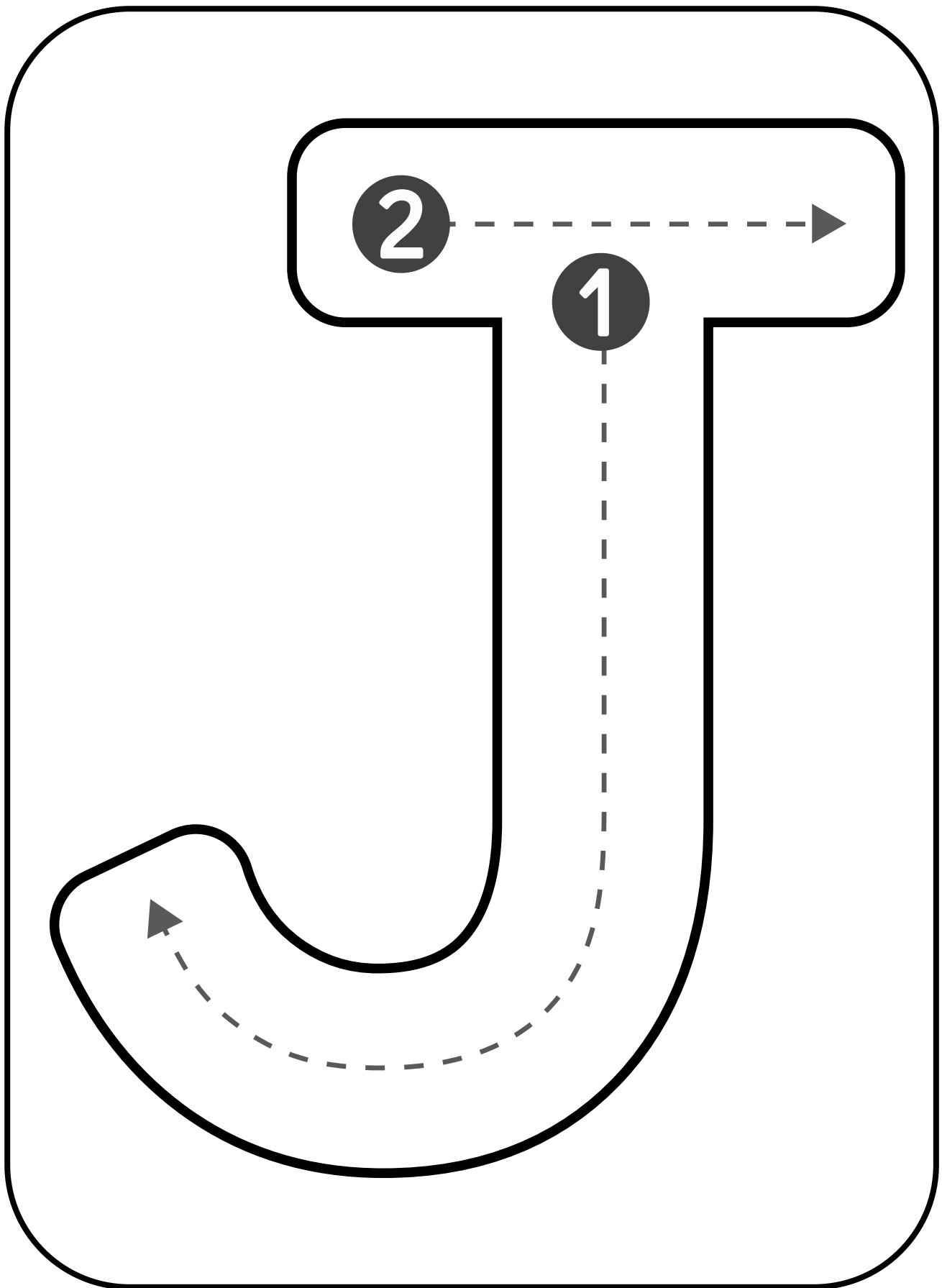


Start at the top. Big curve around... keep going... all the way back to the top.

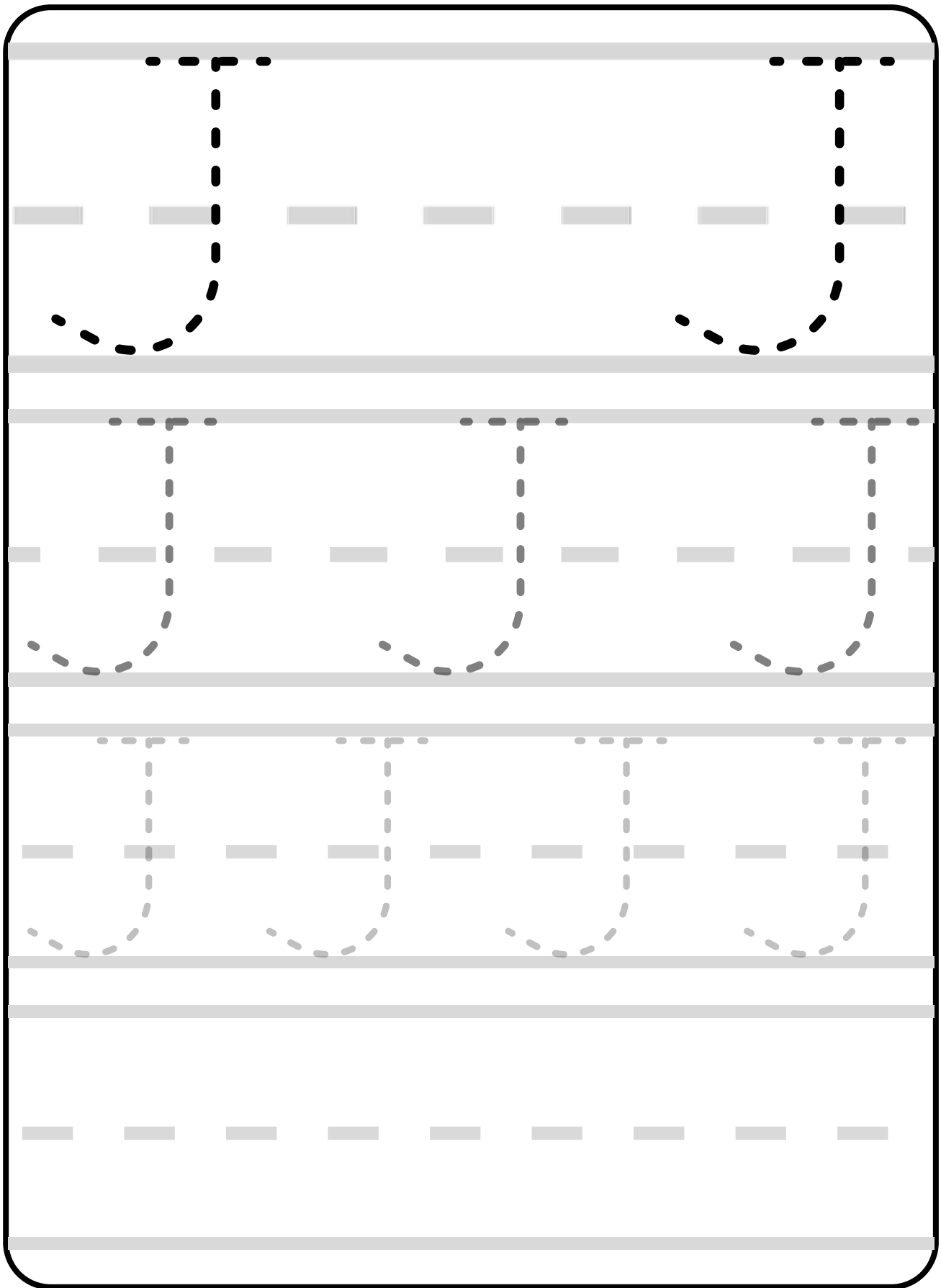


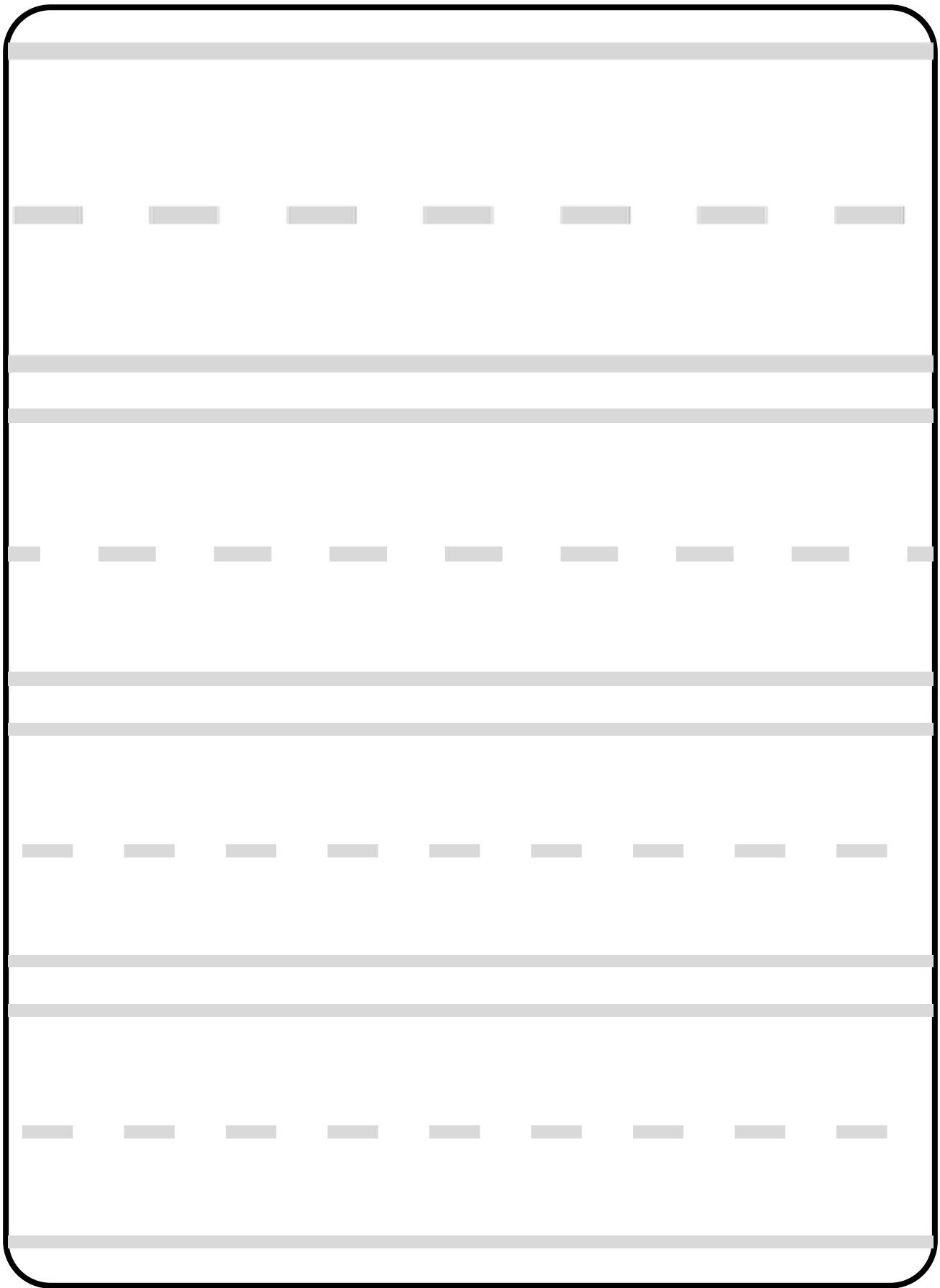
This image shows a handwriting practice sheet with four sets of horizontal lines. Each set consists of three lines: a top solid line, a middle dashed line, and a bottom solid line. The lines are evenly spaced and cover the majority of the page, providing a guide for letter height and placement. The sheet is designed to help learners practice consistent letter formation and alignment.

Start at the top. Big line down... hook at the bottom... little line across the top.

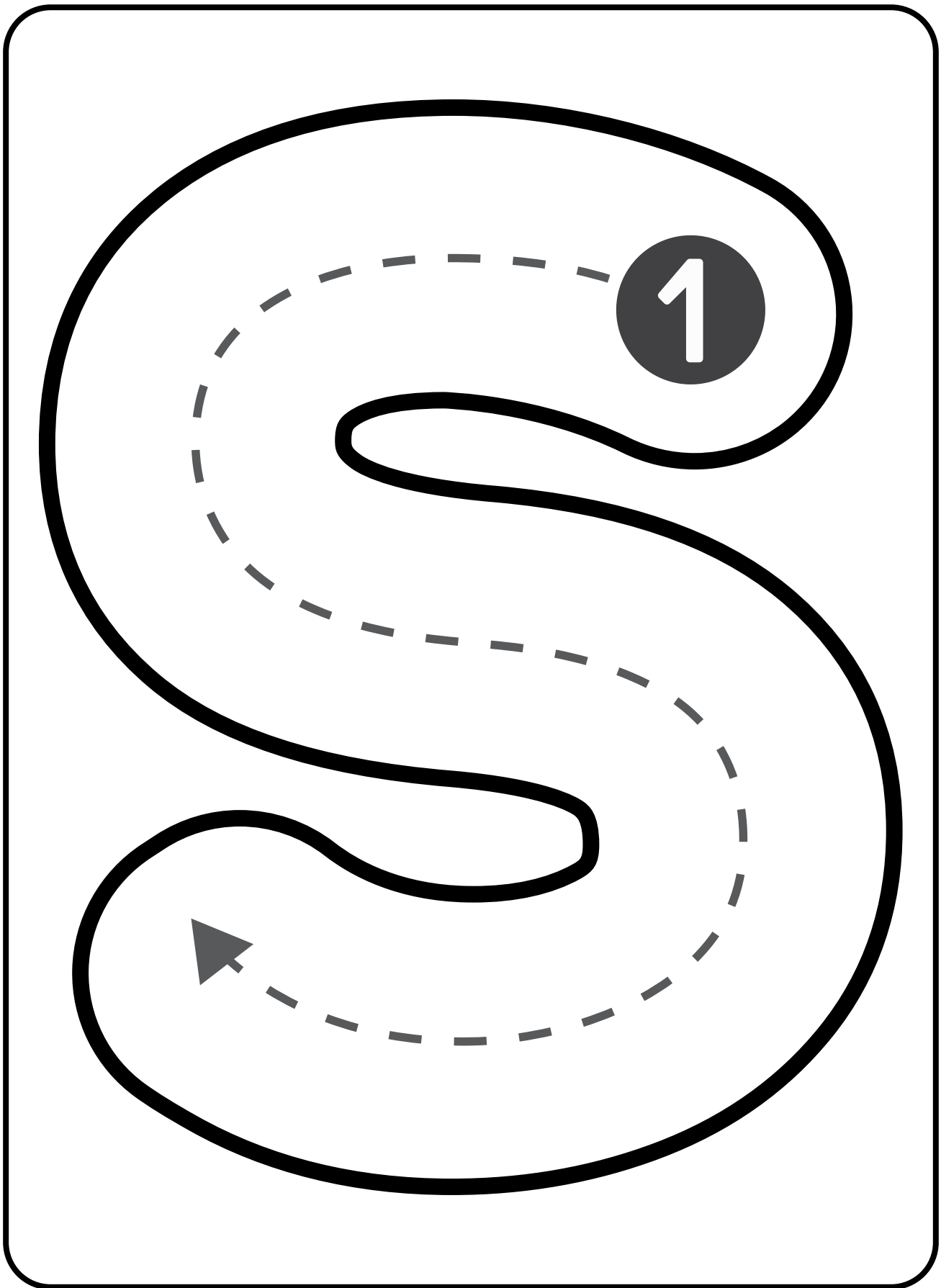


Start at the top. Big curve around... stop at the bottom.





Start at the top. Little curve one way... little curve the other way.



Start at the top. Big curve around... keep going....stop at the middle. Little line in.

