

DUBLIN ZOO
ACTIVITY BOOK

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BIG CATS**



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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to Dublin Zoo's **#DUBLINZOOFUN** series where we will give you and your children a daily activity booklet to work together to complete.

All of the answers you will need to complete this activity booklet can be found on the Dublin Zoo website – www.dublinzoo.ie, or on our social media pages.

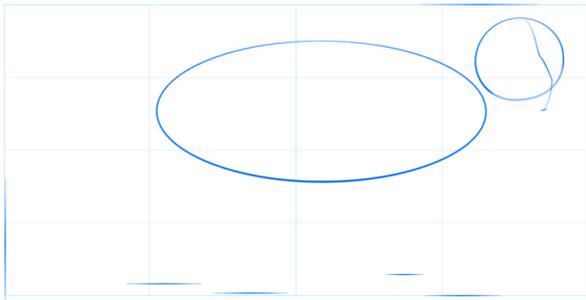
If you and your children are taking part in these activities, don't forget to tag **#DUBLINZOOFUN** in your progress pictures so we can share them on our Instagram and Facebook Stories.

Have fun and stay safe! – **DUBLIN ZOO**

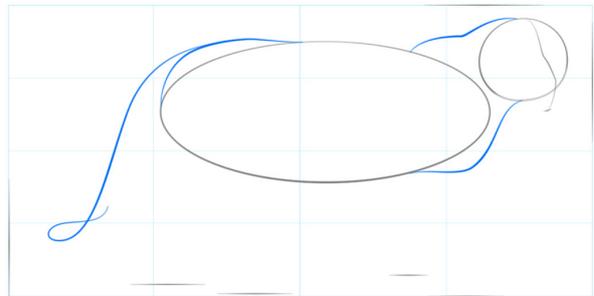
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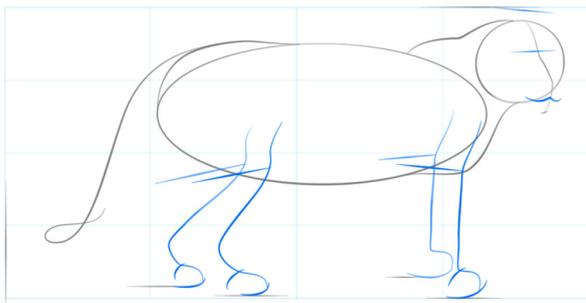
DRAWING



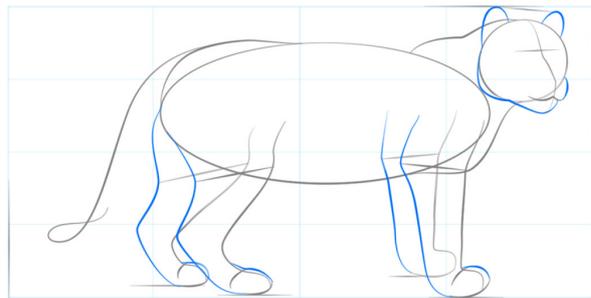
STEP 1. Mark off the width and height of the picture. Draw two ovals for the head and body of the snow leopard. Draw a line, which will act as the center of its head.



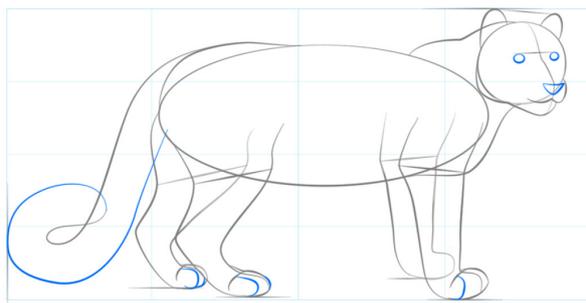
STEP 2. Draw shapes for the animal's body and neck. Add a smooth guideline for its tail.



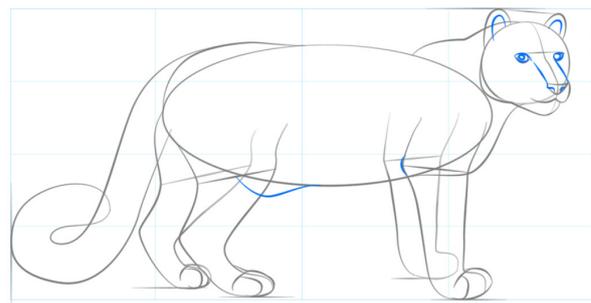
STEP 3. Use guidelines to define places for the legs, eyes, ears and mouth of the snow leopard.



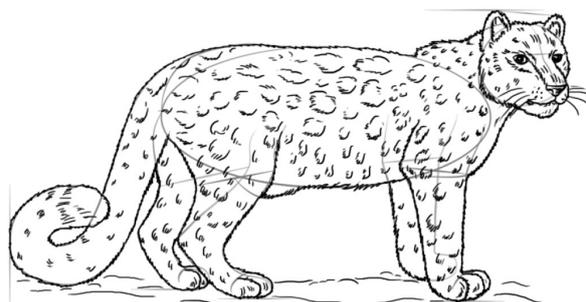
STEP 4. Sketch the legs, feet, snout and ears of the animal.



STEP 5. Draw the eyes, tail, nose and toes of the snow leopard.



STEP 6. Work on the whole figure, paying special attention to detail.



STEP 7. Contour the snow leopard, trying to vary the thickness and darkness of the line. Add more detail and add the ground. Erase all guidelines.

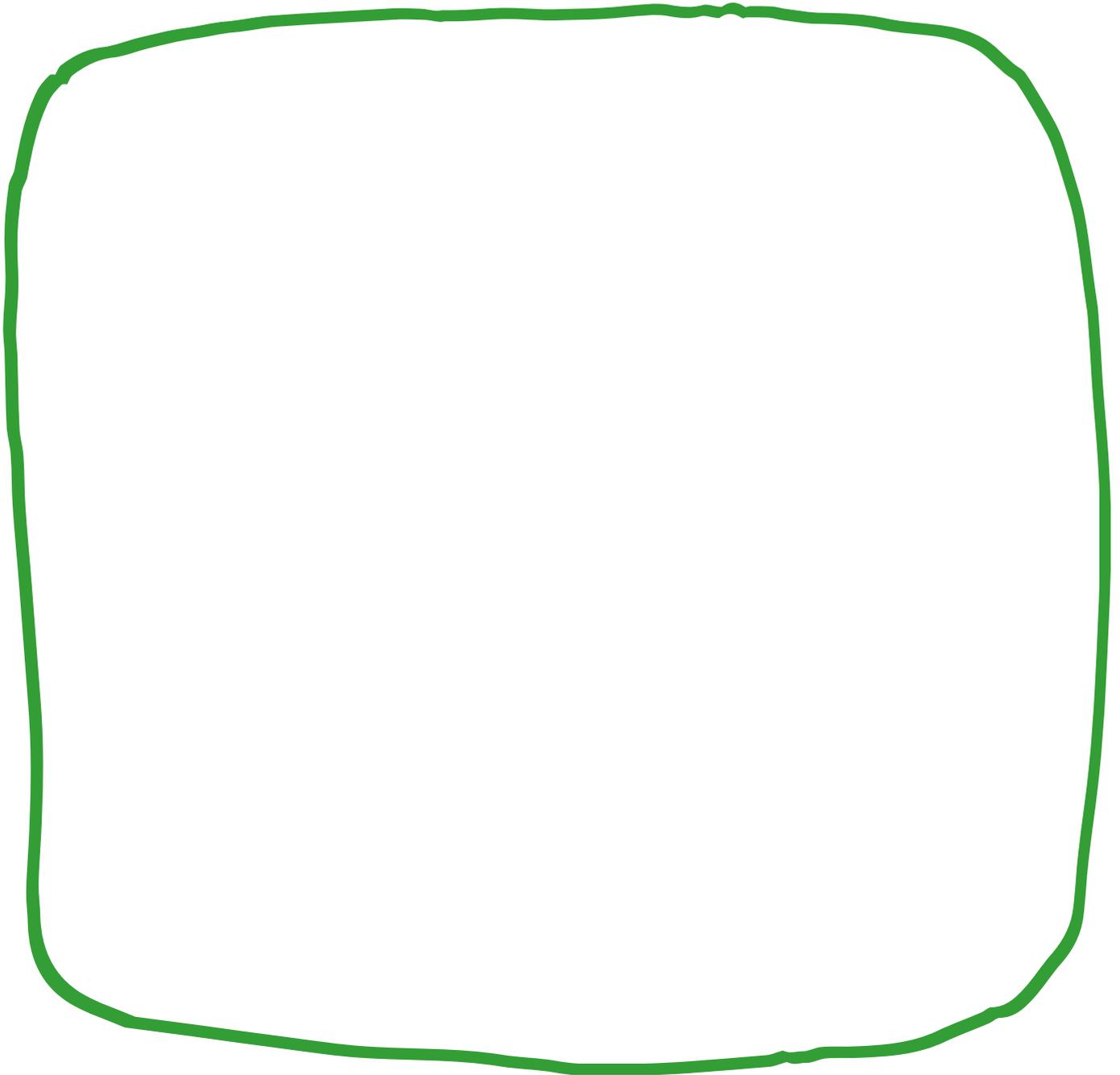
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DRAWING

Can you draw a snow leopard using the instructions on the previous page?



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WHAT'S FOR DINNER?

The big cats at Dublin Zoo are carnivores, a carnivore is an animal that gets food from eating other animals.

Can you unjumble the animals below to see what wild carnivores eat?

DILW TAINMOUNT EEPHS

DIWL ROAB

FAIOBUF

LIAMS EERD

DILW TOAG

POLEANTE

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WORDSEARCH

H E N D A N G E R E D T
S N O W L E O P A R D C
A N C A R N I V O R E L
C A N I N E T E E T H A
M A M M A L F P A W P W
N C U B B C R O A R A S
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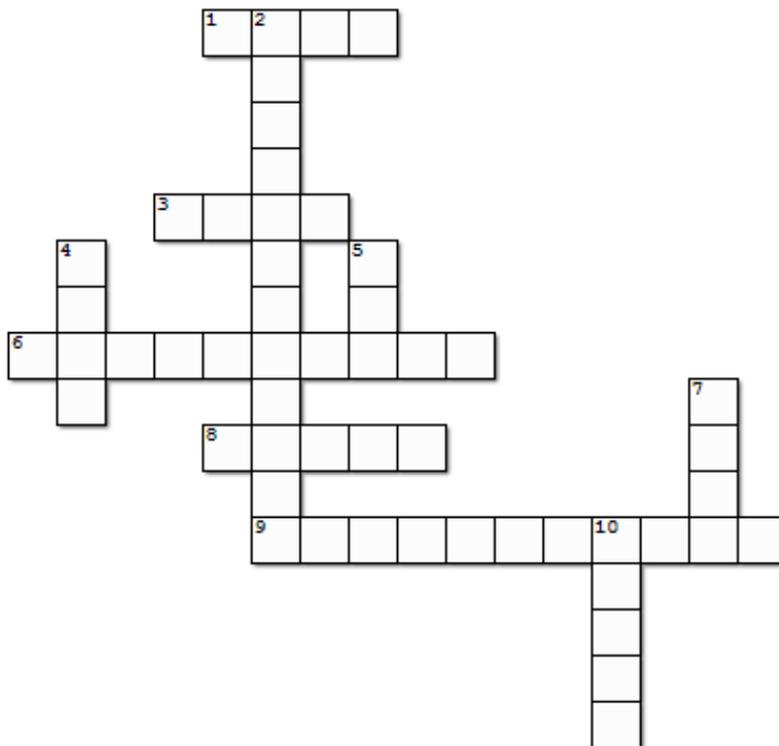
PAW
ROAR
SNOWLEOPARD

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CROSSWORD



ACROSS

1. What do snow leopards use to keep their nose warm?
3. What is the hair called around a male lion's head?
6. What is the snow leopard listed as on the IUCN Red List?
8. What species of lion lives in Dublin Zoo?
9. Who is known for their beautiful silver, white and black fur?

DOWN

2. Where in Dublin Zoo can you find the elusive snow leopard?
4. What species of tiger lives in Dublin Zoo?
5. What is a baby tiger called?
7. What loud noise does a lion make?
10. What is a group of lions called?

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TELL US THREE THINGS
YOU'VE LEARNED TODAY...

1.



2.



3.



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