

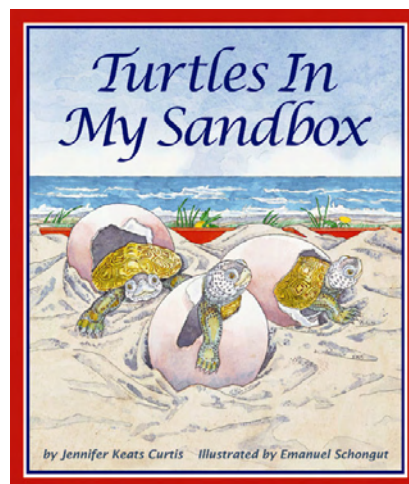


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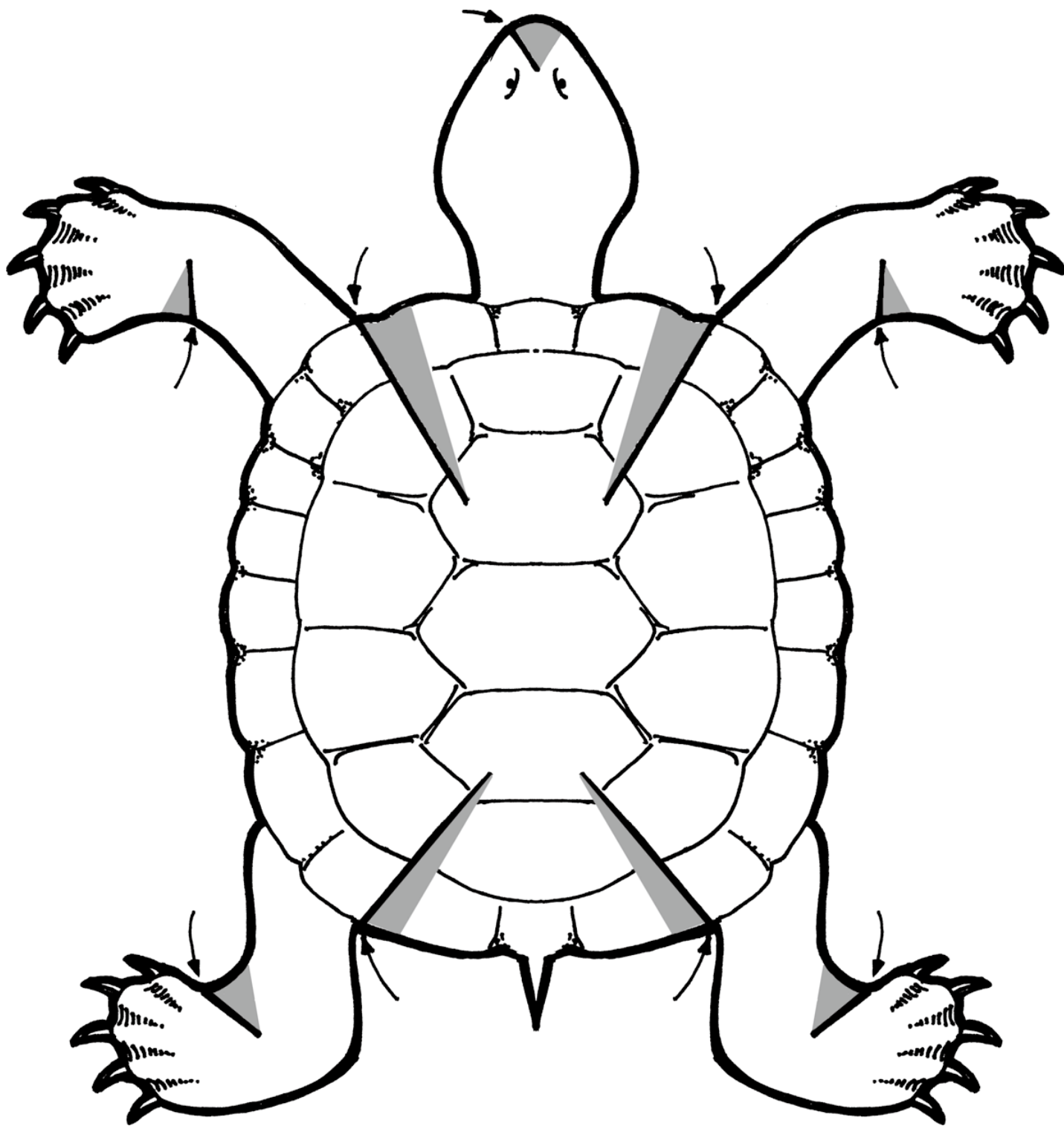
Turtle Craft

The following pages have line drawings (not to scale) of three different types of turtles: a diamondback terrapin, a loggerhead sea turtle, and a desert tortoise.

1. Copy or download each page and color the turtle.
2. Cut out along the heavy black lines and cut along the heavy lines for the “darts” – see arrows.
3. Fold the “dart” area so that the grey is hidden and tape or glue shut, see smaller illustrations for reference.
4. Use a blank piece of paper to draw the habitat where you would find this turtle.
5. Place the turtle in its habitat.
6. Extra: Can you identify any adaptations the turtles have to help it live in its habitat? Size, legs, etc.

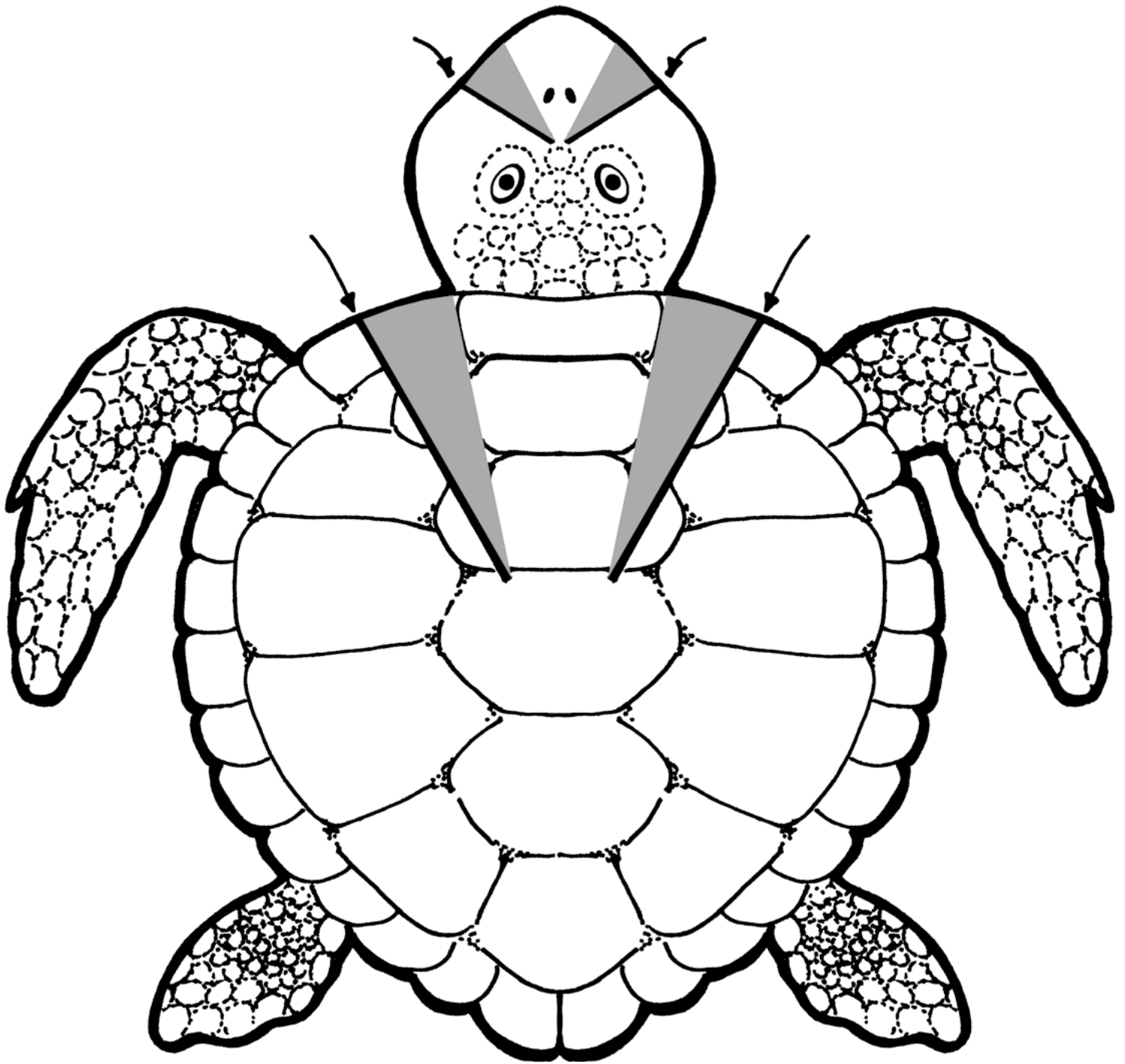


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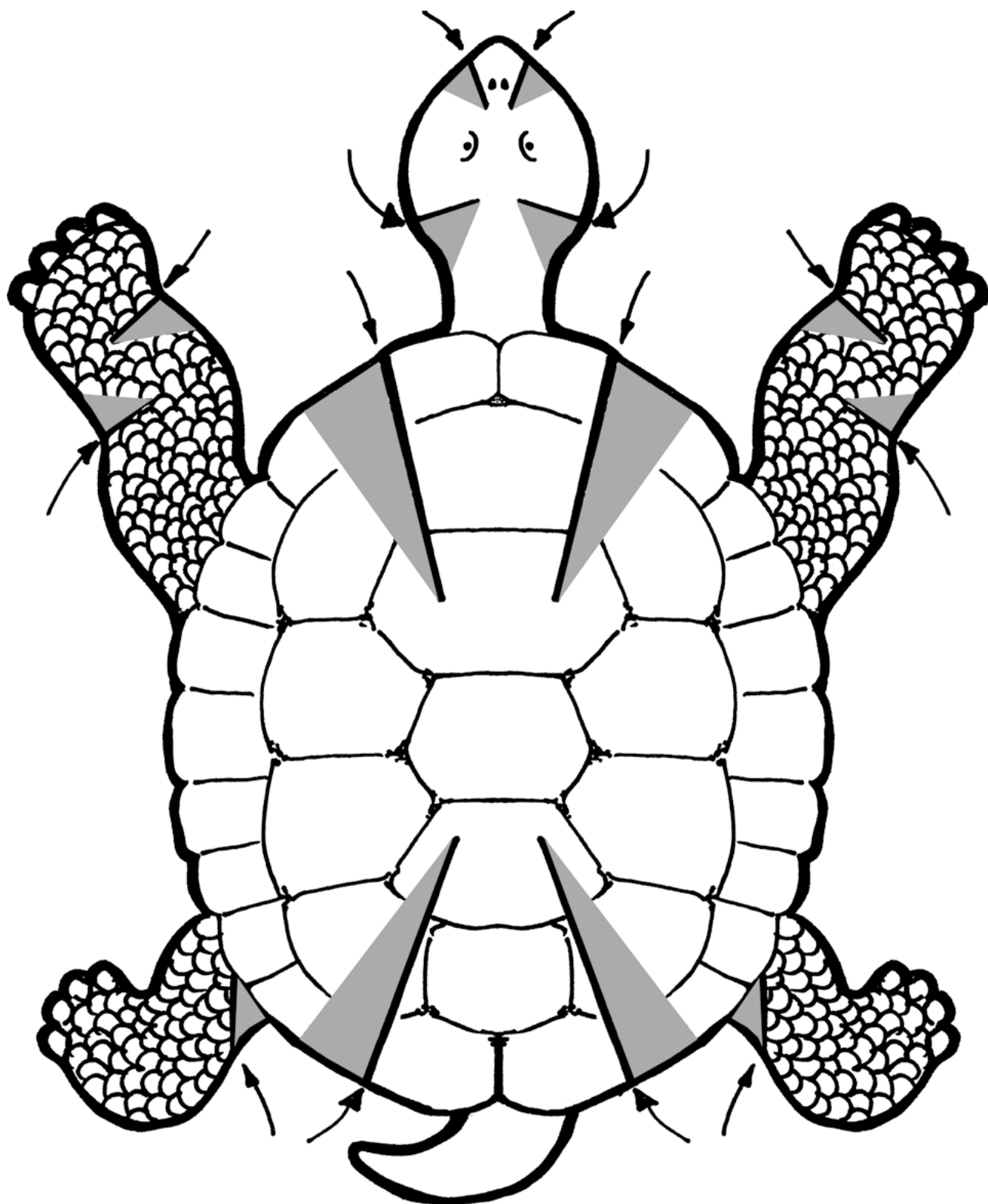


Diamondback Terrapin

Average adult size range (females larger): 4 to 9 inches



Loggerhead Sea Turtle
Average size of adult shell: 3½ feet



Desert Tortoise

Average adult size range: 9 to 14 inches