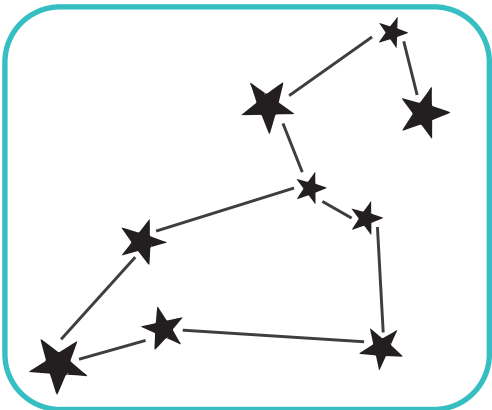
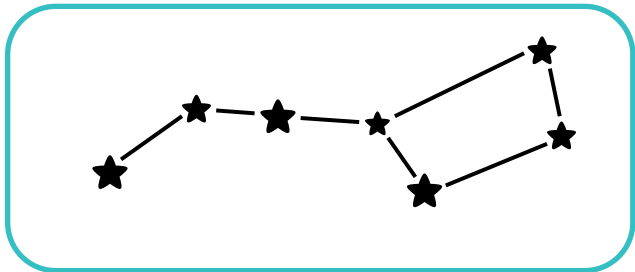
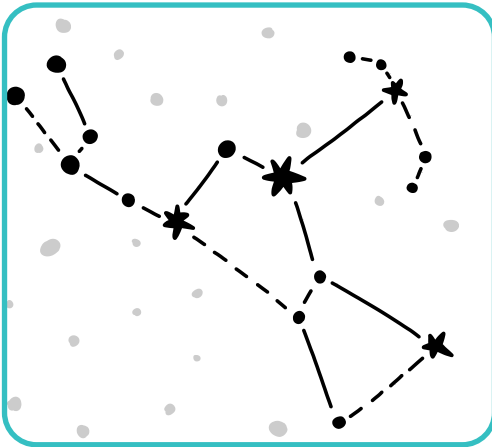


CONSTELLATIONS

A constellation is a collection of stars. The Ancient Greeks named them based on the shapes that they could see when they joined the stars with lines. They used them to show the changing of the seasons and to help them navigate the seas and deserts.

DO YOU KNOW THE NAMES OF THESE CONSTELLATIONS?



Use the constellation cards to find their names.
Can you find out more about these constellations?

MAKE YOUR OWN CONSTELLATION OF STARS

You can have your own constellations shining inside your home if you follow these simple instructions.

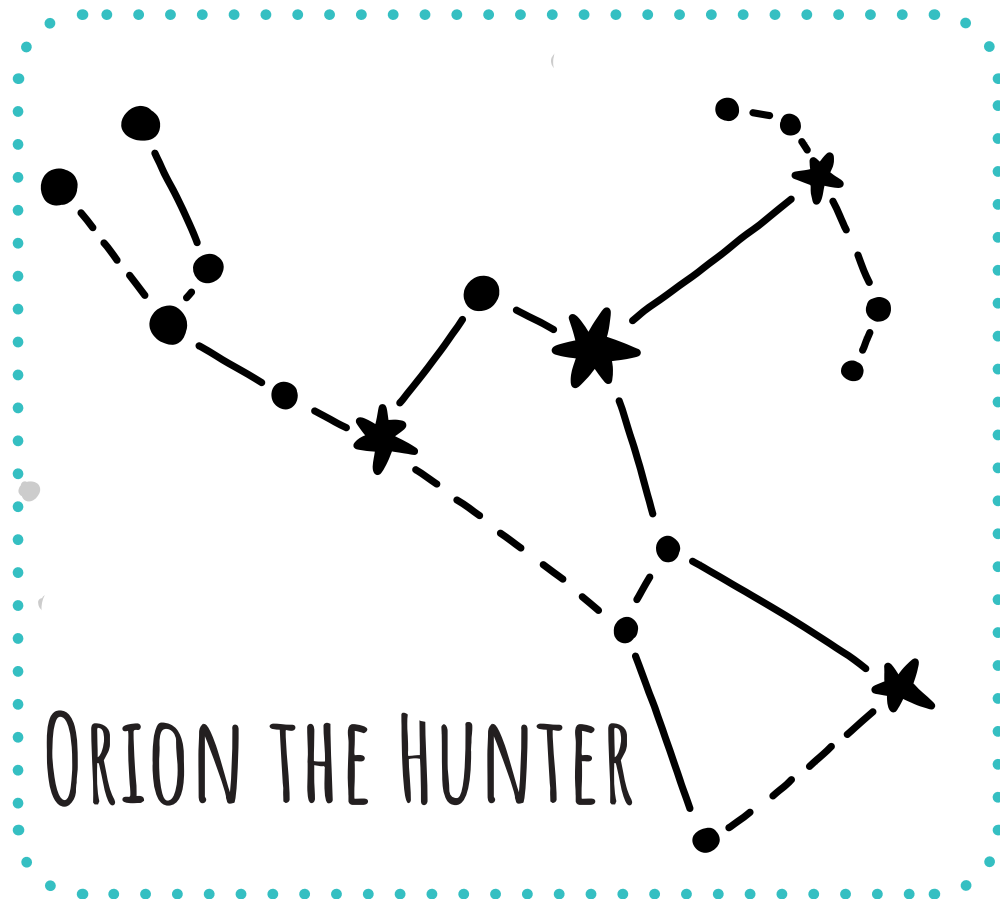
YOU WILL NEED:

constellation cards, scissors, card, paper clips, sharp pencil, torch

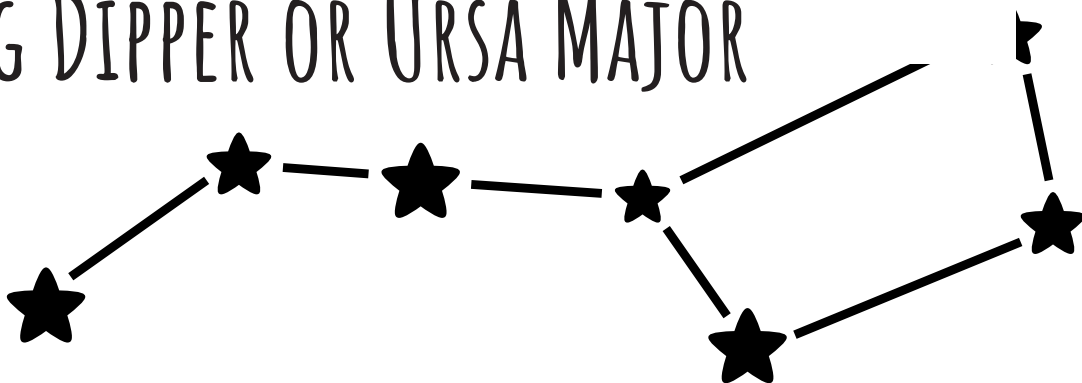
INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Choose one of the constellation cards and cut it out.
2. Cut out a piece of card (from a cereal box or similar) the same size as your constellation card.
3. Use paper clips to attach your constellation card to your piece of cardboard.
4. Carefully, using a sharp pencil, push the pencil through each star on the constellation card to make a small hole in the paper and card below.
5. Unclip the constellation from the card.
6. In a dark room, shine a torch on the piece of card towards a wall. Light from the torch should come through the holes to create the constellation on a wall.

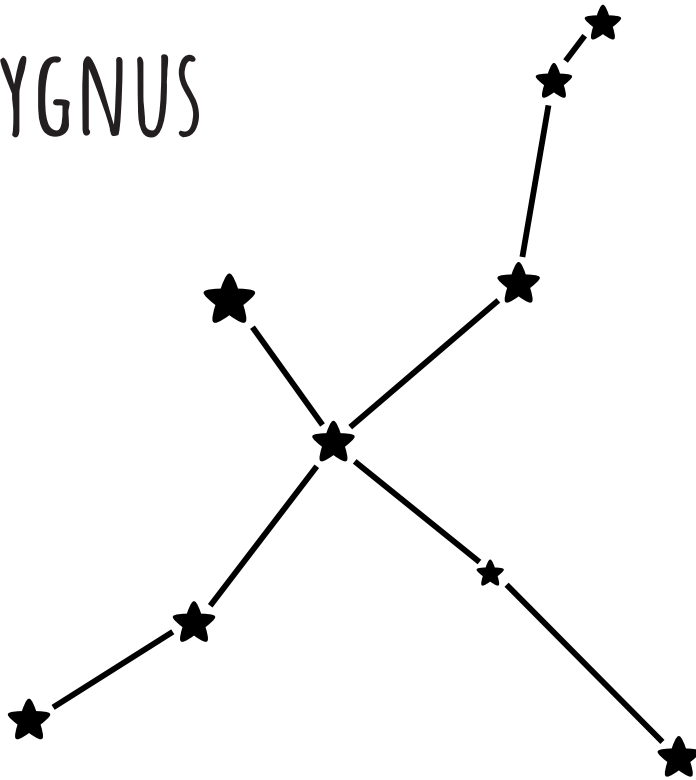
You now have your very own constellation in your house!
You could now try different constellations, or make up your own pattern of stars.



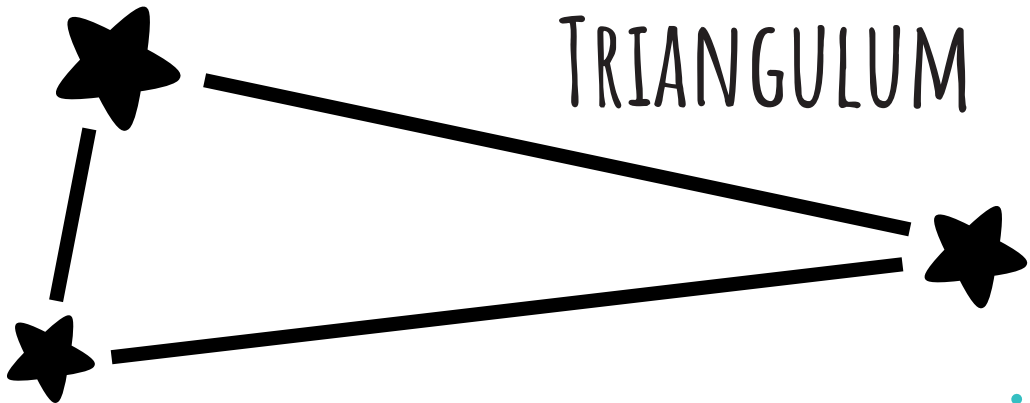
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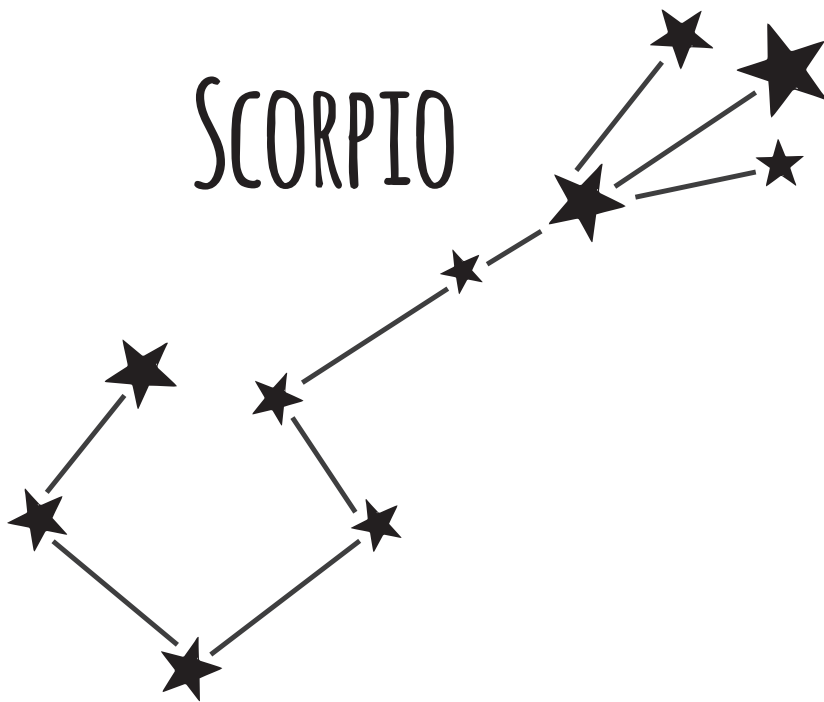
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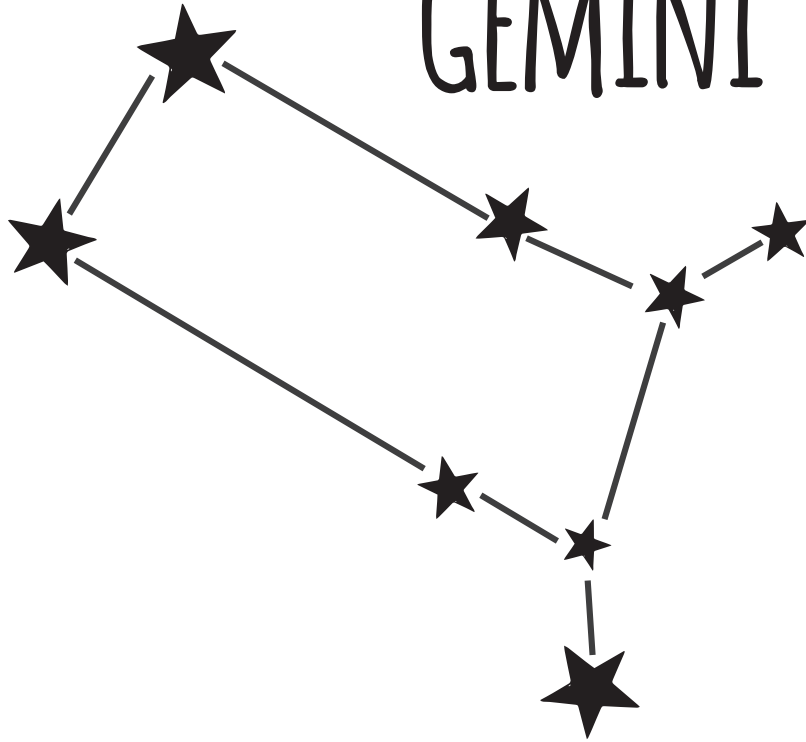
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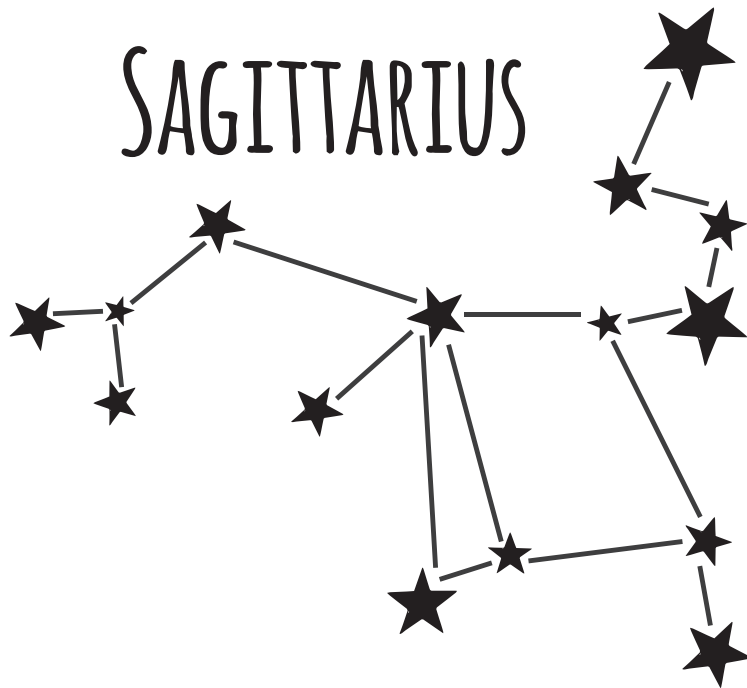
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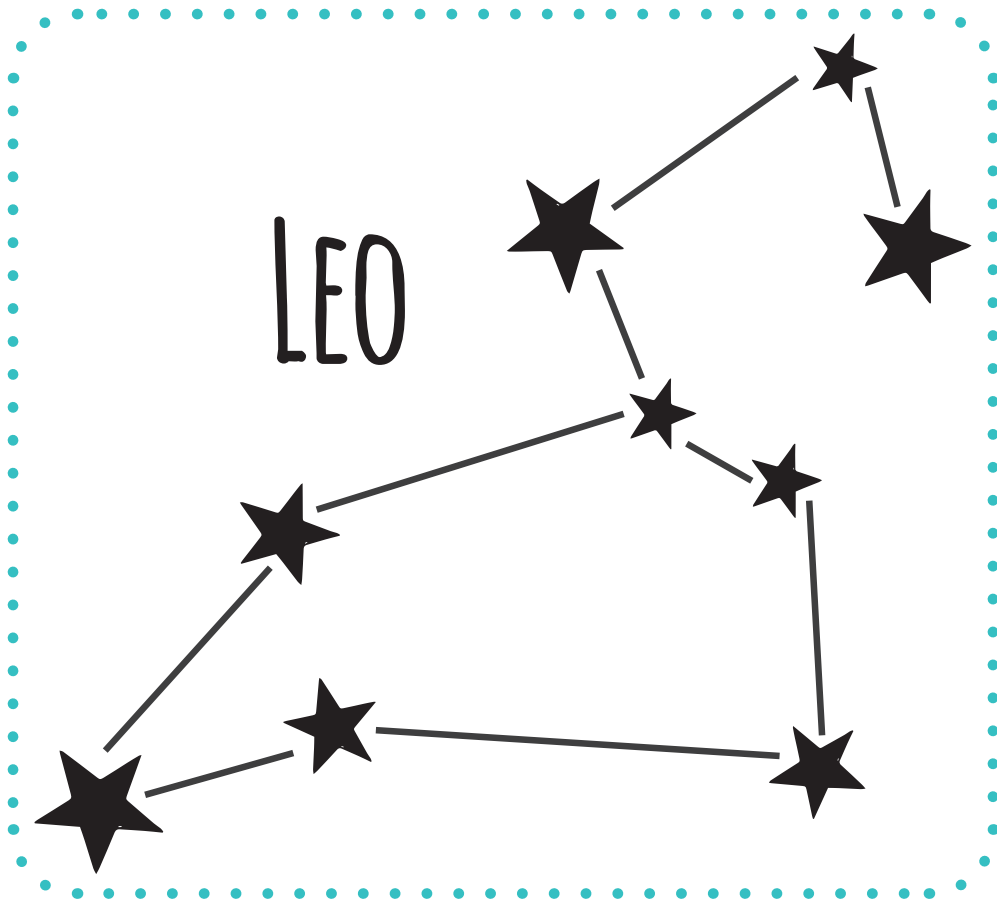
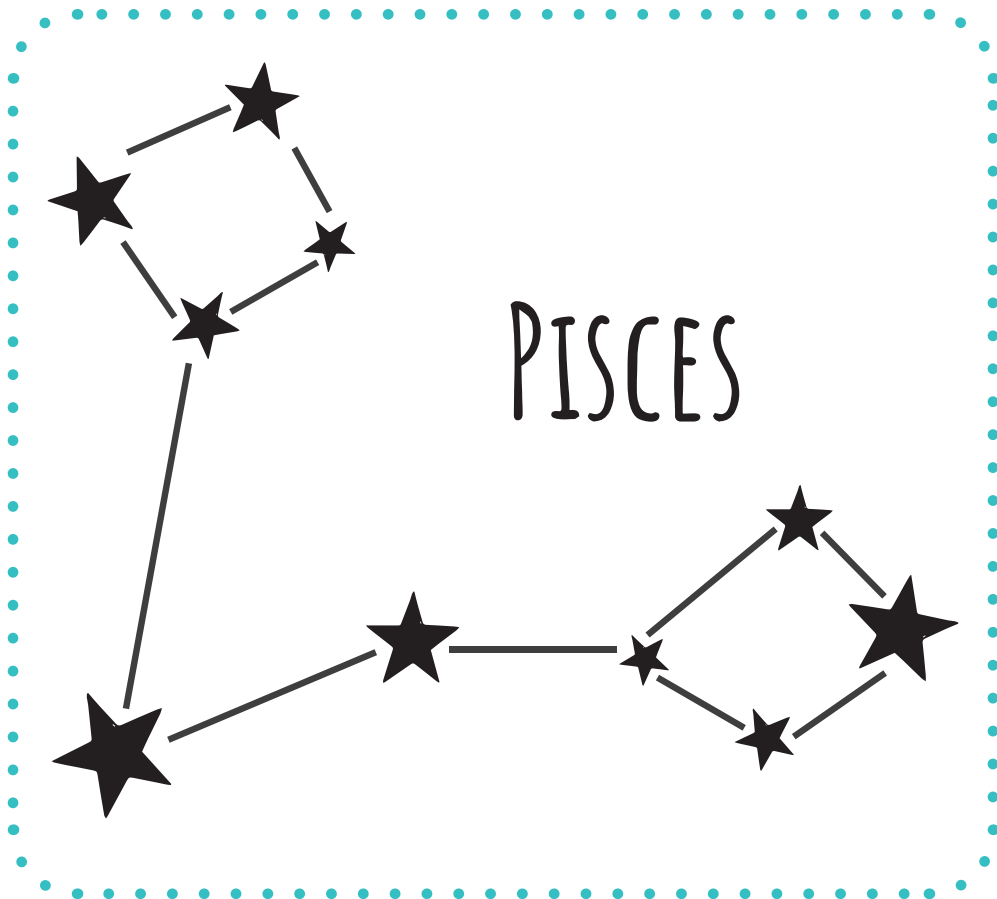


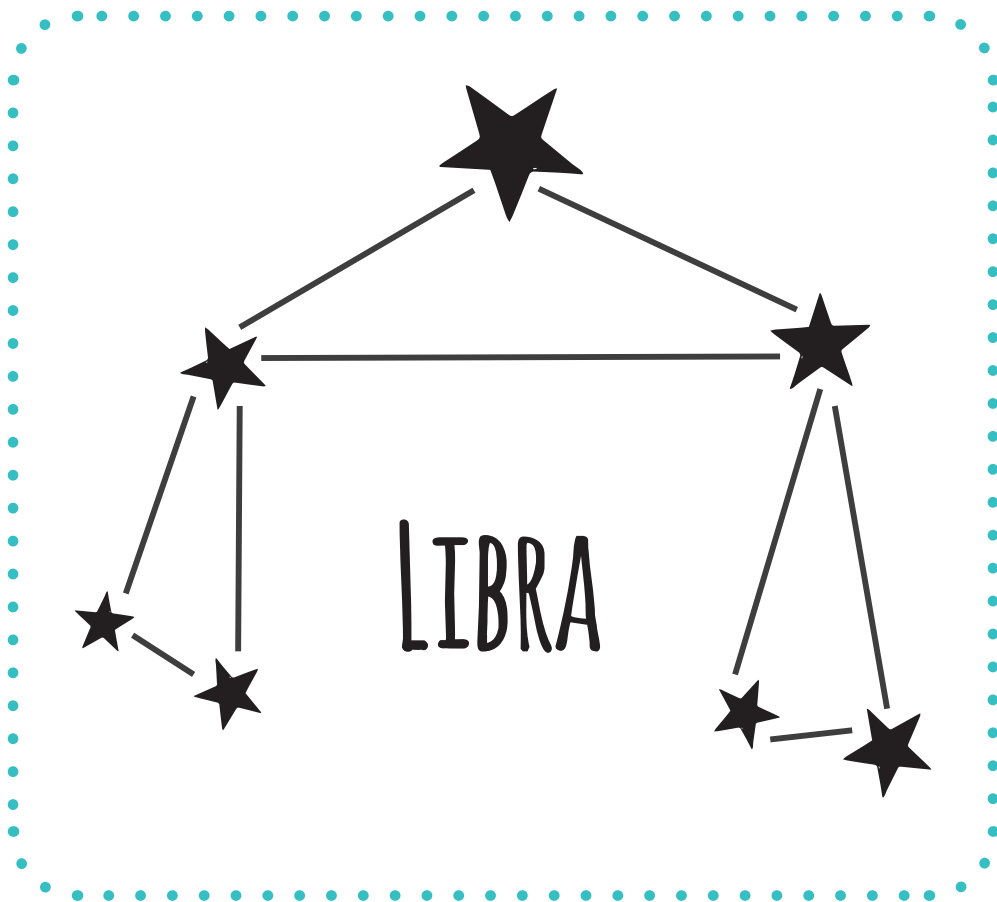
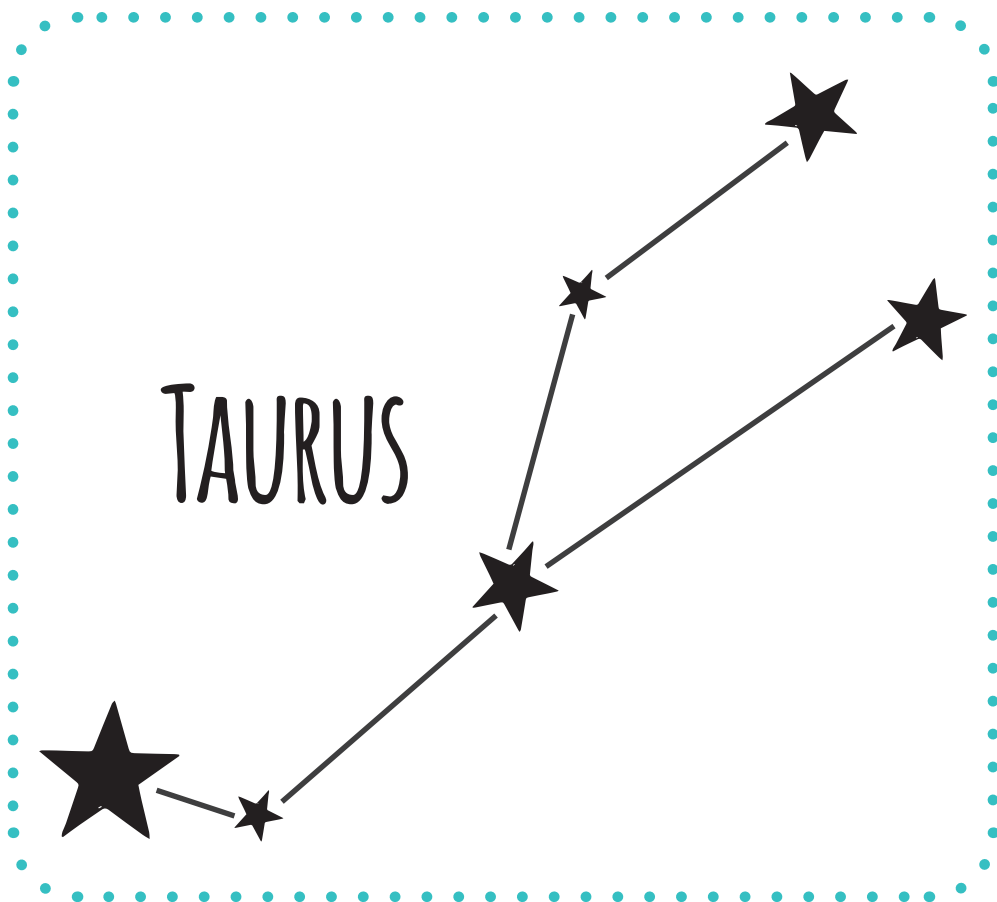
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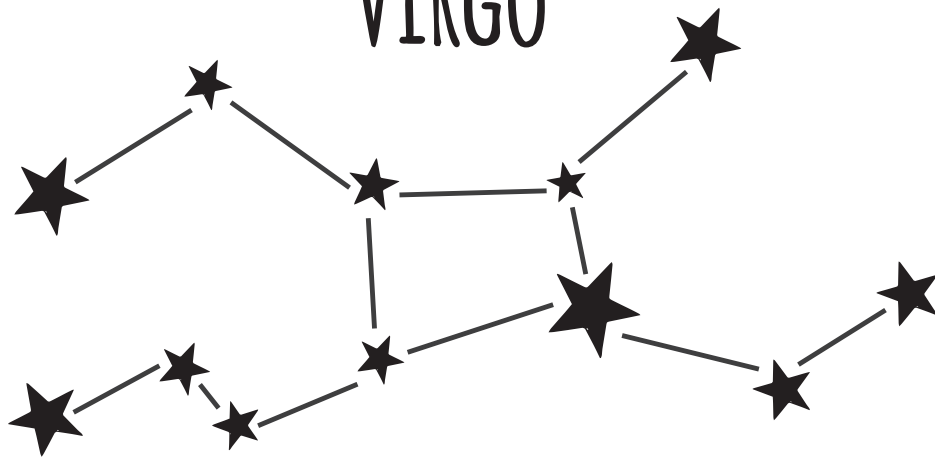
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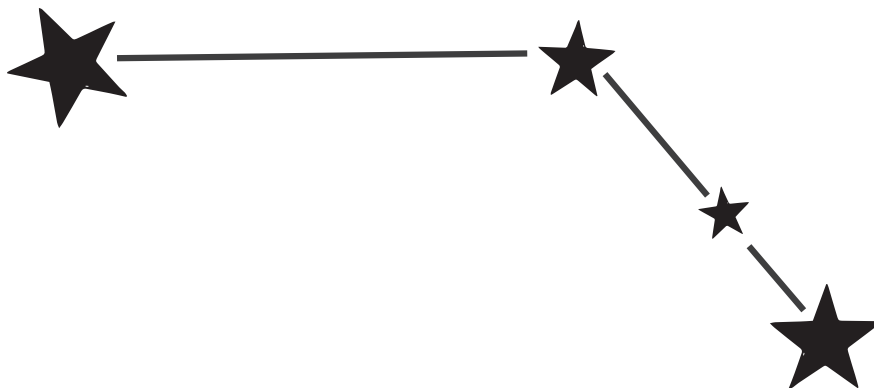




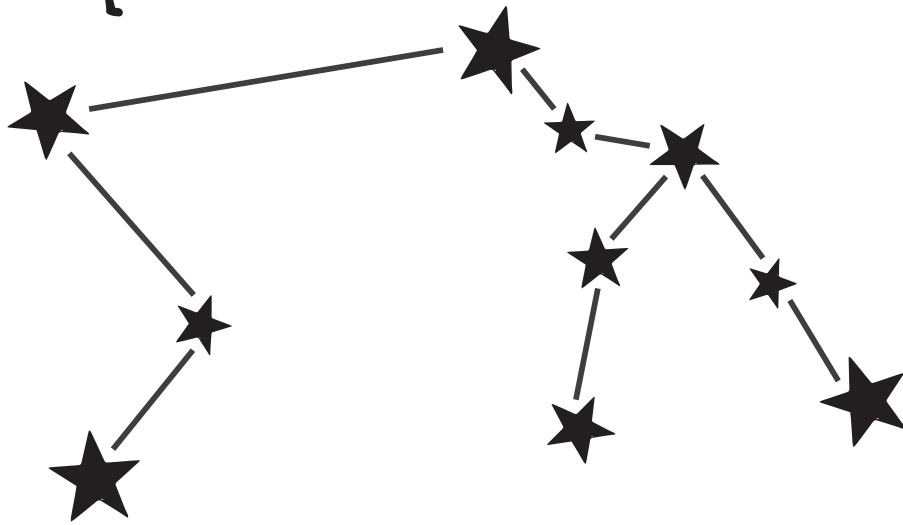
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