

# African Animal Facts Color & Copy

Welcome to African Animal Facts Color & Copy! In this book, you'll find information about thirteen animals that make Africa their home. Each animal unit begins with a short description of the animal that can be read aloud or independently. Next, students can practice handwriting by tracing key facts about the animal or by copying the facts onto the lined paper that follows. A page is included for students to record additional information about the animal if they wish. Each animal unit concludes with a picture of the animal to color. I hope you enjoy discovering the animals of Africa!

## African Wild Dog

The African wild dog is also called the African hunting dog. It is different from other dogs because it only has four toes on each foot. It has long legs, with a short nose and large ears. Its hair is short and has different colors in it, often brown, black, or white. It is about 30-41 inches (76-102 cm) long and stands about 24-30 inches (60-75 cm) tall at the shoulders.

The African wild dog hunts in large groups called packs. It is found in parts of Africa where there are grasslands, especially in southern and eastern Africa. Mothers usually give birth to six babies at a time, and the whole pack helps take care of the pups. The African wild dog is an endangered animal.





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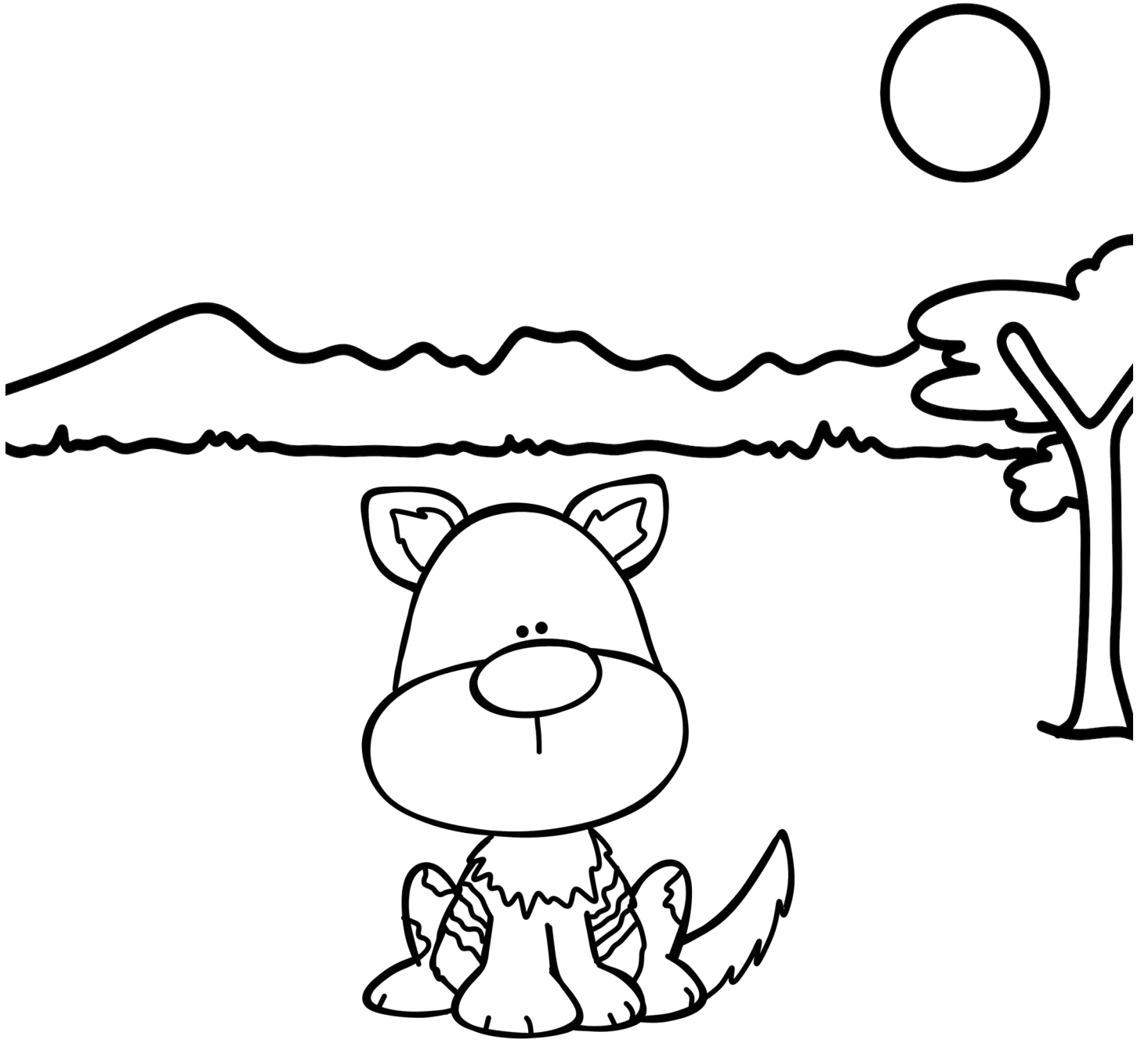
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