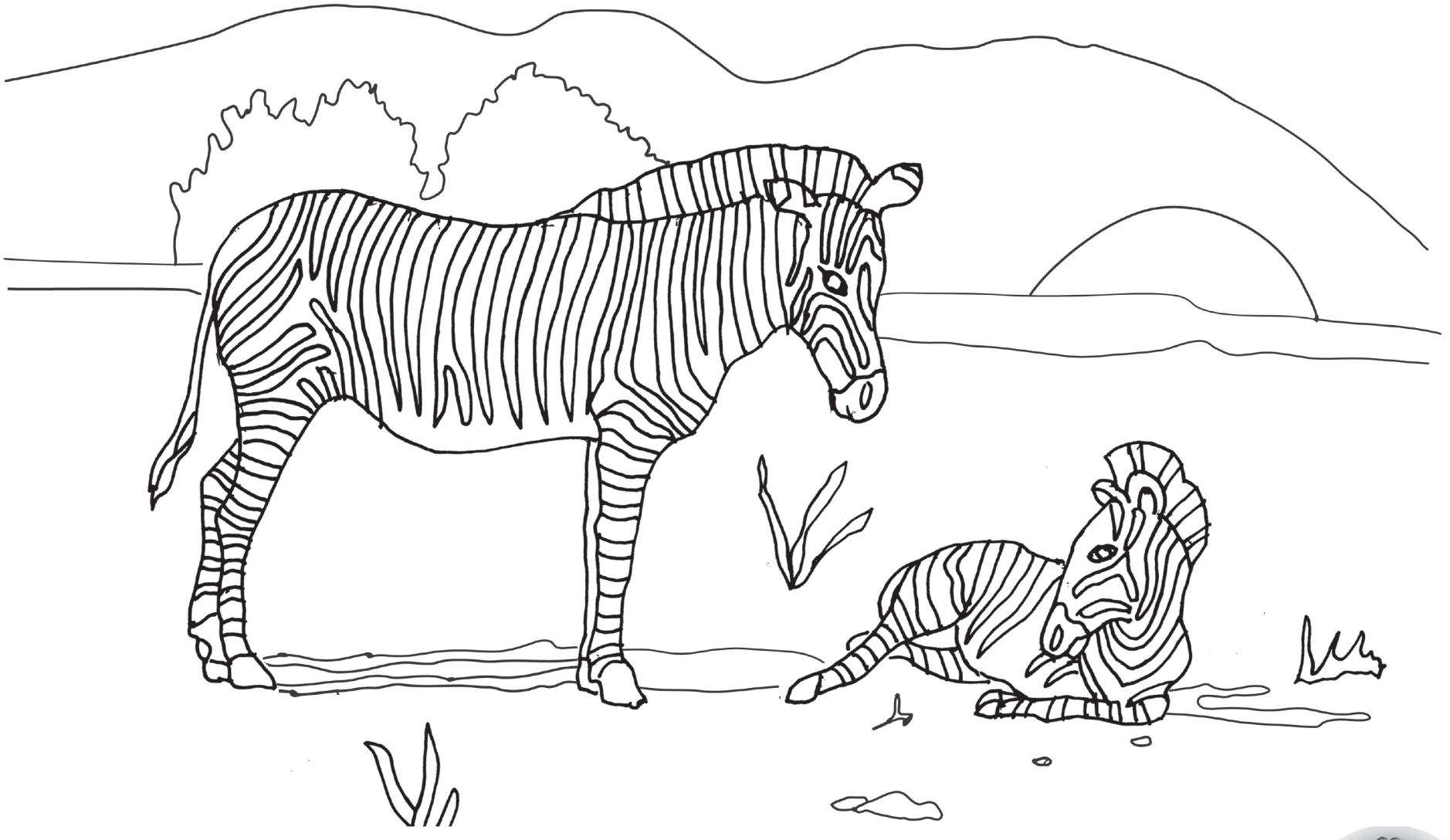
Grevy Zebra *(Equus grevyi)*



Lazy 5 Ranch

Range: northern Kenya, south and east Ethiopia and south Somalia
Height: 46-64 inches at shoulder
Weight: 770-990 pounds
Diet: Herbivore
Gestation: 13 months (390 days)
Life Span: 20-25 years

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The Grevy is the largest species of zebra. Unlike other zebra species, Grevy zebras do not form permanent herds, and social bonds between any two adult animals seem to be temporary. Grevy's require less water and are less cold tolerant than other zebra species. Depending on lighting conditions, a motionless zebra is nearly invisible to the human eye at night. Grevy zebras use hooves and teeth for defense and are capable of running 40 mph. Each zebra's stripes are unique to that particular zebra, like a finger print. Because native people have hunted the zebra for its skin and meat, the Grevy zebra is an endangered species.

Fun Fact: Zebras are in fact nether white with black stripes OR black with white stripes. Zebras have two different colors of skin making them black AND white.