



The Macaw and the Ancient Maya: Activity Bundle



A RESOURCE FOR
OUR
EARTH,
OUR
HOME
PROJECT 2021

*The land is the real teacher.
All we need as students is mindfulness.'*
~Dr Robin Wall Kimmerer.

Welcome and thank you for downloading this resource.

This resource is part of my *Our Earth, Our Home Project*.

The project's vision is to inspire children and adults all around the world to cultivate mindfulness and develop respectful and meaning relationships with the Earth. As I learned while working as an archaeologist in the Peruvian Andes, when we build meaningful and reciprocal relationships with the land, we grow strong as people and communities.

This project also aims to promote creativity. As a mixed-media artist and scientist, I aim to share fun and educational activities that help people unlock their imagination and creativity.

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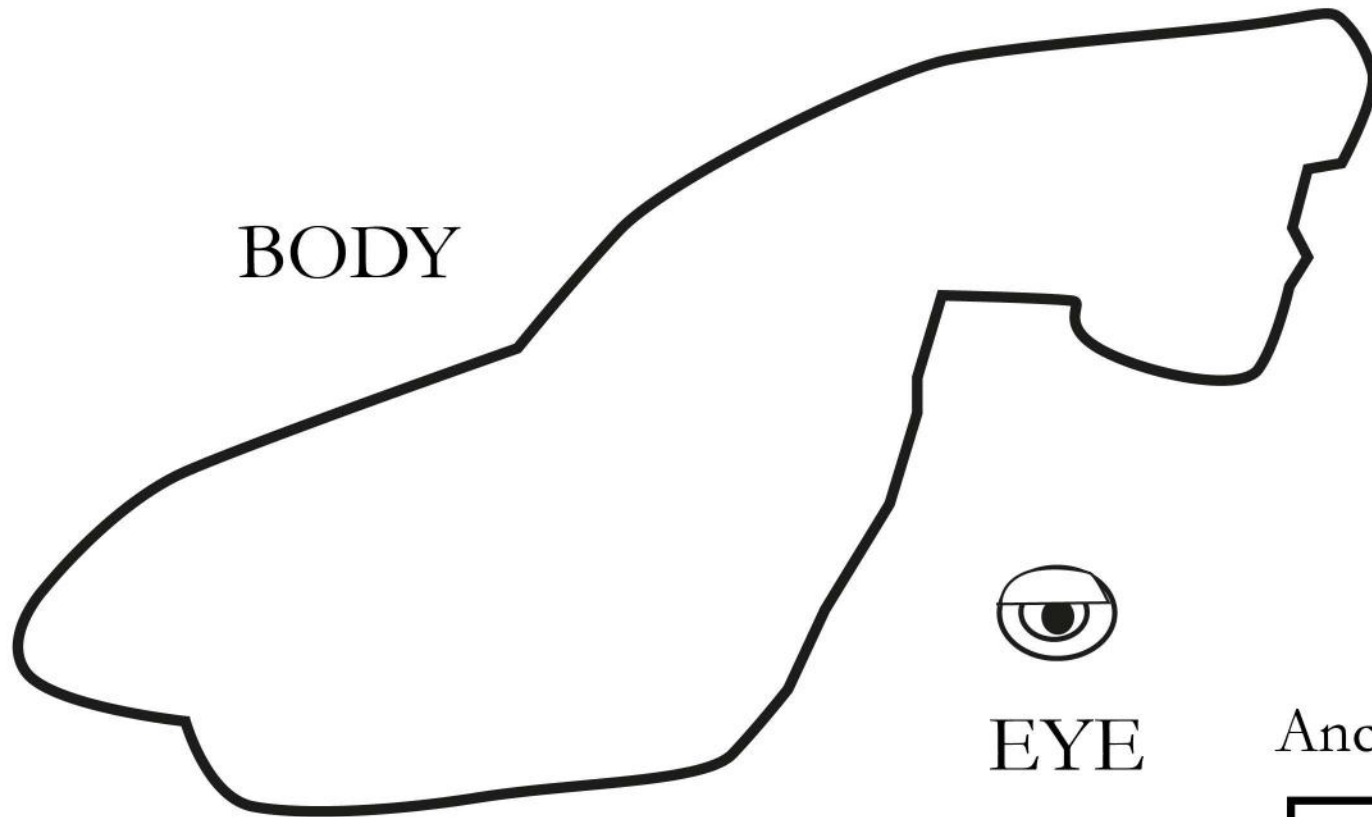
If you have any questions regarding the resources or the project, please reach out to me directly at drlisasolas@ancientexplorer.com.au.

Thank you again, for joining me.

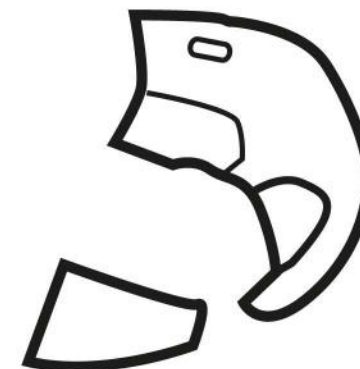
With gratitude,

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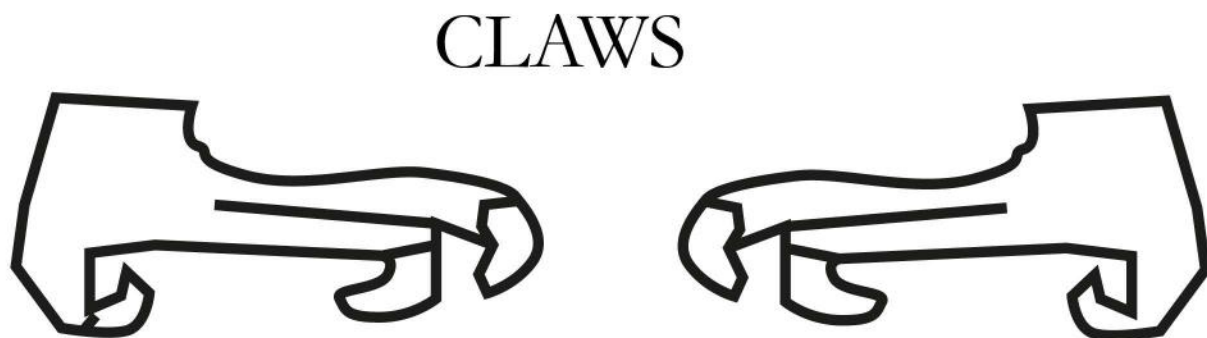


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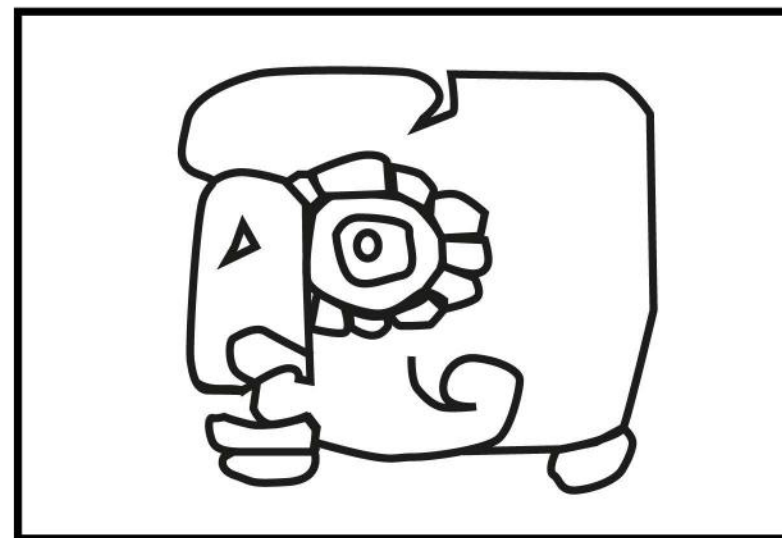


EYE

Ancient Mayan glyph for macaw

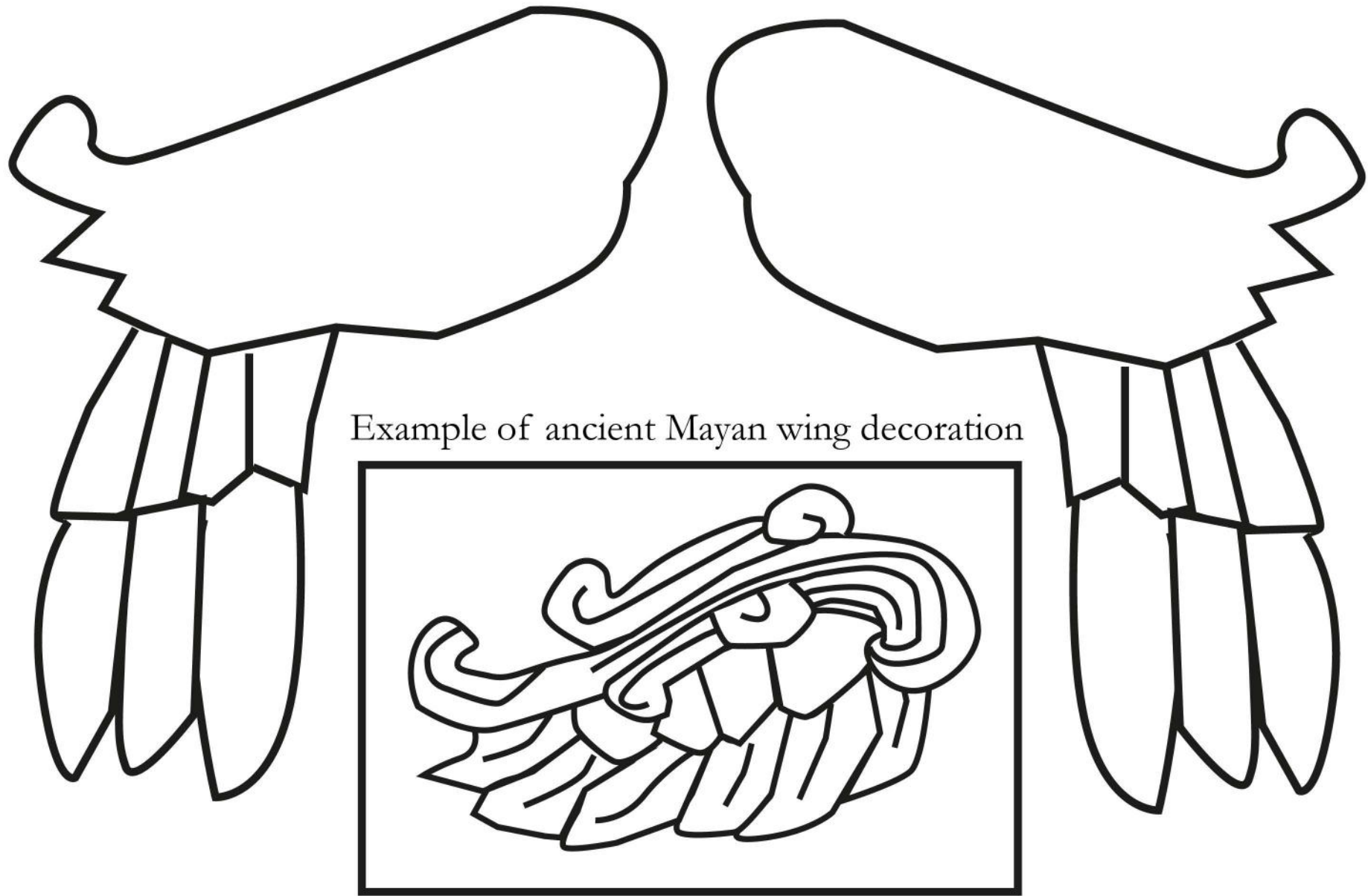


CLAWS



After Tozzer and Allen 1910 [2006], Plate 26

WINGS



Reference:

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