



As Big as a... Puma

Science – Grade 4-6

Students create a mural of a life-size puma.

Materials:

- Puma picture (see following page)
- Pencils
- 54 pieces of 7" x 7" construction paper
- Black markers
- Large area to hang the finished picture

Instructions:

1. Ahead of time: photocopy the puma picture and cut out the squares. Make another copy for reference.
2. Divide the squares up among the students.
3. Have students draw what is on their little square onto their 7" x 7" sheet. They should start drawing with a pencil. Have them write the number on the back (with the same orientation).
4. When all the squares are completed, use the numbers on the back to arrange them into the picture, then tape them together.
5. Have students create a title and add some interesting puma facts to display with the picture.

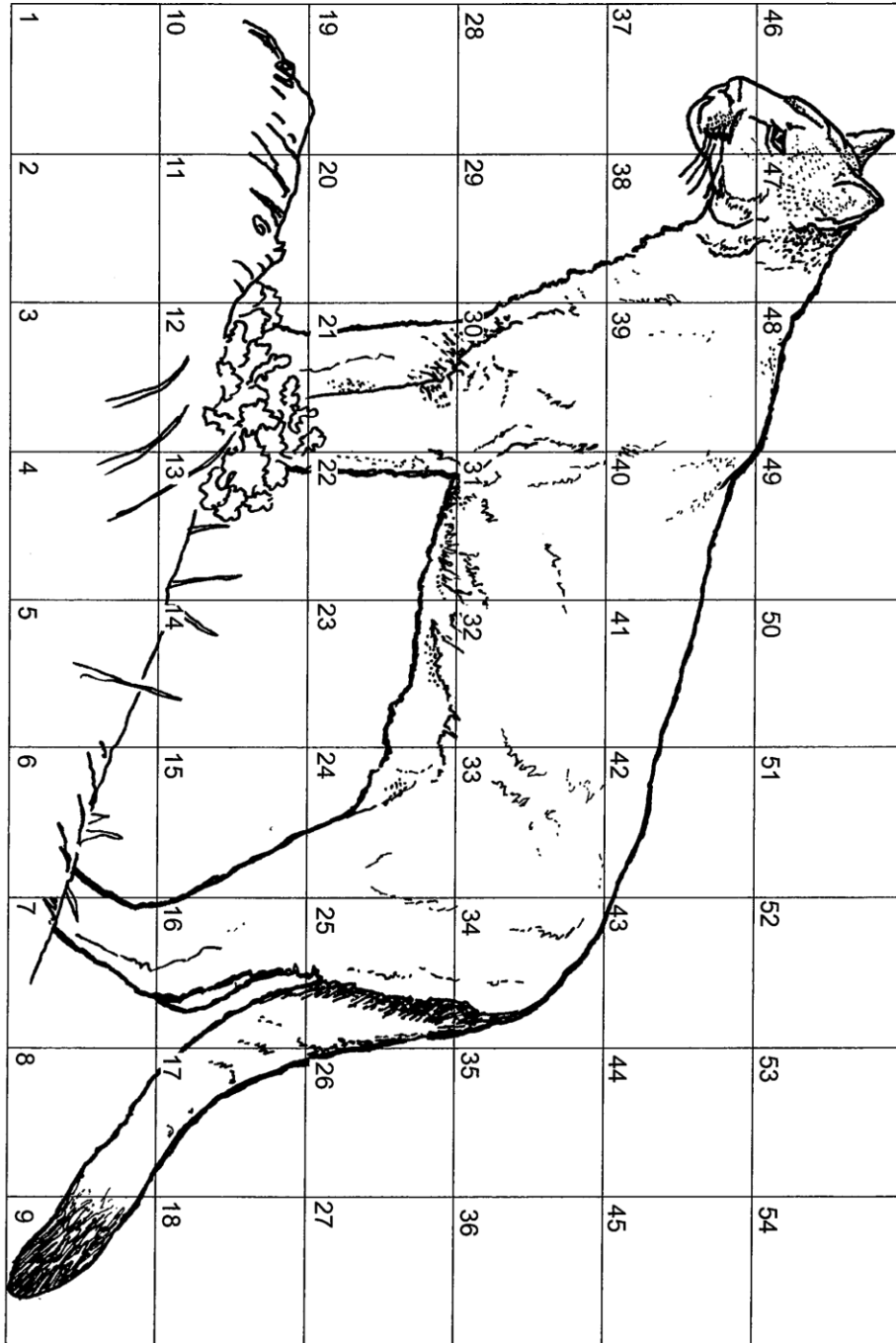


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