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WÔPANÂAK WORDS & PLACES

Weetyu

House

Also written wetu.



A traditional Wampanoag home has a curved frame
covered with bark or woven reed mats.

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Noepe

Dry land

The Wampanoag name for Martha's Vineyard.



Noepe is the island now also called Martha's Vineyard.
Wampanoag people live here today.

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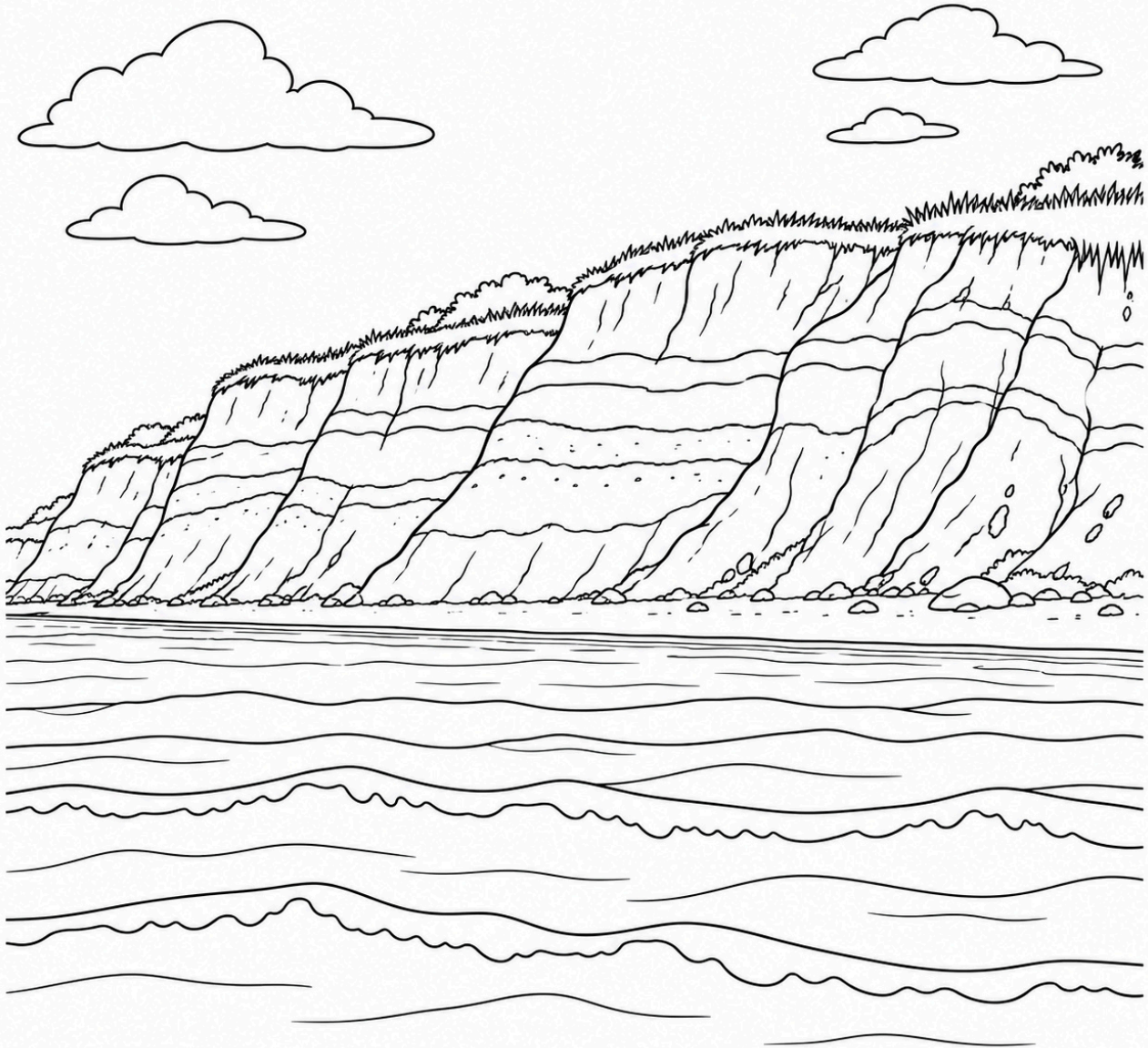
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Âhqunah

The end of the island

Aquinnah



The cliffs of Aquinnah stand at the end of Noepe.
Their layers of clay can be many colors.

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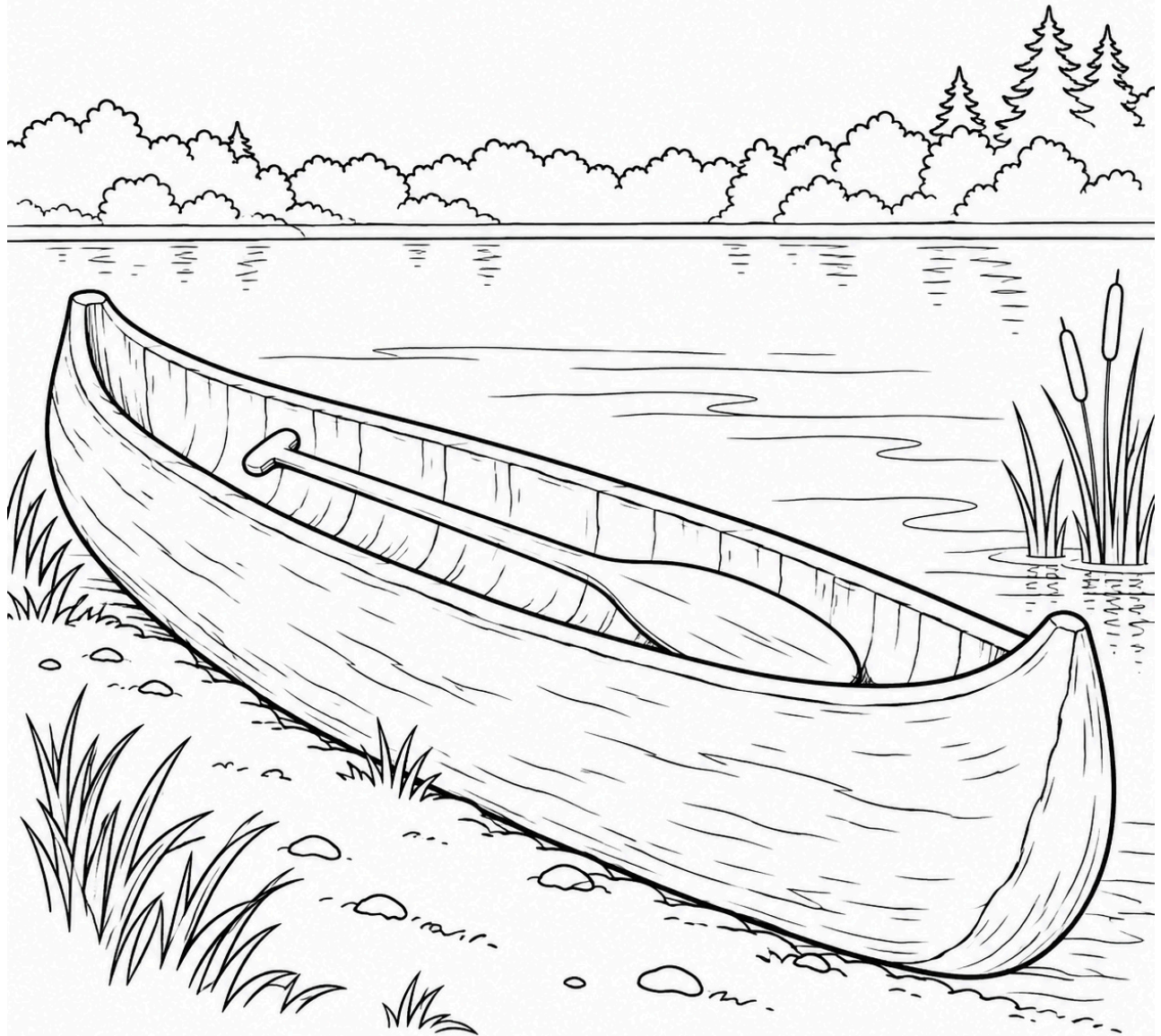
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Muhsh8n

Boat / dugout canoe

Also commonly written mishoon.



A traditional muhsh8n is shaped from one tree trunk.
Wampanoag builders continue this skill today.

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Pôhpukun

Pumpkin



Look for the pumpkin's round shape,
curved stem, broad leaves, and curling vine.

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Read the word. Color the picture. Notice the details.

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Mahkus

Moccasin



A moccasin is a soft shoe.
Color the leather and follow the seam with your eyes.

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Sukôk

Skunk



Color the skunk's fur and leave its stripes white.
Look for its small ears and fluffy tail.

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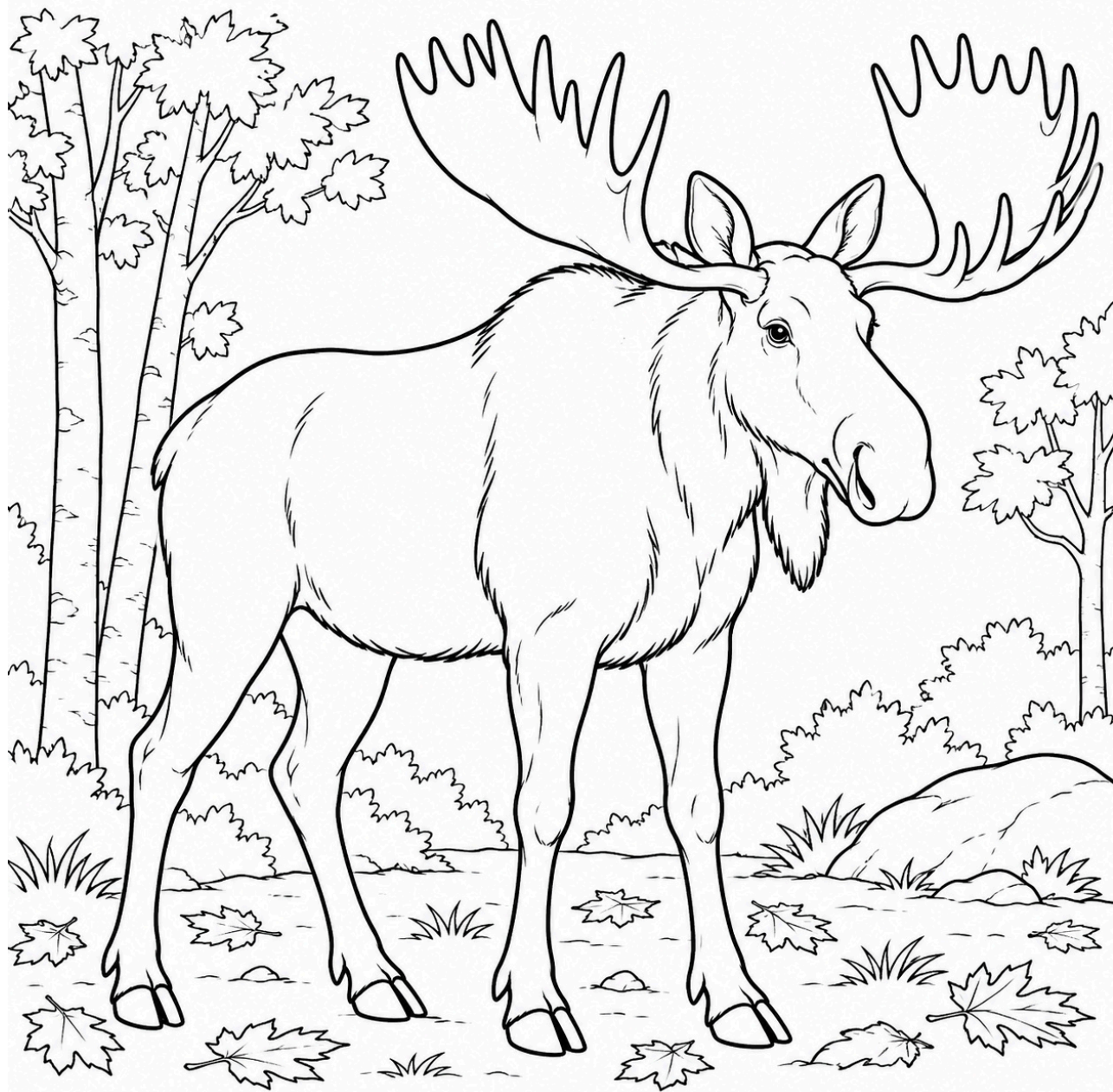
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M8S

Moose



A moose is a large animal with long legs.
Look for the broad antlers on this male moose.

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Mâseepee

Big water

Mashpee; this name refers to Mashpee Pond.



A place name can describe the land or water.
Color the pond, its shore, and the trees.

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Wôpanâak

Wampanoag - People of the First Light



Wampanoag people are here today.
Families share language, knowledge, and traditions.

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