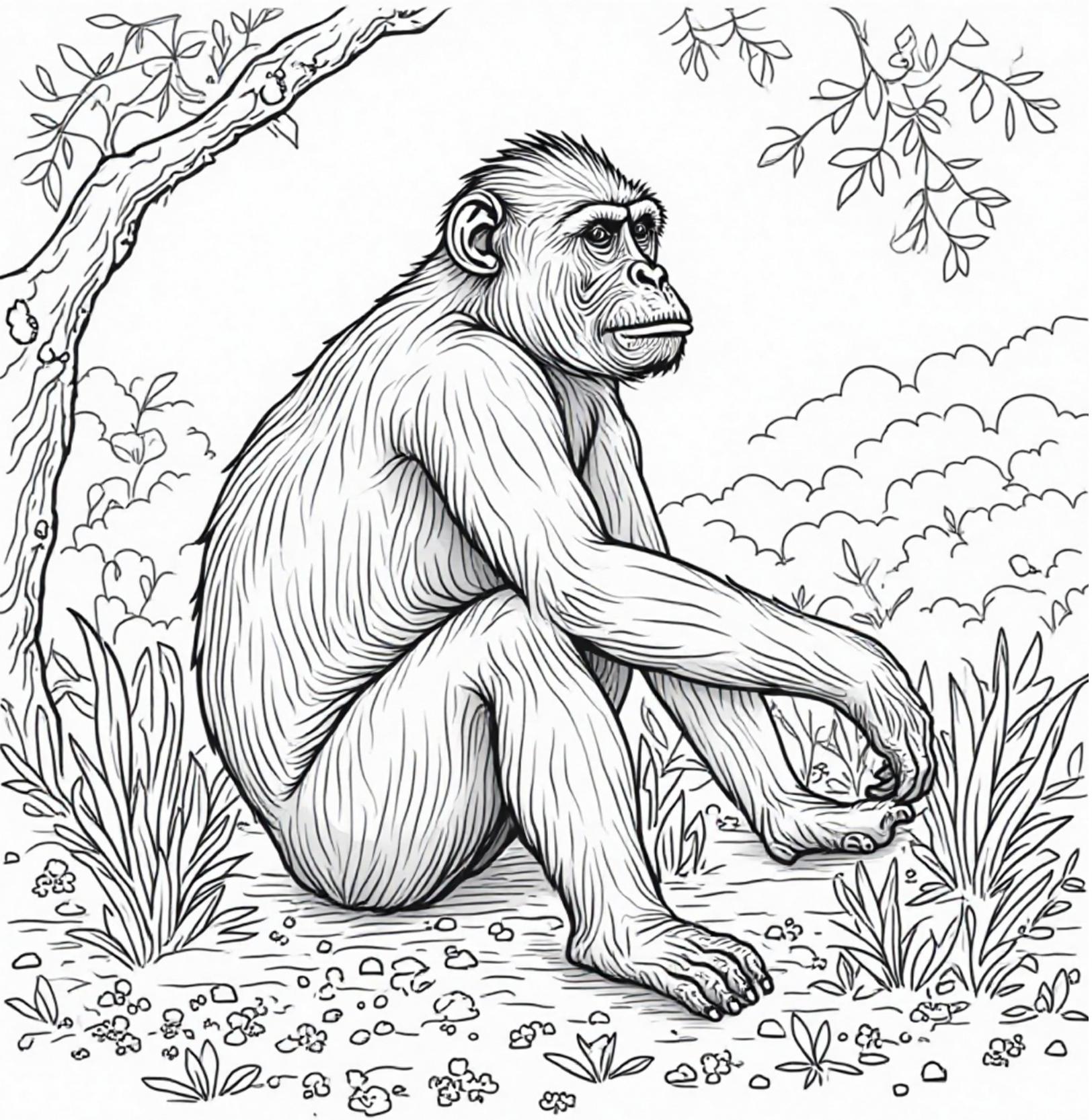


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# Did You Know?

## Ten Fun Facts About Bonobos

1. Along with chimpanzees, bonobos share 98.7% of their DNA with humans, making them one of our closest living relatives.
2. Bonobos are very comfortable walking on two legs, more so than chimpanzees.
3. Bonobos are often distinguished from chimps by their darker faces, pink lips, and long hair with a parting.
4. Bonobos were once called "pygmy chimpanzees" due to their smaller stature, but were only recognized as a distinct species in 1929.
5. While chimpanzees are known for aggression, bonobos have never been observed to kill one of their own species in the wild.
6. Unlike many other primate societies, bonobos live in communities led by females.
7. Instead of violence, bonobos use social behaviours to settle conflicts and relieve tension.
8. Studies have shown that bonobos are remarkably kind and generous, often choosing to share food with strangers.
9. Bonobos can learn to understand spoken language. A famous bonobo named Kanzi uses lexigrams to communicate.
10. Wild bonobos are found exclusively in the rainforests of the Democratic Republic of Congo, south of the Congo River.

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