

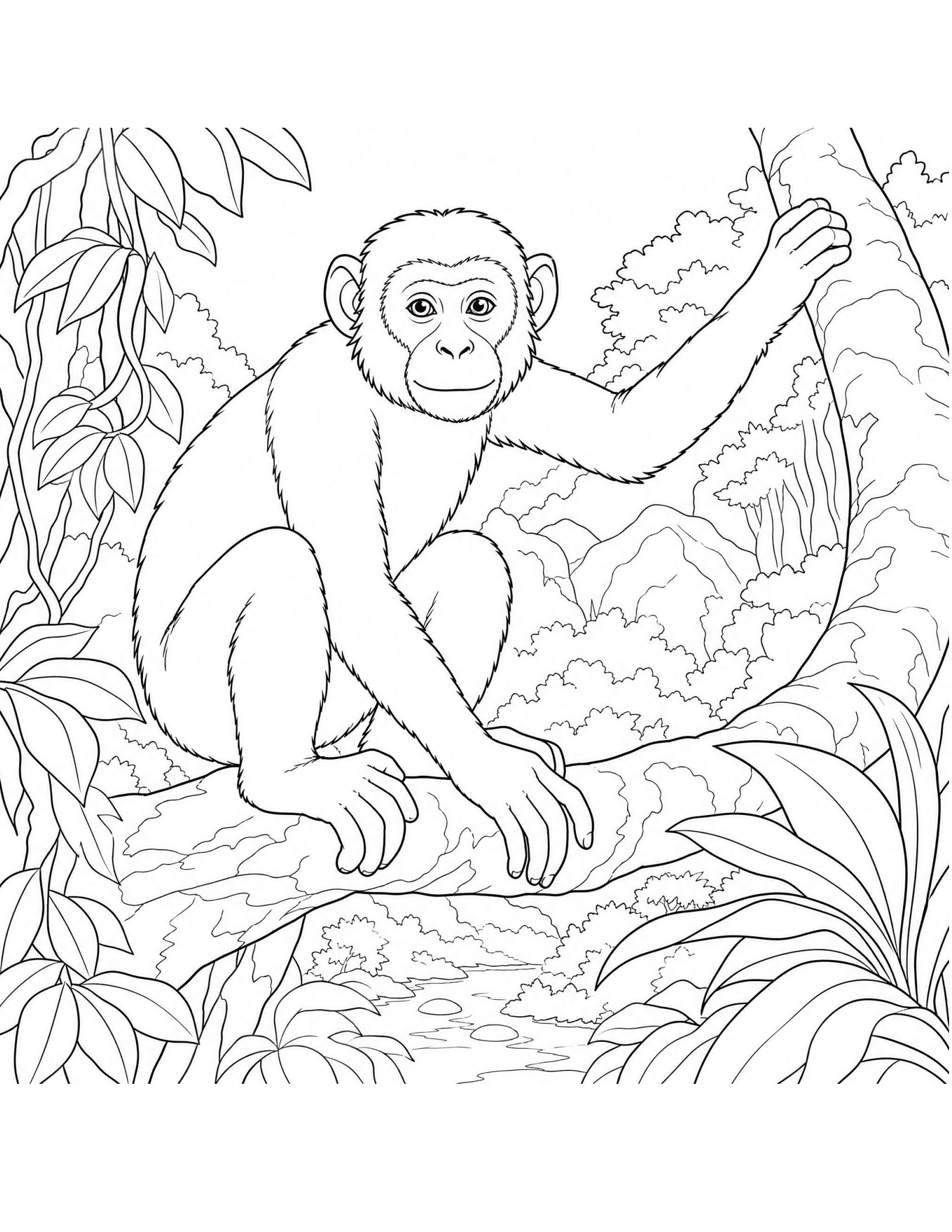


Saplings Colouring Package #44



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September 1*





Did You Know?

Ten Fun Facts About Primates

1. Yes, you are a primate, too! Humans belong to the "great ape" group of primates.
2. The tiny Madame Berthe's mouse lemur is the smallest primate and weighs only about 1 ounce (35 grams), while a huge male gorilla can weigh over 400 to 600 pounds!
3. The Myanmar snub-nosed monkey has an upturned nose that makes it sneeze when it rains!
4. Male mandrills (the largest living monkeys) have sharp canine fangs that can grow longer than a lion's.
5. Japanese macaques love to relax and stay warm by soaking in natural volcanic hot springs during the winter.
6. Wild lemurs live only in one special place on Earth—the island nation of Madagascar.
7. Howler monkeys can make a roaring call that travels up to 5 kilometres through the noisy rainforest.
8. Clever chimpanzees and capuchin monkeys use sticks, leaves, and rocks as handy tools to crack open nuts or scoop up tasty bugs.
9. Many New World monkeys have a prehensile tail, which acts like an extra hand to grab onto tree branches.
10. Owl monkeys (also called night monkeys) are the only truly nocturnal monkeys, meaning they sleep all day and wake up at night.

Now It's Your Turn!
Draw your own primate here