

# DINO PRINTS

Stamping is an activity that kids of all ages love to do. There's something so captivating and magical about pressing a stamp into paint or an ink pad and then on to a piece of paper to make a print.

## INSTRUCTIONS

- STEP 1:** Print out dinosaur activity pages.
- STEP 2:** Dip the toy dinosaur's feet into paint.
- STEP 3:** Experiment by stomping, sliding, spinning.
- STEP 4:** Try mixing colors, counting steps, even painting with dino tails!

## SUPPLIES

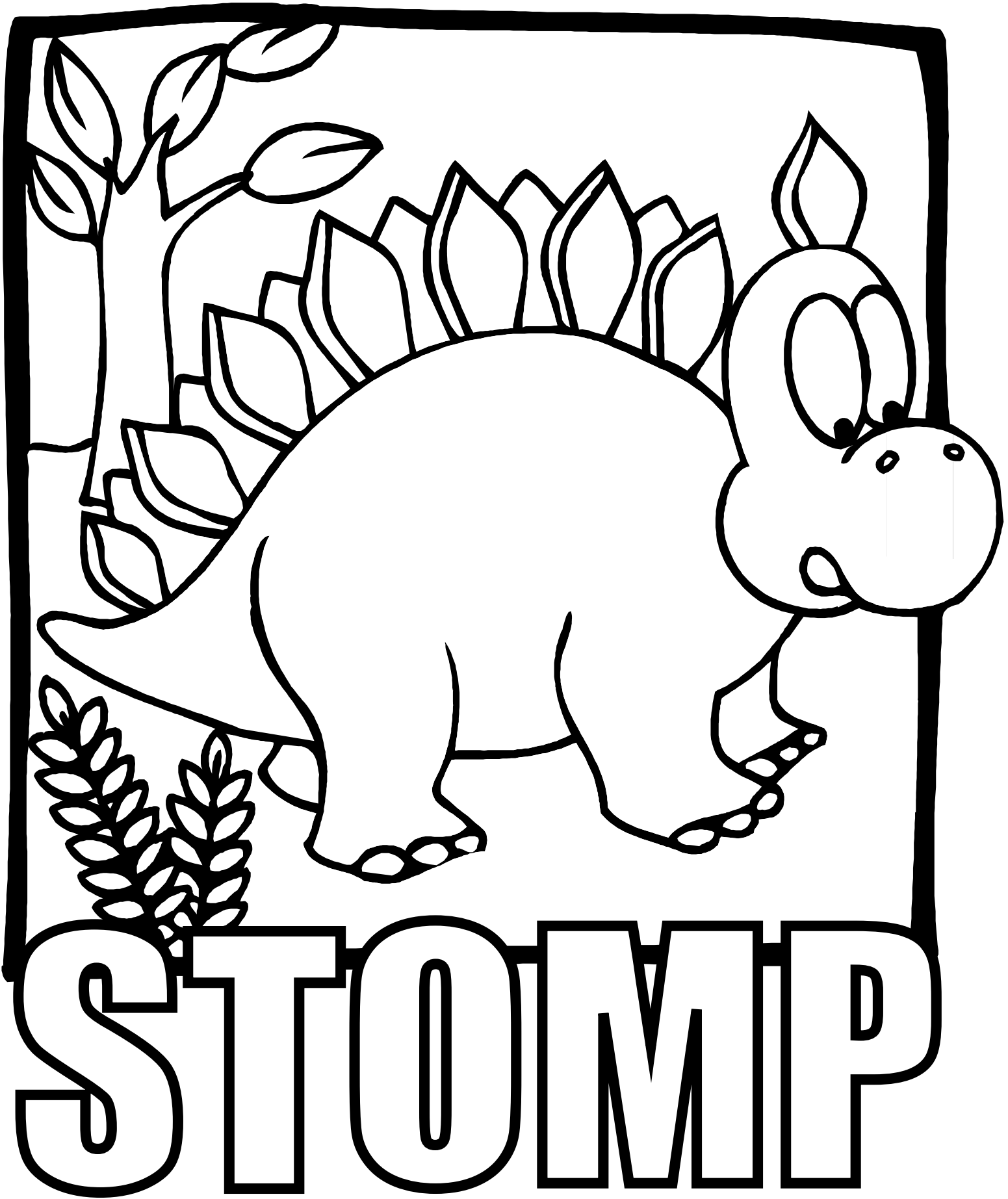
Toy dinosaurs  
Paint  
Art paper  
or  
Printable

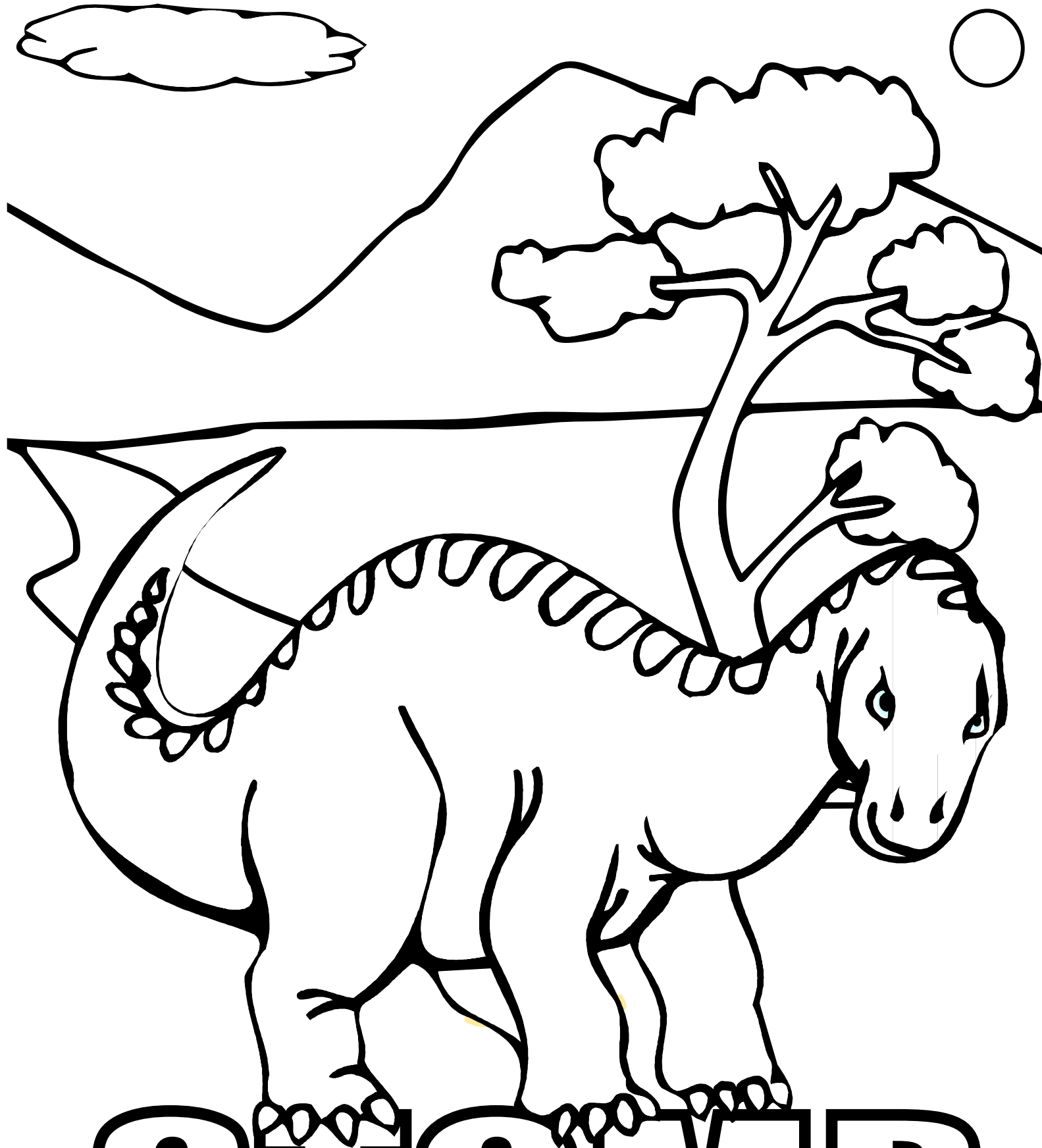
## HISTORY OF STAMPING

Stamping has a history that dates to ancient times, with paint, printing ink and rubber being a relatively recent invention in the process.

One of the first examples of stamping art was using wax to seal folded paper. These wax seals were critical for verifying the authenticity of products, correspondence, and documents. The seals would have been carved out of materials such as stone or bone.

Another form of stamp art originated in Asia. These ancient tools were part of a process called woodblock printing, and they look very much like wood versions of modern rubber stamps. A craftsman would carve an image into the surface of a wood block, which would then be inked and applied to fabric or paper to create an image.





**STOMP**

# DINO MAZE

Use a toy dinosaur dipped in paint to make footprints through the maze.

