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RED FOOTED BOOBY

- Ā are named for the sounds they make.
- They are an indicator species for Polynesian fishing cultures as their presence in large groups indicates schools of fish.
- Ā plunge dive up to 15ft deep to catch fish and squid.
- They nest in trees and incubate their egg with their feet! They can live over 20 years, are socially monogamous and will stay with the same partner for ten years or longer.



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Instructions:

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Step 2: Tape your pattern to the pumpkin and use a poking tool to poke through the outlines of the pattern.

Step 3: Remove your pattern and with the help of an adult, carve the outlines you made with the poking tool.



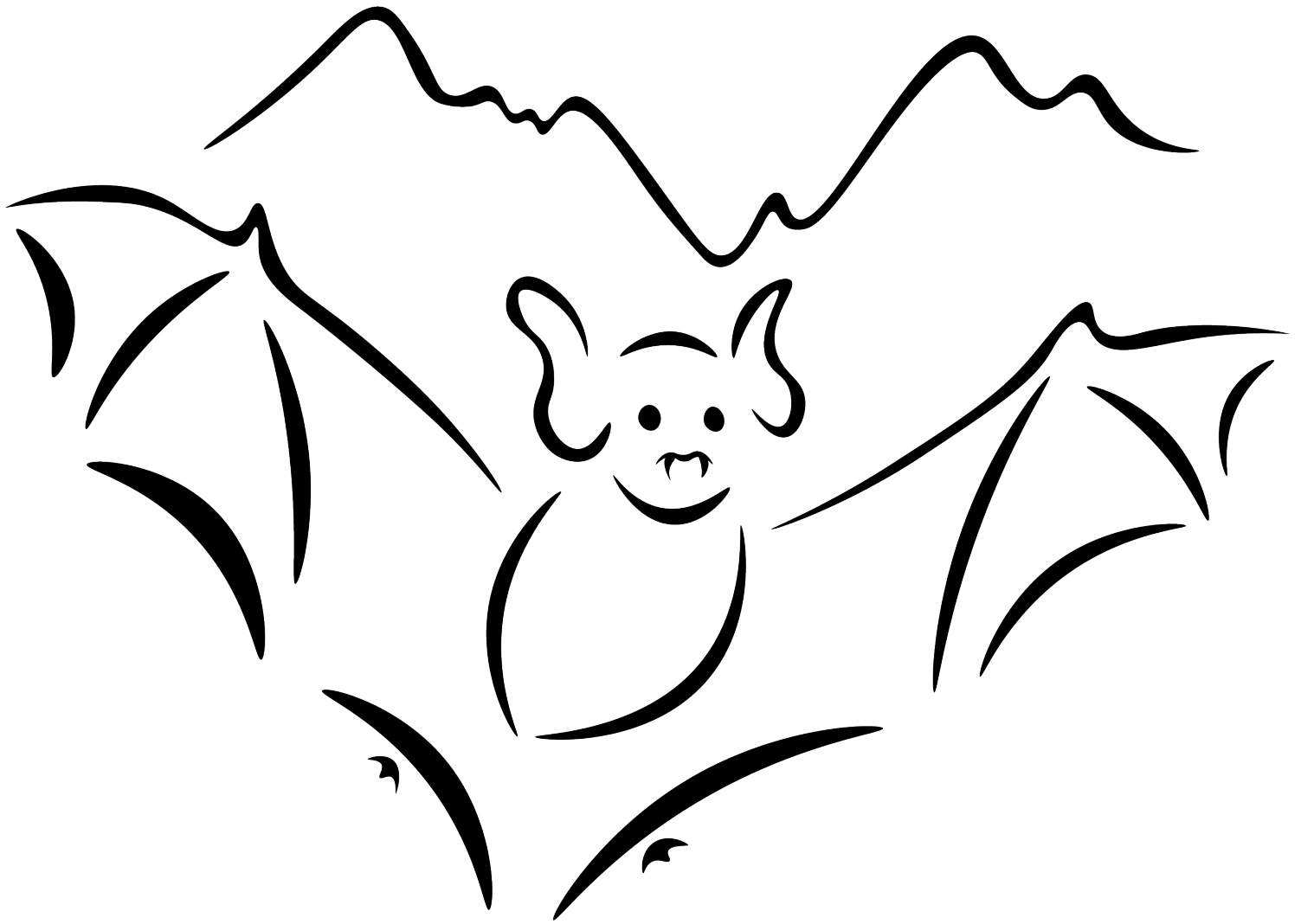
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HAWAIIAN HOARY BAT

- The Hawaiian Hoary Bat is the only land mammal native to Hawaii.
- This small solitary bat roosts in large trees and feeds mostly on bugs such as beetles, moths, and flies.
- The hoary bat occurs throughout the main Hawaiian Islands and migrate between low and highlands.



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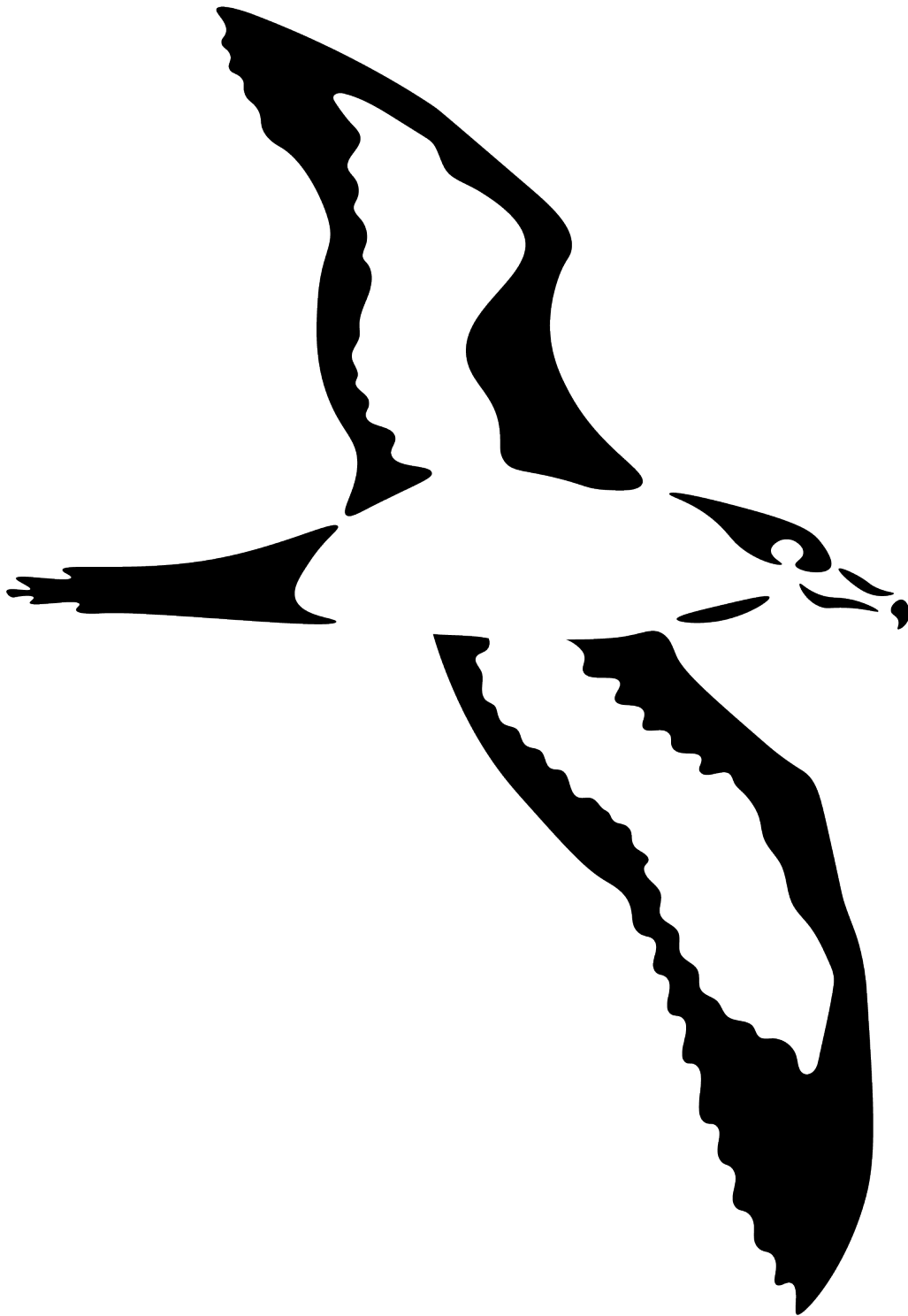
'UA'U KANI

WEDGE-TAILED SHEARWATER

- 'Ua'u kani are medium sized seabirds found throughout Hawaii.
- They forage for food by diving from the surface of the water for small fish and squid.
- They spend most of their time at sea, except for breeding season which lasts from April - September.
- 'Ua'u kani nest in burrows where both parents will take place incubating eggs and raising their young.



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