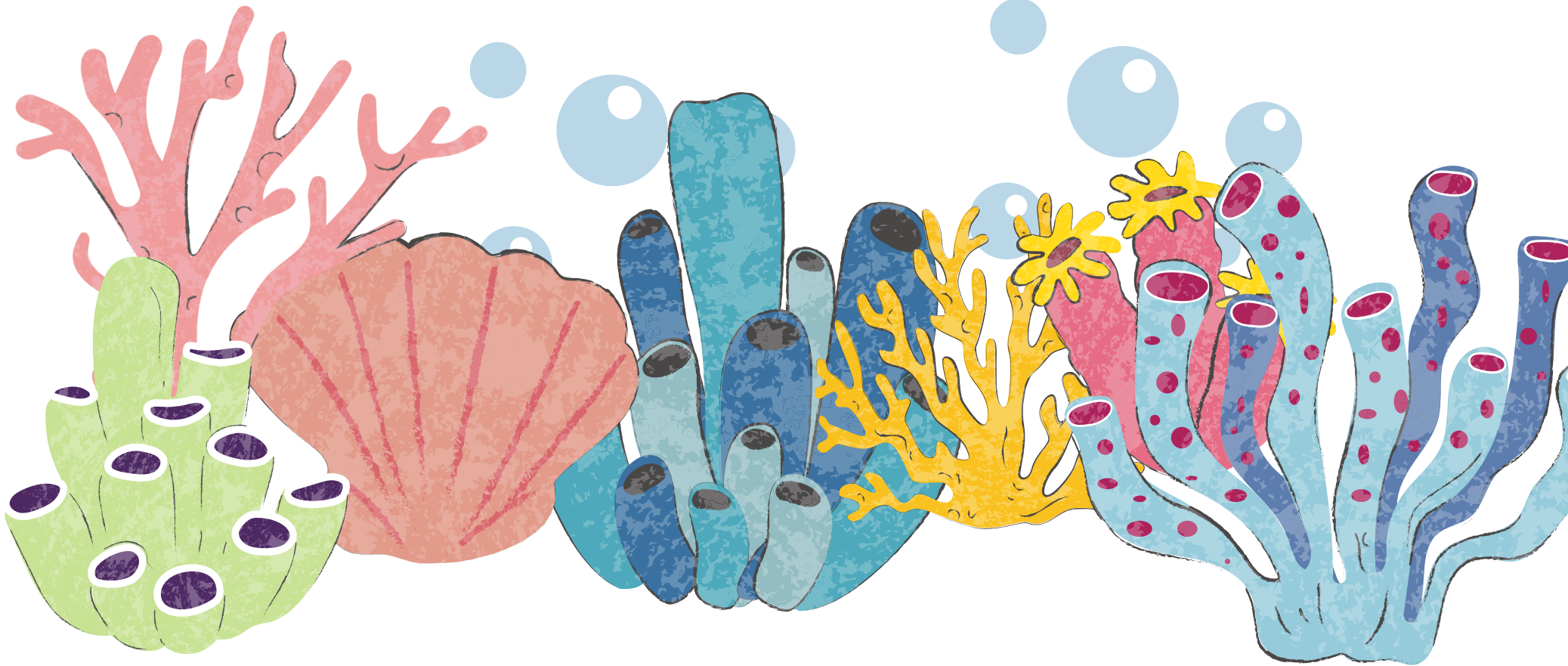
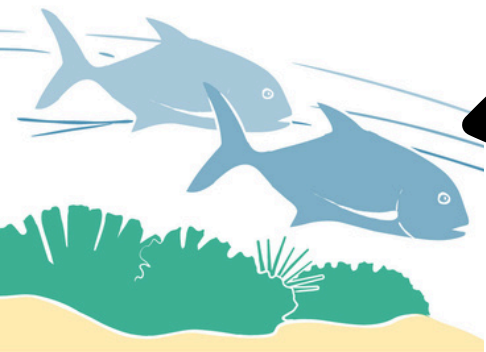
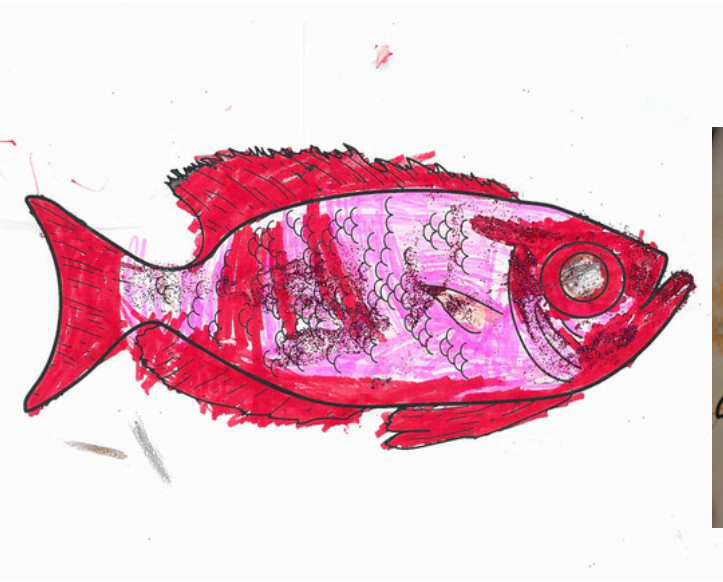
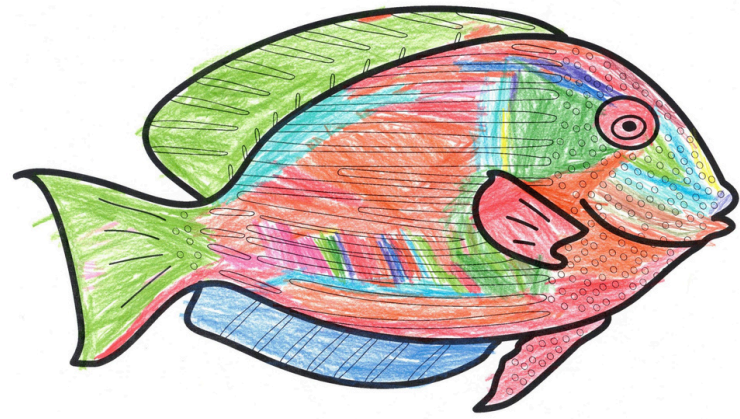


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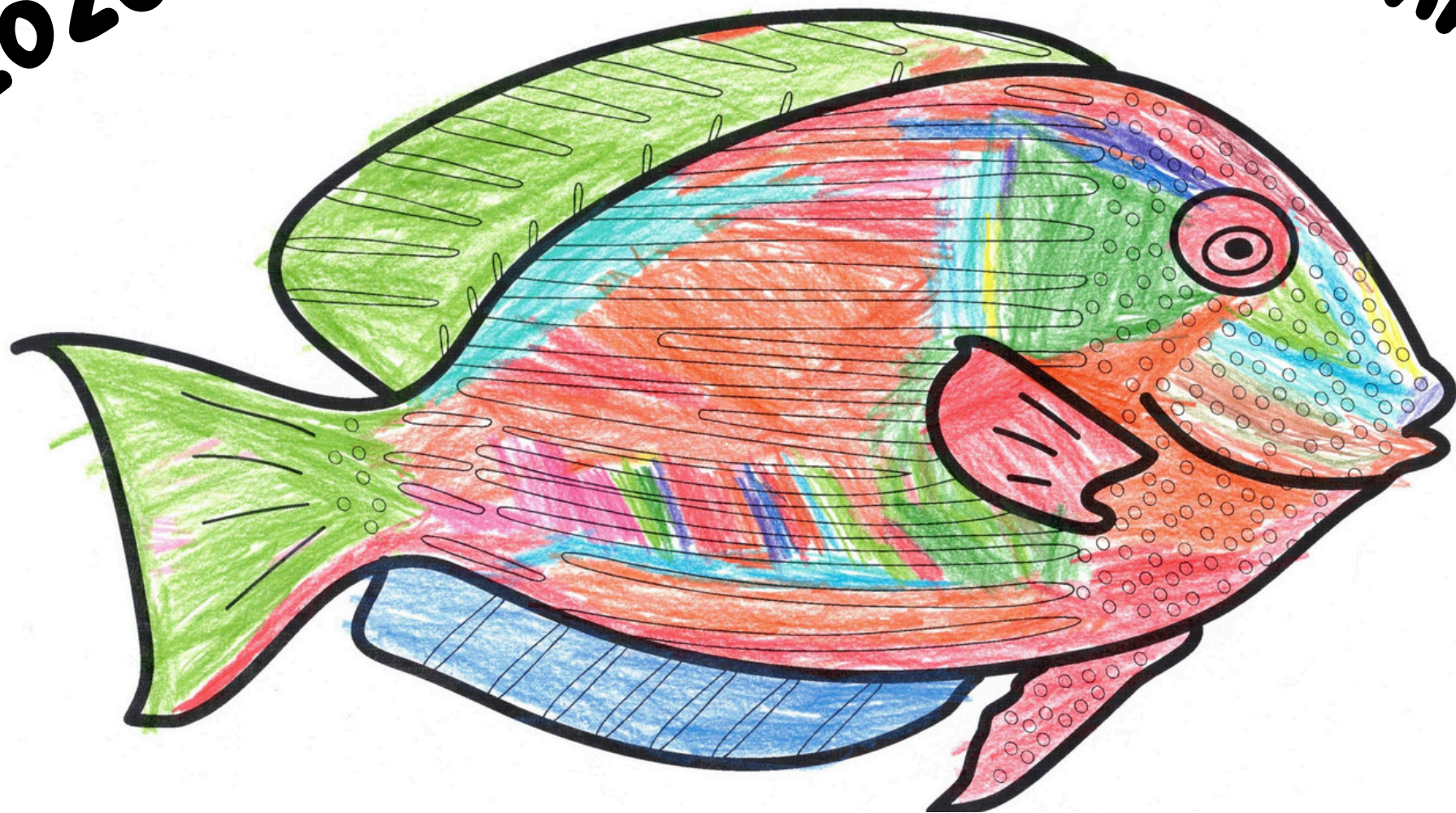
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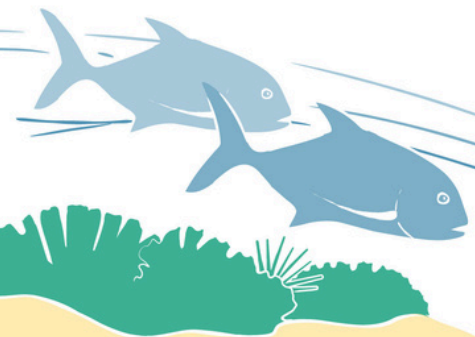


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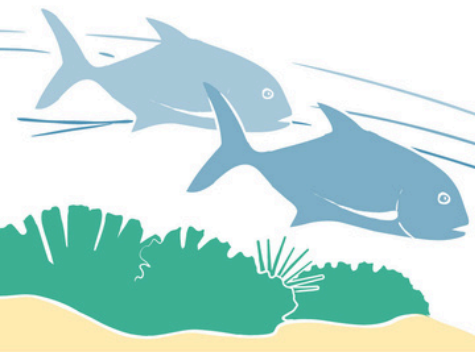


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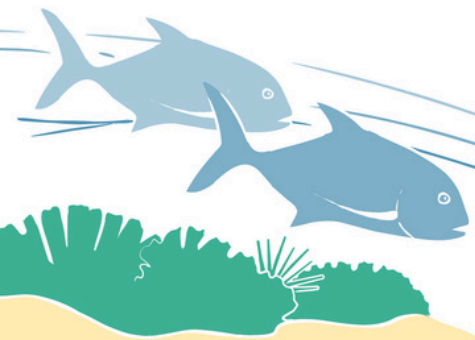


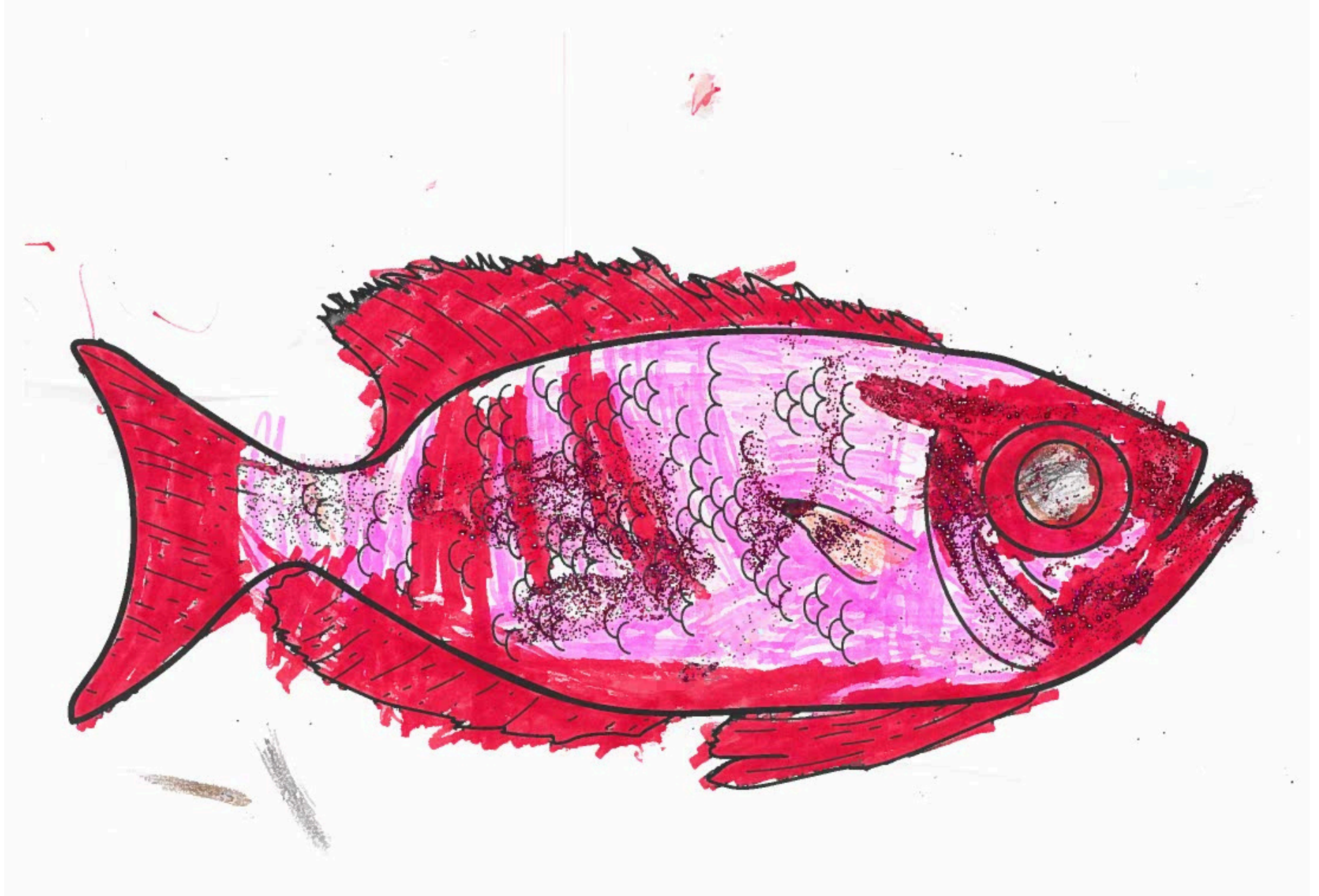
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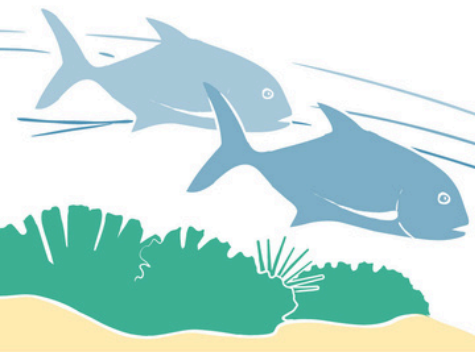


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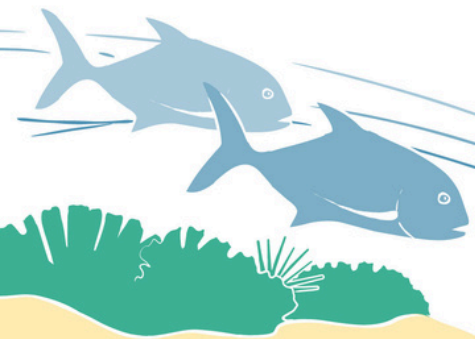


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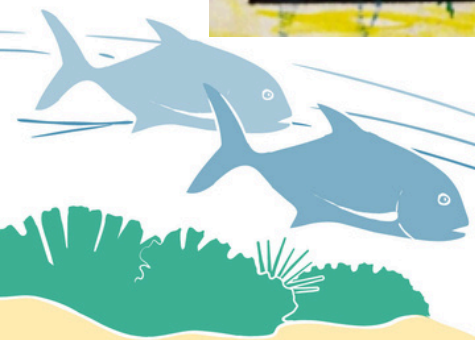


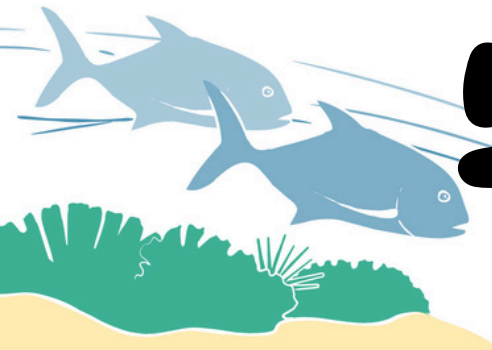
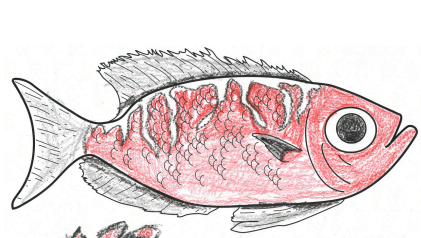
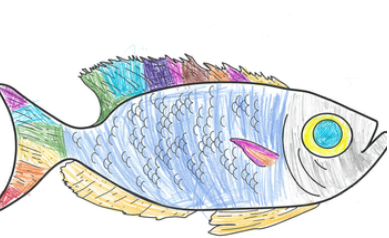
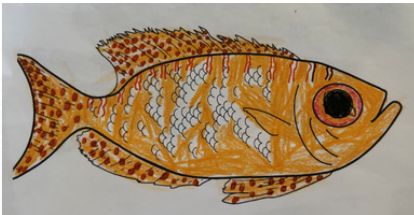
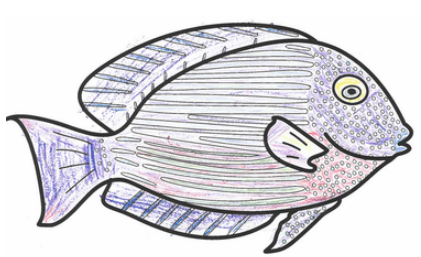
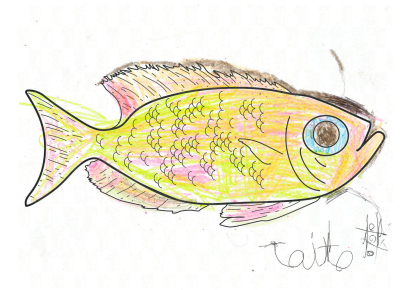
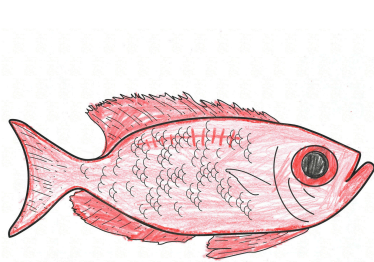
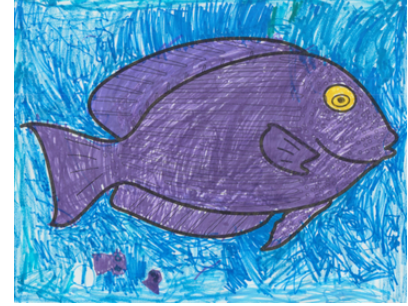
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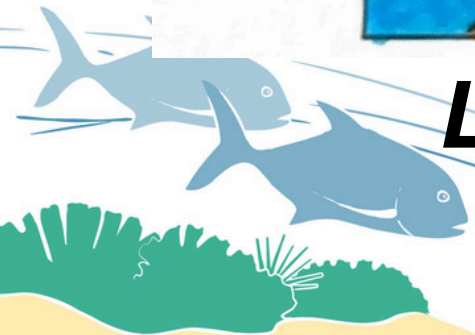


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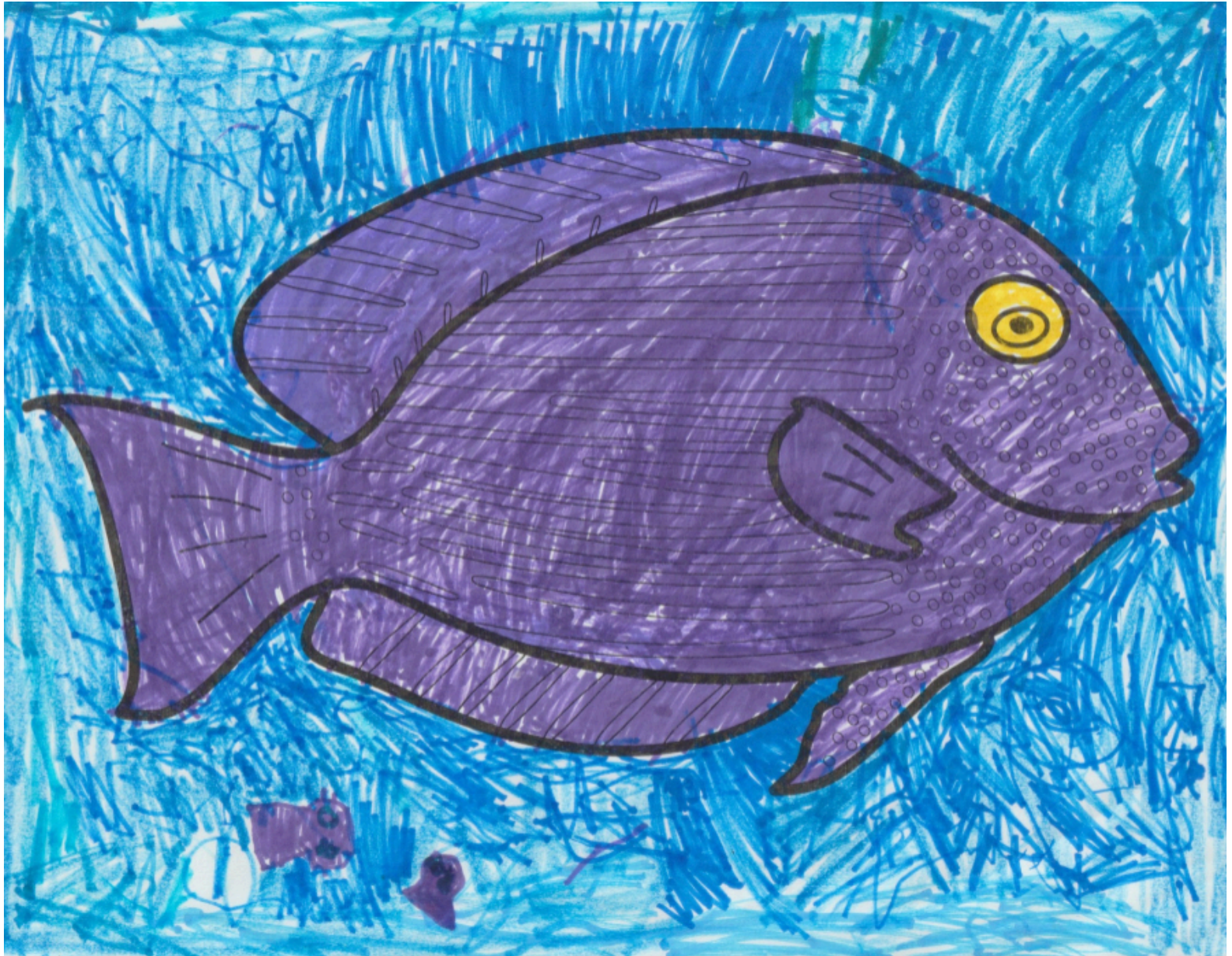
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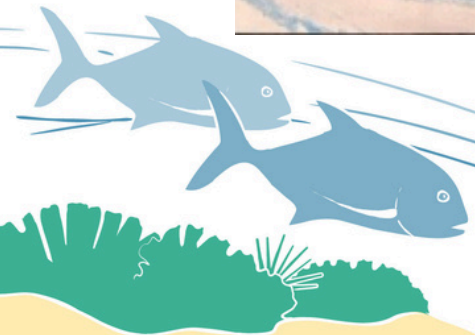


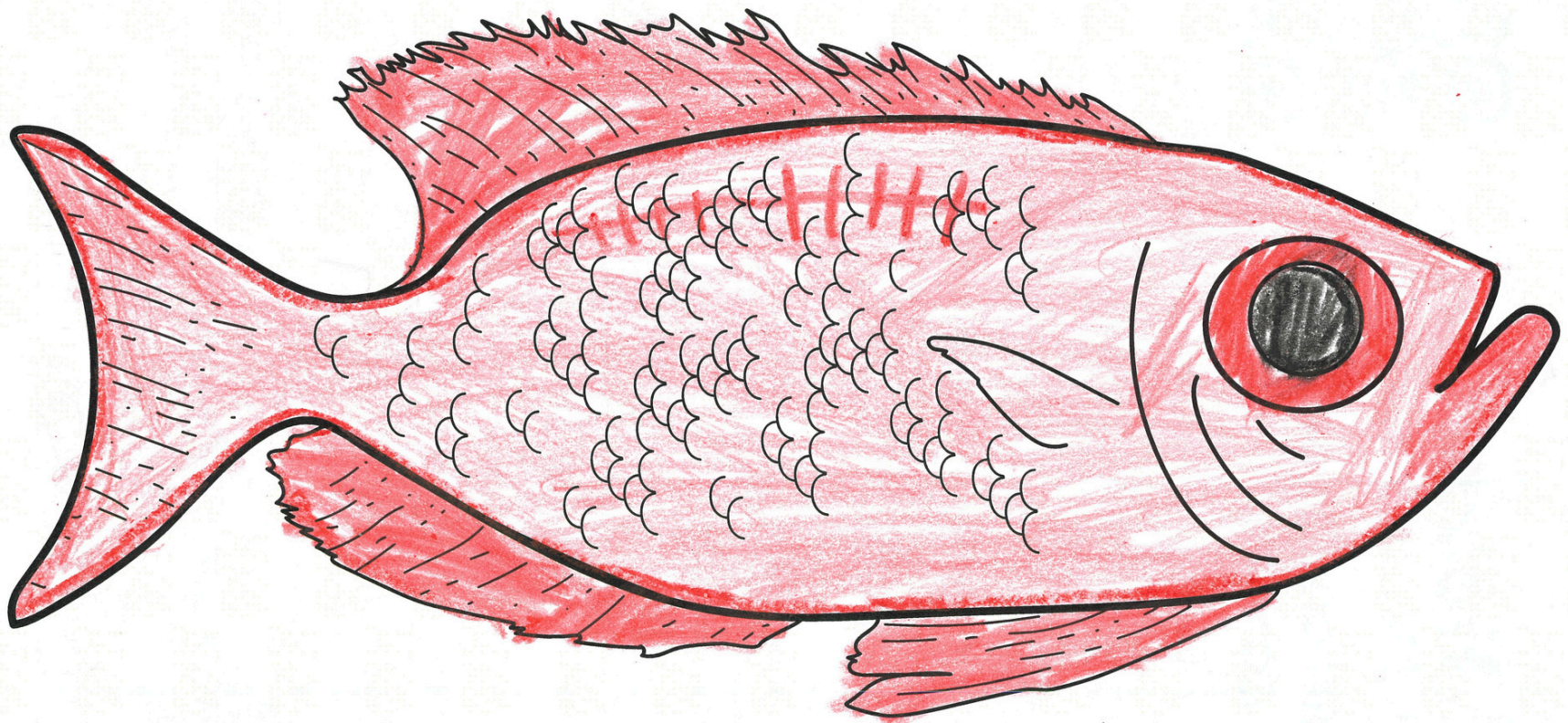


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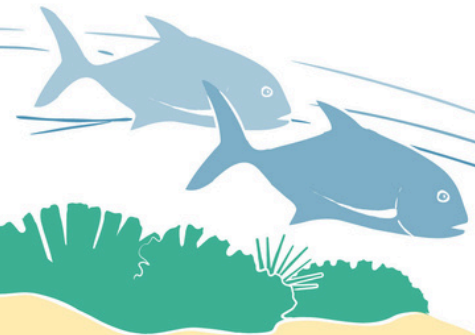


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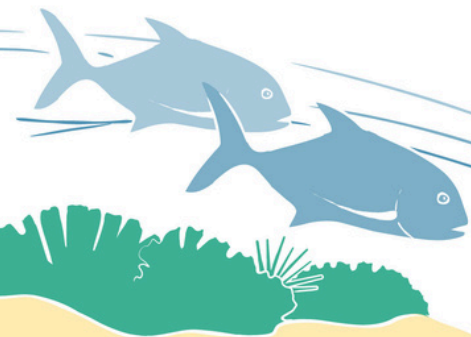


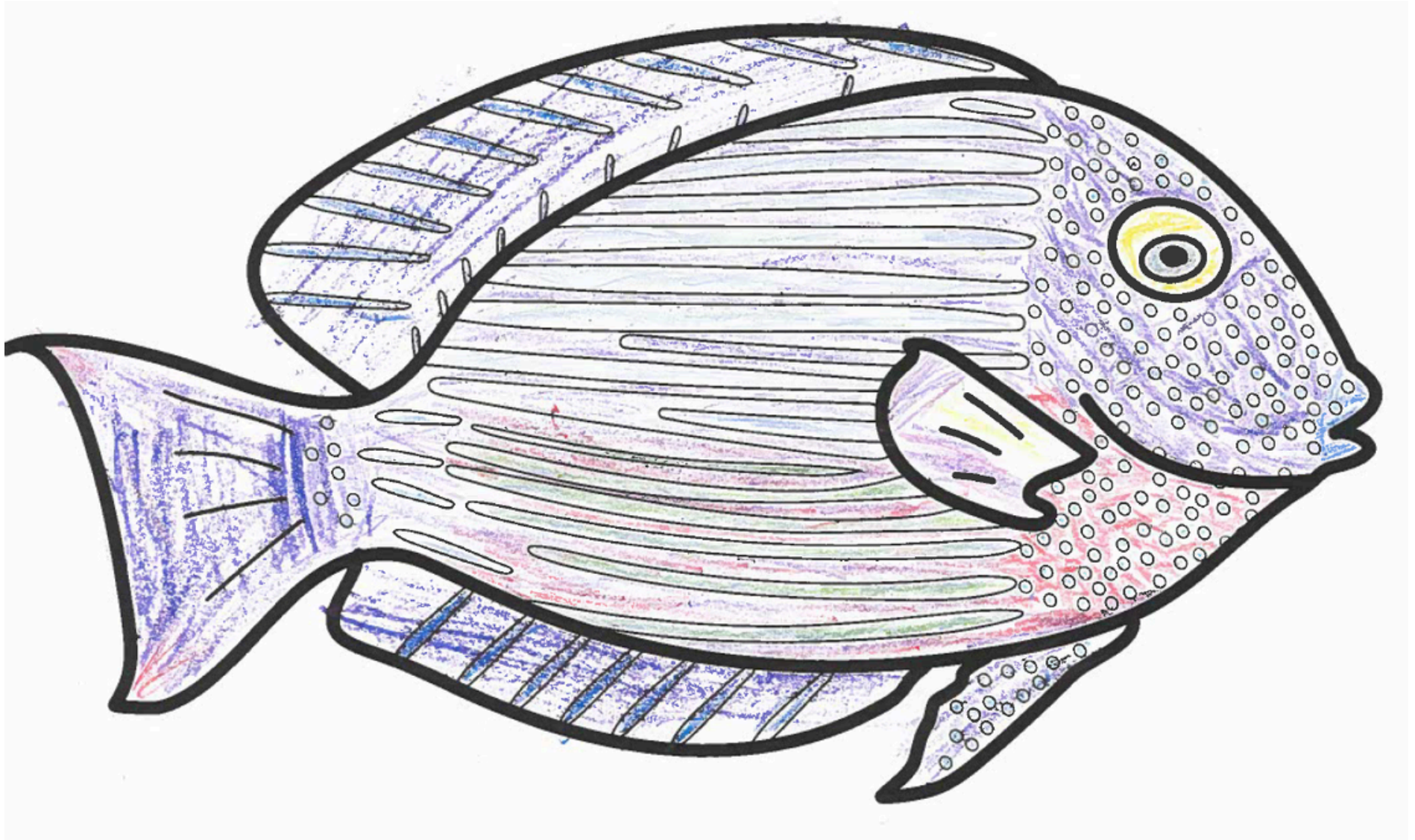
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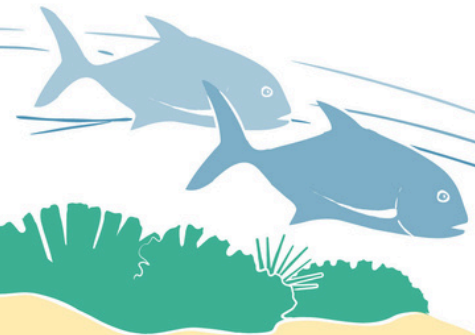


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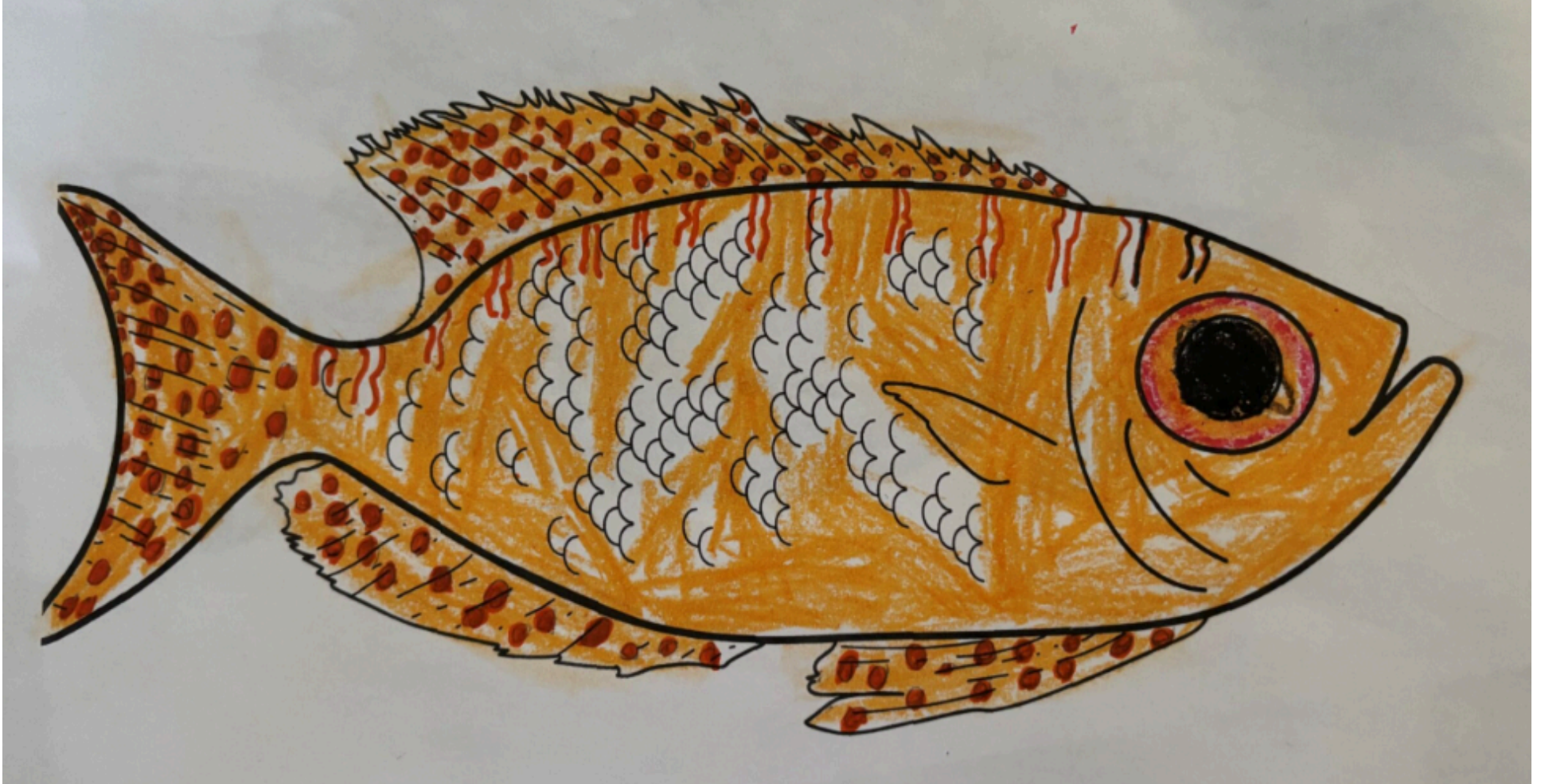


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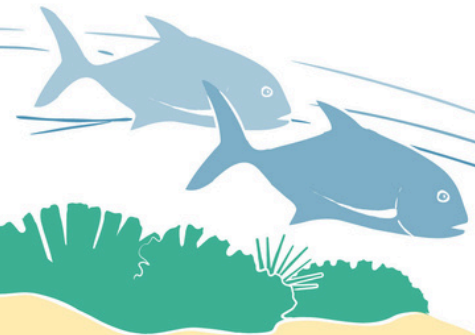




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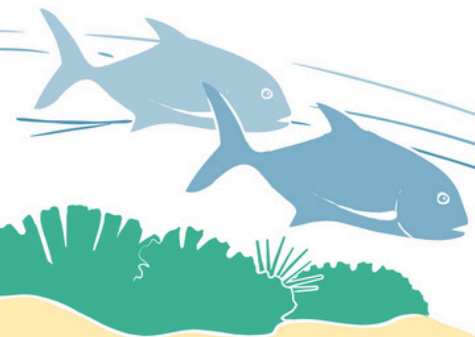


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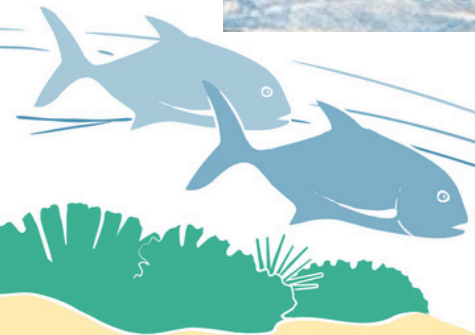


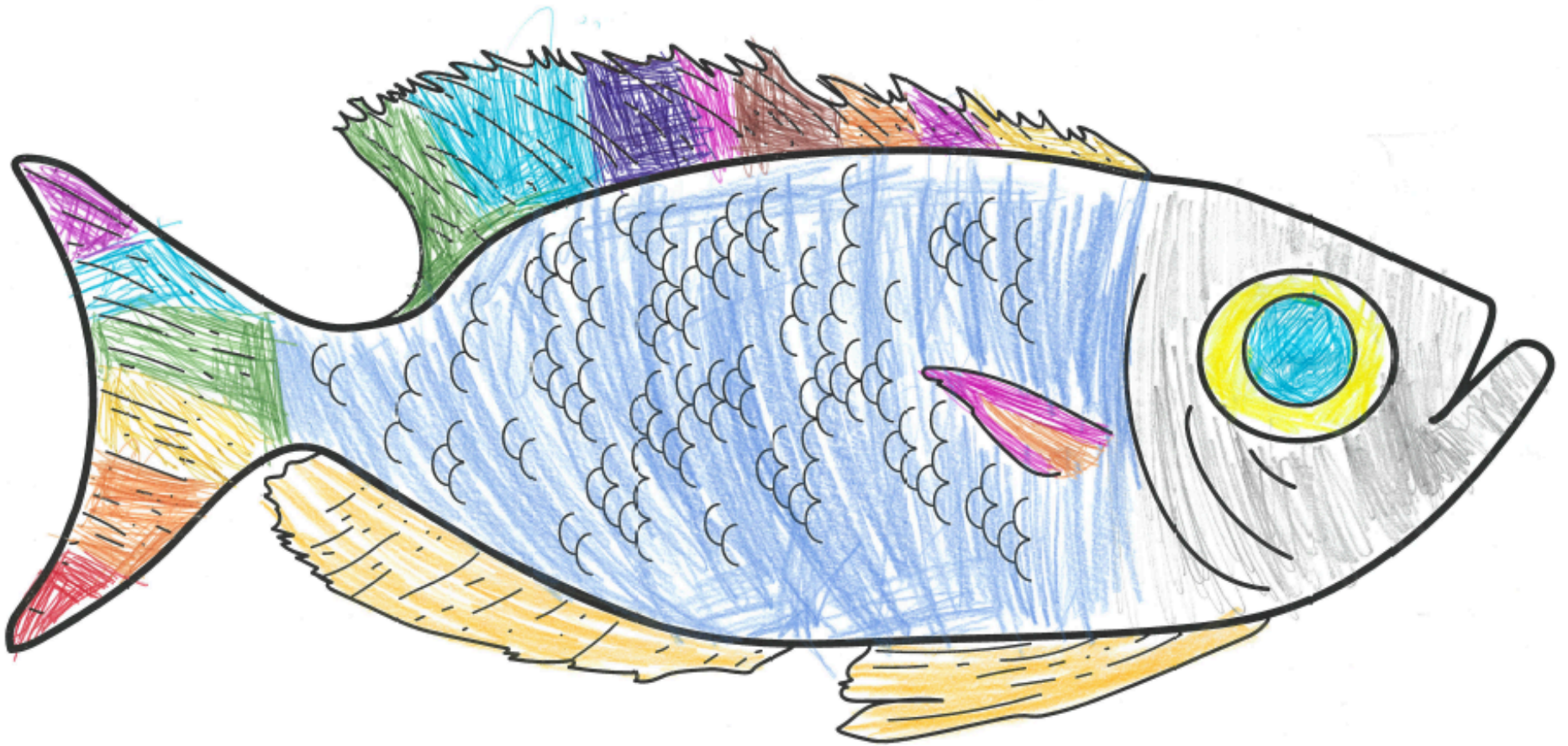
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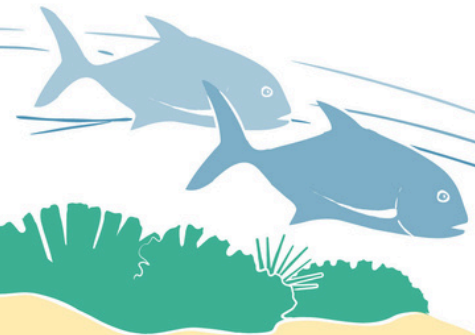


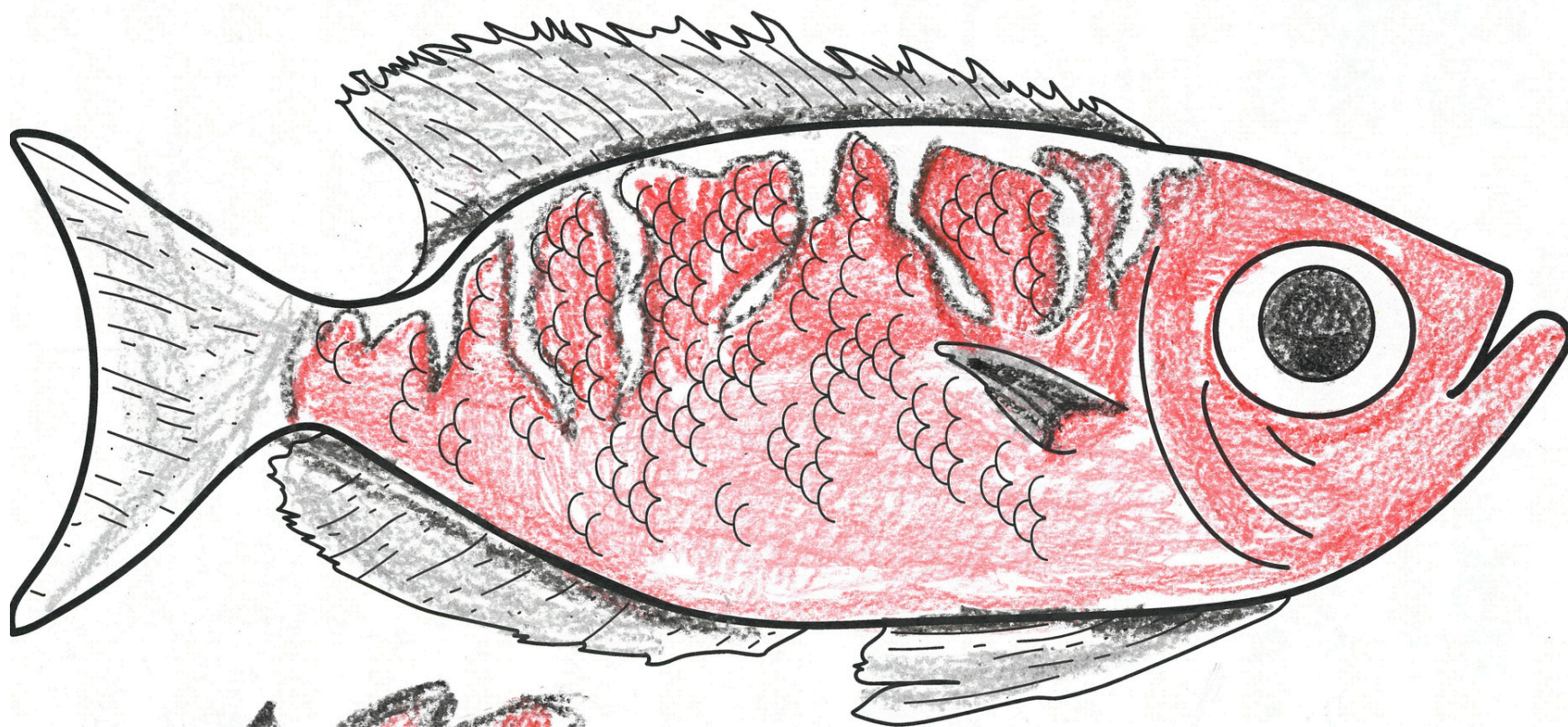
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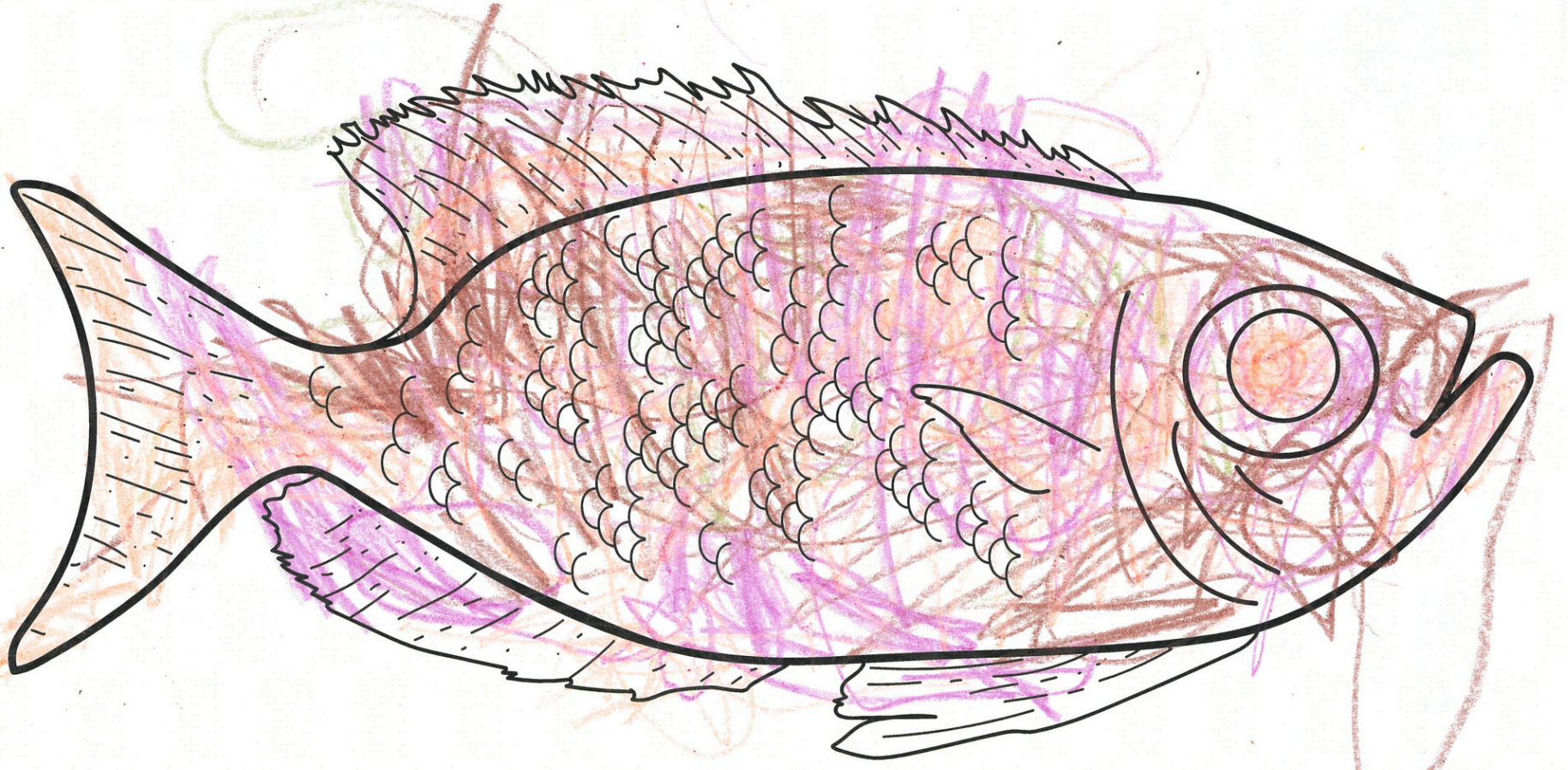
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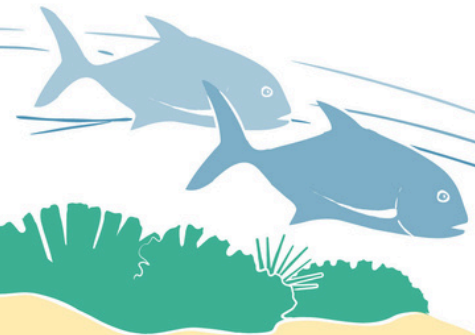


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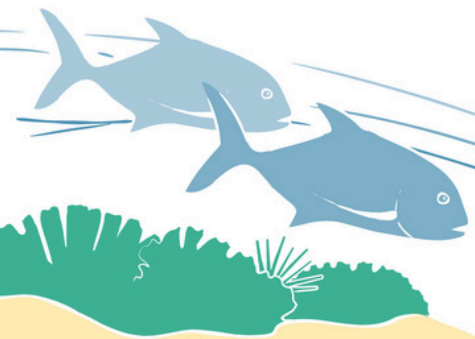


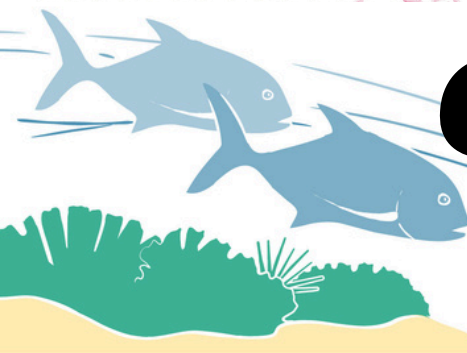
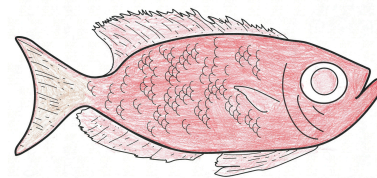
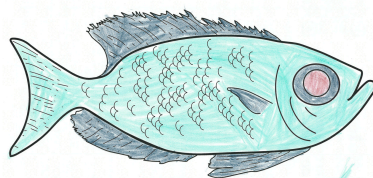
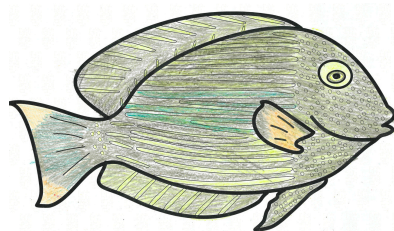
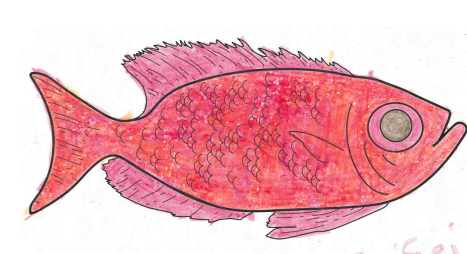
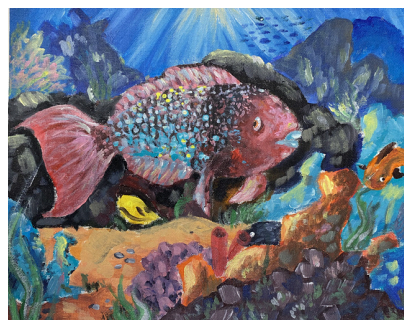
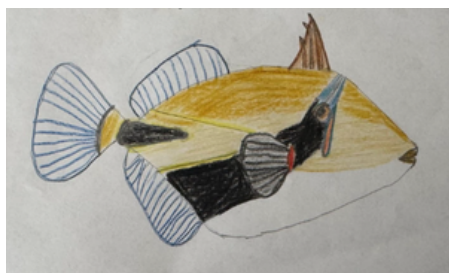
Shae Carter, 8





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9-12 Years Old

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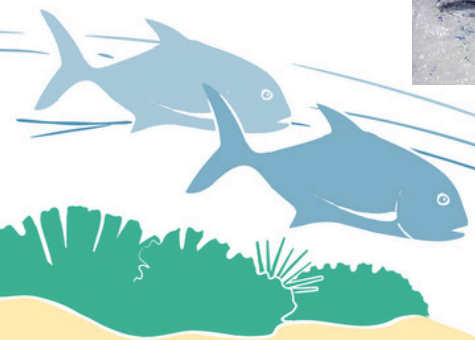
"The background of this painting is a memory of my perspective of snorkeling with my mom. The main fish is a female parrot fish in solitude. This piece reminds me of the first time I went fishing with my uncle."

Allison MacQueen, 12

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Kexin Chen, 12





"Parrotfish are crucial to coral reef health, acting as "gardners" by controlling algae. I drew a queen parrotfish. They normaly are bright blue with green and purple. "The queen parrotfish"

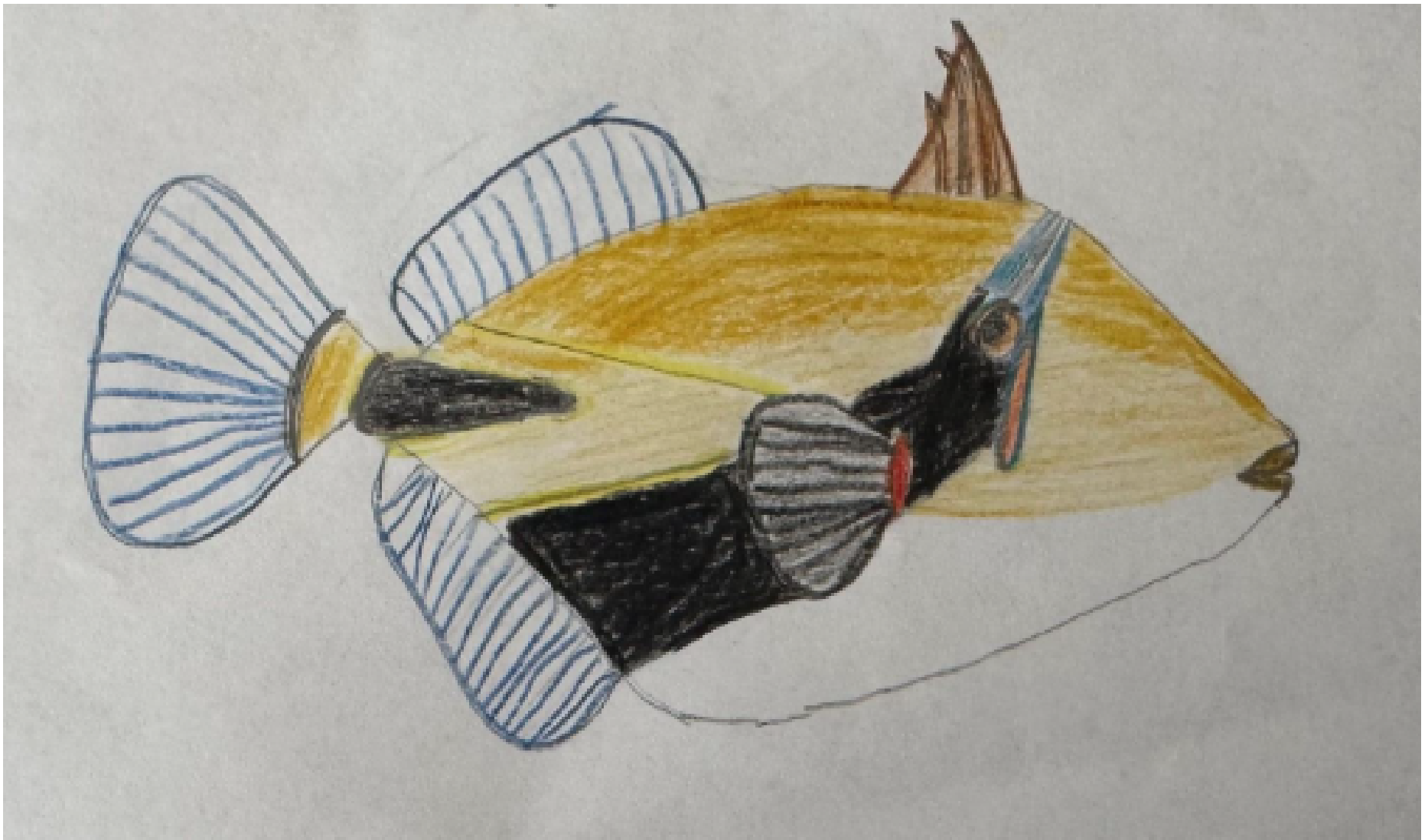
Ingrid Kannberg, 8



"Manini fish keep coral reefs healthy by acting as 'lawnmowers.' Manini fish live for more than four years. Manini fish grow up to about 10-12 inches long"

Tiffany Xue, 9





"Humuhumunukunukuapua'a is the reef triggerfish. It is a reef fish with a short nose like a pig. It is the State fish. A special memory that I have was when I went fishing with my uncle and I caught my first humuhumunukunukuapua'a at Pōka'i Bay in Wai'ānae."



Haweo'ula Duarte, 9



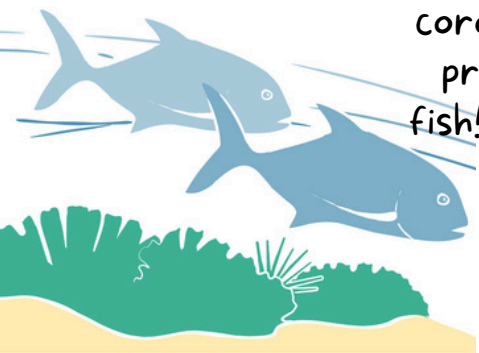
"The humuhumunukunukuapua'a or the humu lives in the ocean and balances the environment by eating algae. By smashing corals that are dead, they make sand and is a Hawaiian fish. It is popular because of its color and helpfulness around the sea. I remember a long time ago, my family took me to Waikiki Aquarium and I saw a fish that I recognized. It was the humu! I learned how to draw the humu in school at art class. It was the funnest and coolest drawing I ever did! My family said they are going to take me to a snorkel place after my 10th birthday. I hope to see a humu by the reef swimming next to me!"

Asher Yap, 9



"Parrot fish [are] essential to [keeping] the ocean healthy. Parrot fish act as primary cleaners of coral reefs, by preventing algae from suffocating corals. They use their strong beak-like teeth to eat algae and dead coral producing up to 90 kilograms (200lbs) of fine white sand annually per fish! The ocean is really important to me because I have grown up always near/in the ocean, so we need to keep it clean."

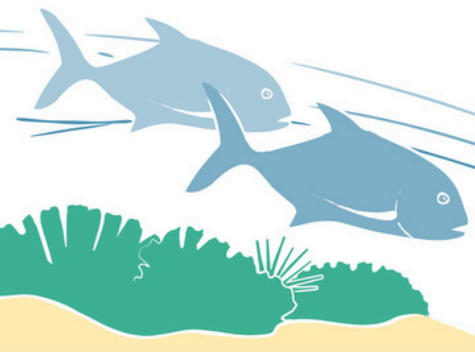
Mickey Price, 10





"This is a kala. It is my favorite fish to eat. It taste like lobster. It is a type of unicornfish."

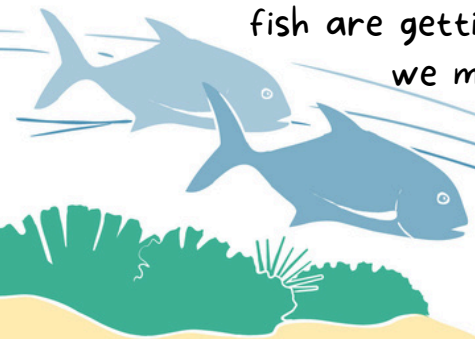
Khloe Aquino, 10





"I remember one time I was at Kohanaiki camping with my friends and I got to see all the i'a. I got to see lots of fish including manini, kala, and lots of lau'ipala. It is sad to know that our fish are getting farmed and sent in for the aquarium trade. It's crazy to think that one day we might not be able to see our i'a if we don't start protecting our oceans."

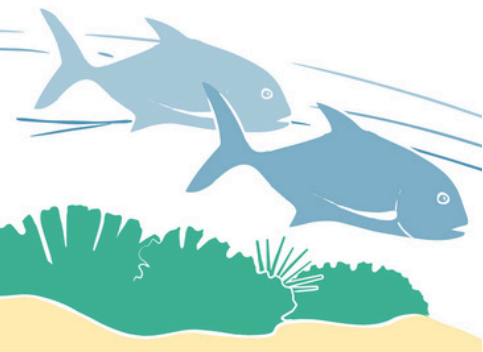
Isaiah Pe'a, 10





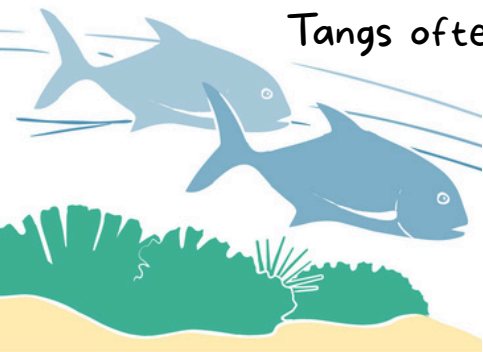
"My fish is a parrot fish. parrot fish help eat dead coral.
Parrot fish are herbivores."

Davyn He, 10





"My fish is a Manini or Convict Tang. The Convict Tang eats fast-growing algae and seaweed so that coral does [not] get choked out, which makes it a cleaner fish. Convict Tangs often work together in groups to clean the coral reefs. I painted the convict tang, and other fish grazing in an algae filled coral reef."



Kingston Moon, 11



"This is a parrot fish that swims in the ocean. I decided to use posca marker and paint."

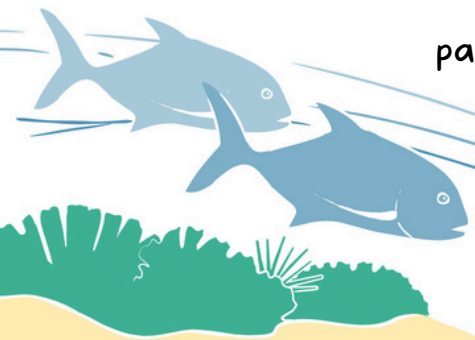
Hannie Shi, 11





"Parrot fish are essential to coral reef health. I added coral, blue parrot fish, starfish, seaweed, etc to this painting. Parrotfish are good for the health of the ocean. I like the ocean, the healthy ocean"

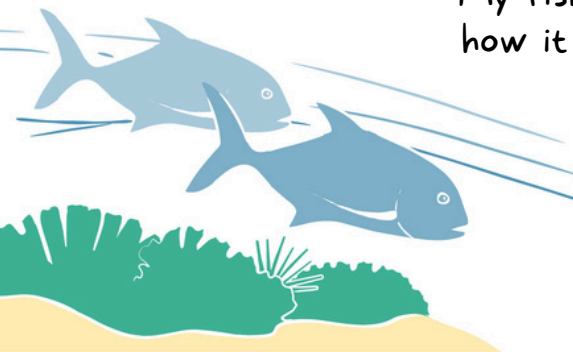
Hai Lin, 12





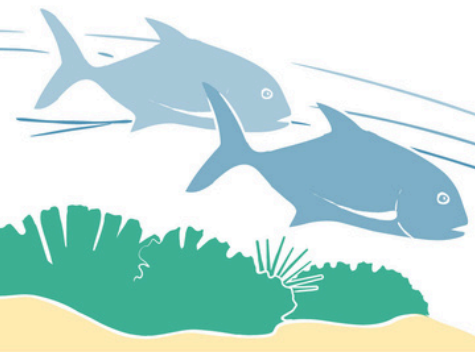
"My fish is called "Manini" from Hawaii. In this drawing I tried to show how it eats by scraping seaweed off [the] surface, like mowing lawn."

Otoha Hazehara, 14



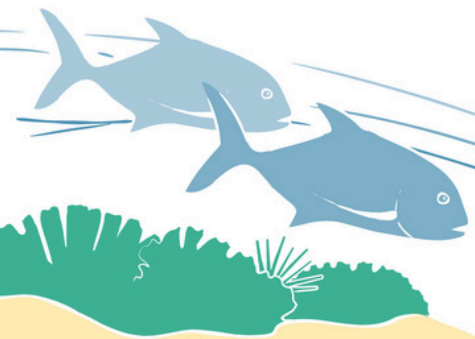


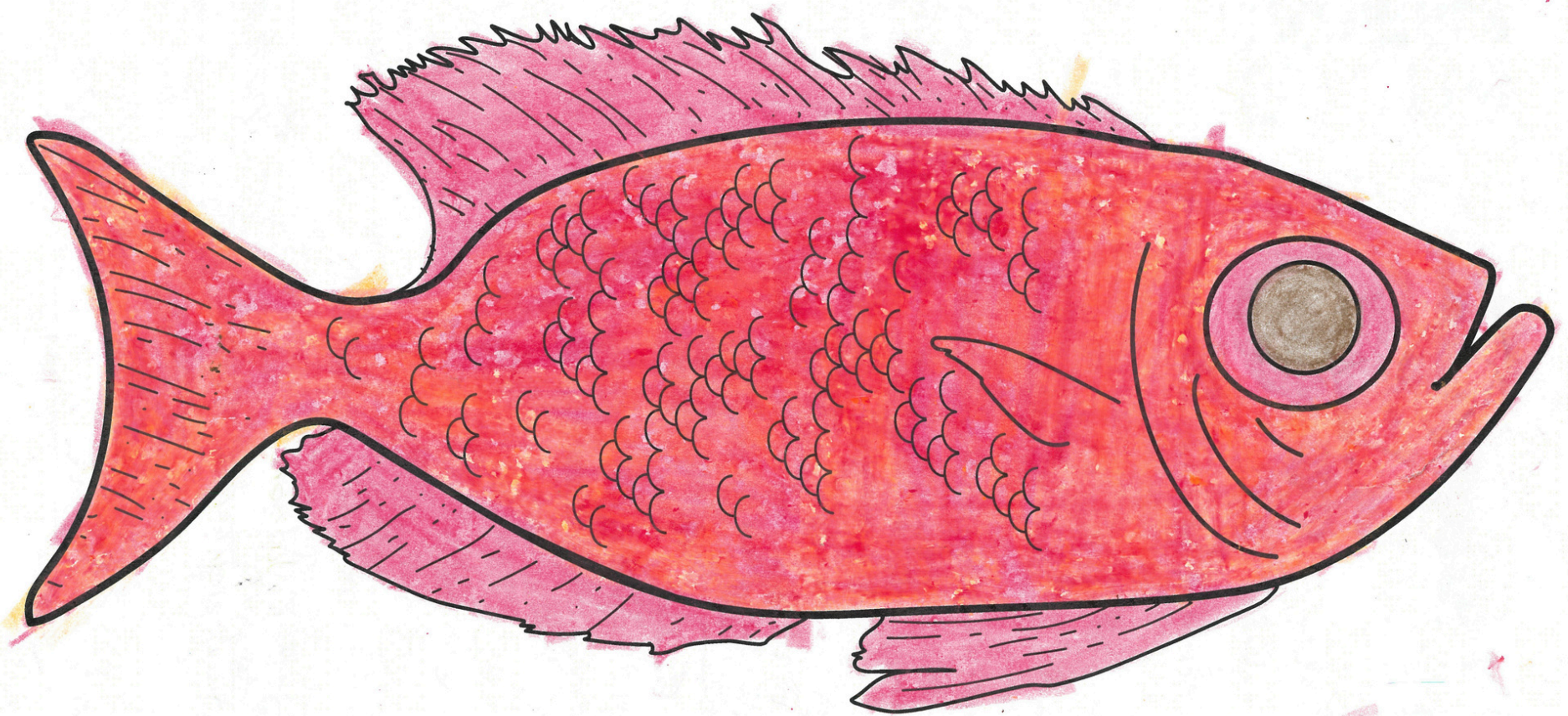
Lia Stone, 9





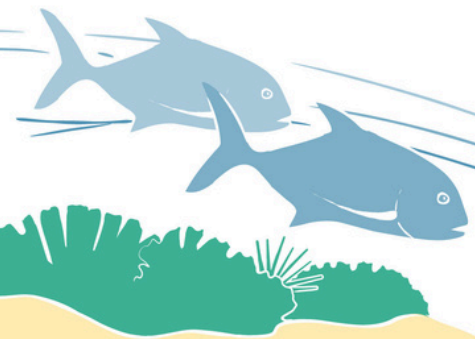
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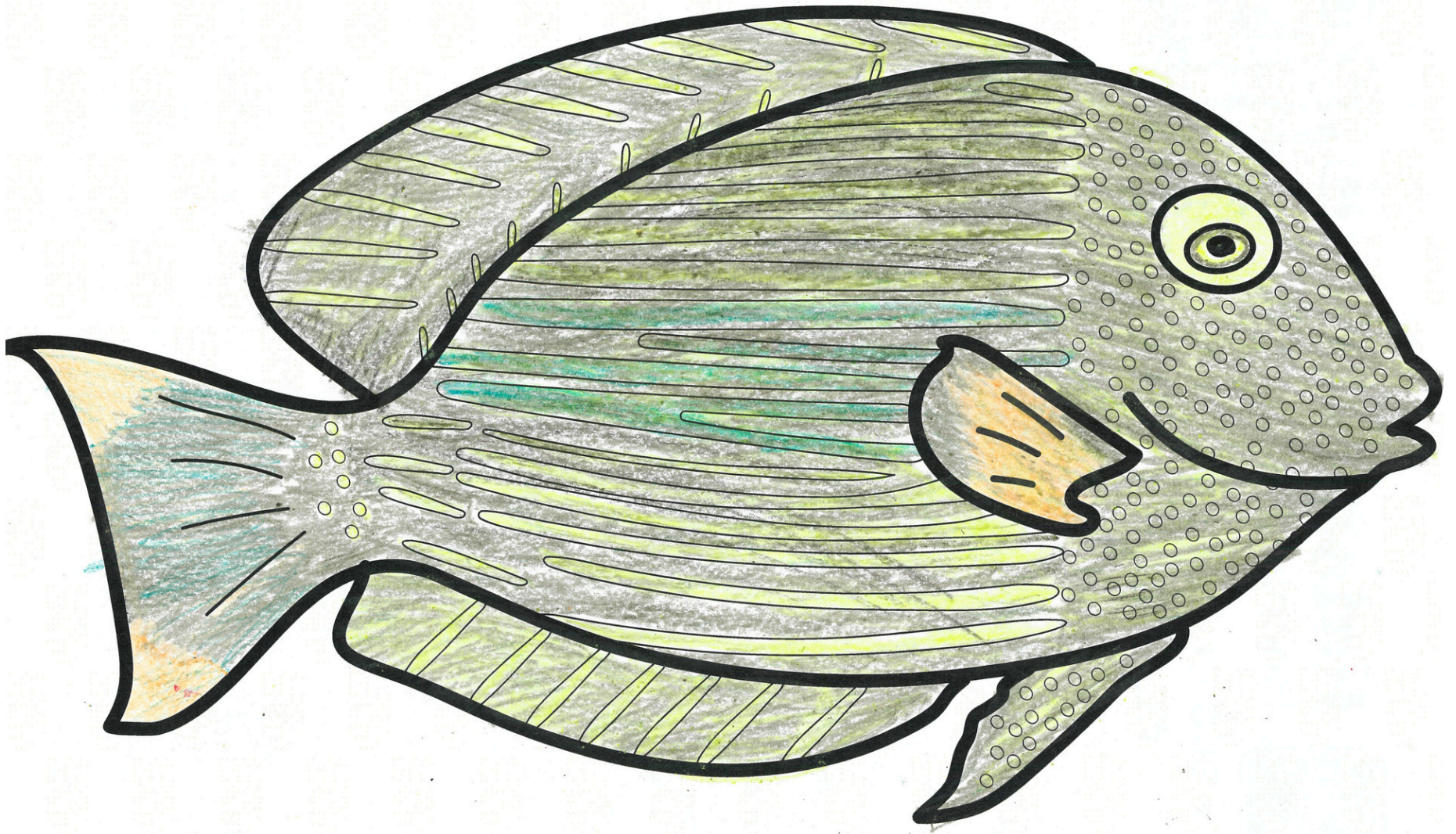




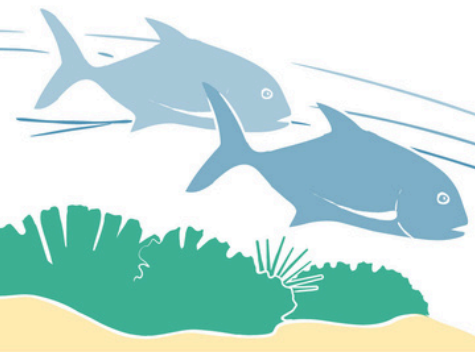
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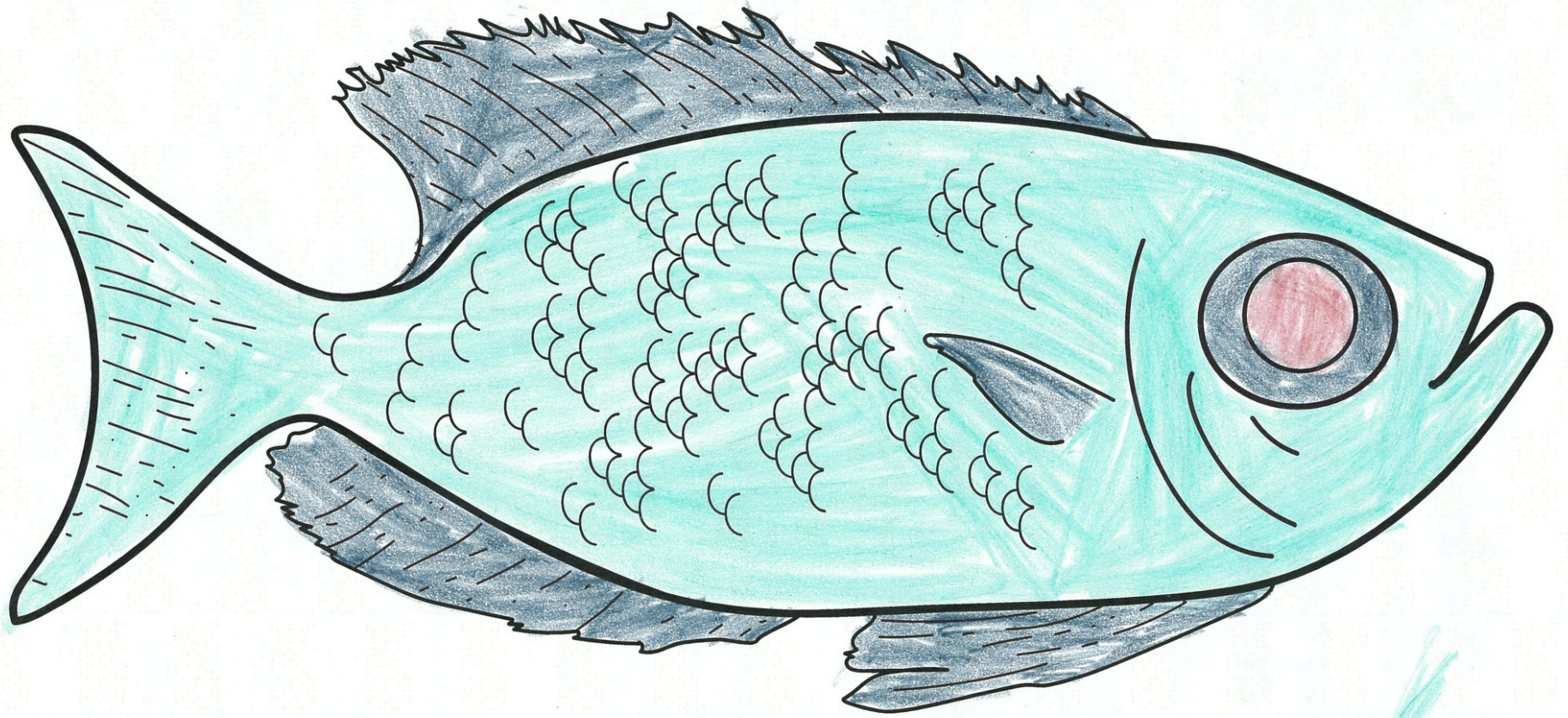
Seisei Nalesere, 10



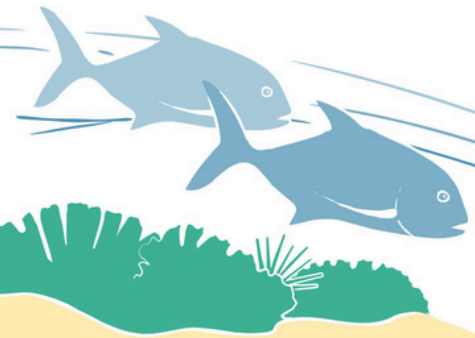


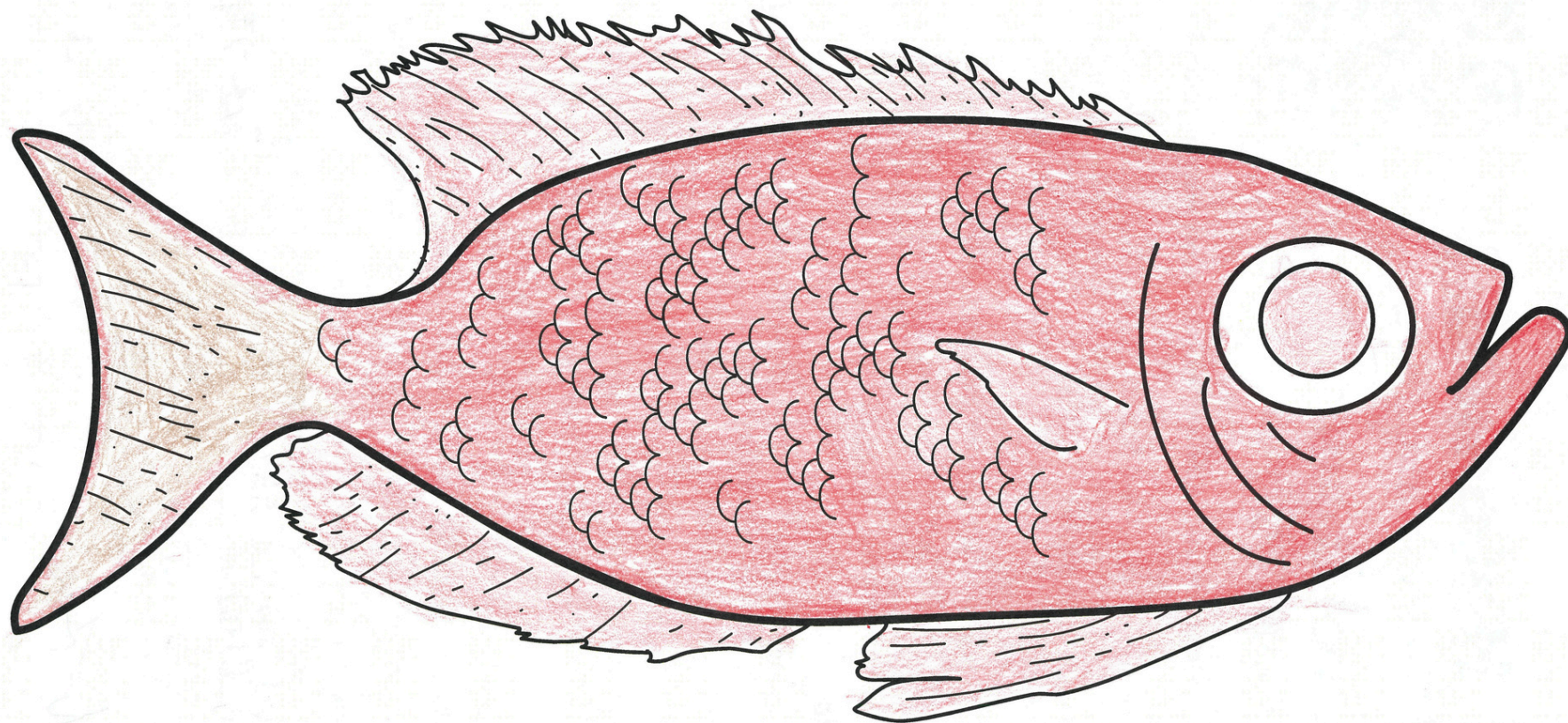
Palikū Quiiocho, 11





Chloe Holm-Faatuuala, 11





David Kawai Ako, 12

