

ZEVs Across the Land Activity Book



Anishinaabemowin/English language version

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Miinan miinwaa Bakwezhigan

Berries and Bannock

Aapji go miingwewziwin aawan miinkeng!

Berry picking is such a gift!

***Ezhi-ngodoodegizyaang miinwaa nwijkiweninaanig
nwijji'aanaanig wii-zhaa'aang enji-maawnji-pshigenmaang wii-
miinke'aang.***

We travel with family and friends to our favourite berry picking spots.

***Nmaadookiimi waa-mnokwe'aang miinwaa miijmens dbishkoo go
naanh Odeminaaboo miinwaa Bakwezhigan. Aapji go
minwendaagwad!***

We share drinks and snacks like strawberry juice and Bannock. It's so much fun!

***Kii-gkendaanaa'aa na, e-skaabiignigaazjig daabaanag gaa'ii
minesiinaa'aa gchi-nokiiwin niigaan?***

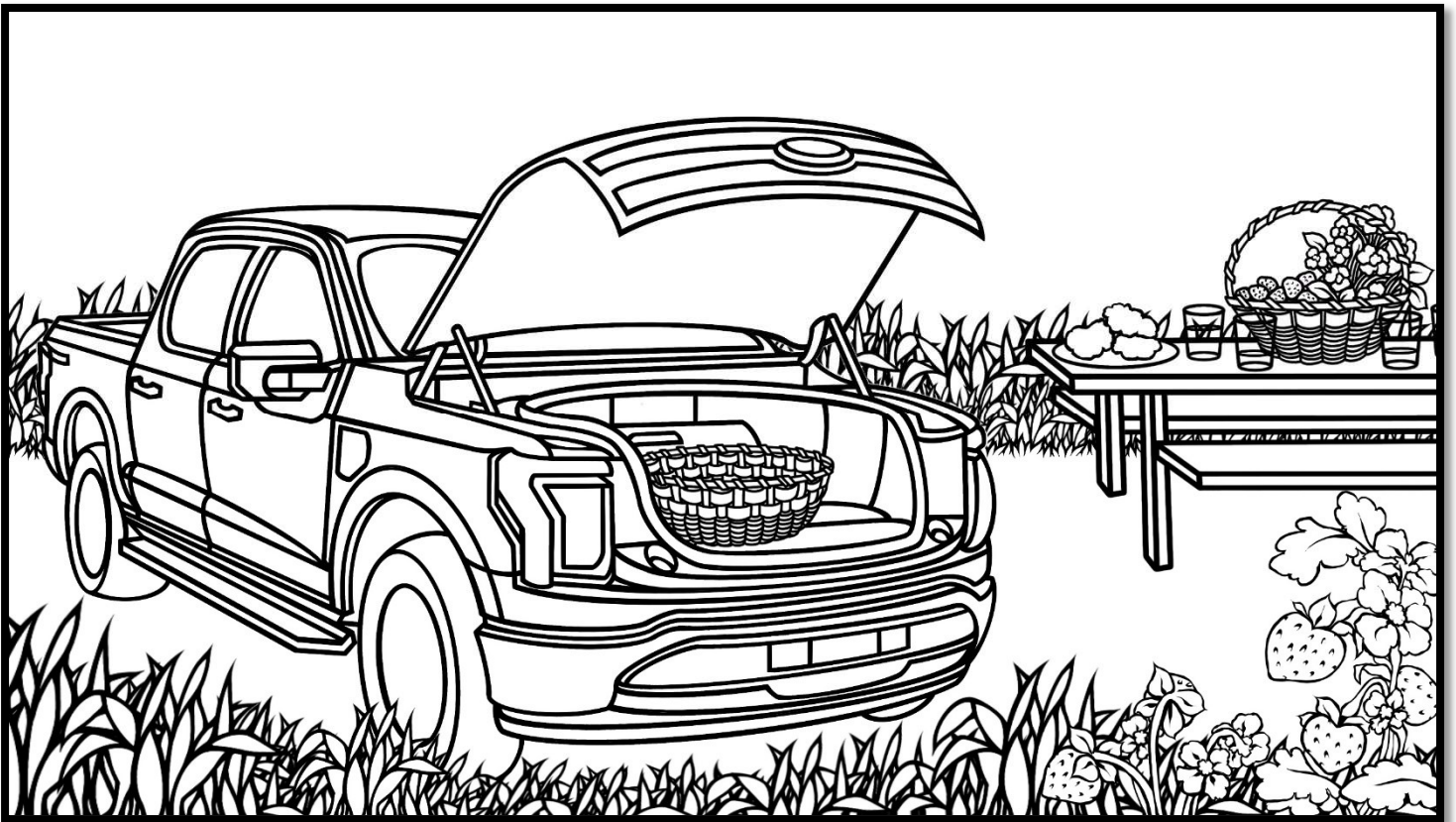
Did you know, electric vehicles don't need a big engine in the front?

***Meshkwat dash temgat frunk ezhnikaadeg wii-gnawenman
gmiinan piish ni dgoshnan endaayin!***

Instead, there's a frunk (front trunk) to keep your delicate berries safe until you get home!

***Tiso maaba mzinchigan. Miinan gigookbinaaganing mooshkna'an.
Shkwe'aang dash genaajwijig mtigook ka saag maa ge
pangishmok, maa ge gidoodegizwin. ♡***

Color the picture. Fill your baskets up with berries. In the background, include pretty trees, or a sunset, or your family ♡



Zero Emission Vehicle (ZEV) Wordsearch

Find all the ZEV words in the word search! Once you've found them all, flip to the glossary in the back of the book to find out what each word means.

If you have any trouble, check out the solutions below. (Hint: turn your book upside down to see the answers!)

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YAYCPZTTINPANYCAMFKQ
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TRUCKPPEXRTCDODDLABS
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EXTKGWYSRRGBOQYKVGPO
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EOHFFLEETNSXYXODGKYS
KUFXBJPKRKFNUJWNSOHQ

Transportation

Charge

Clean

Electric

Fleet

Zero Emissions

Battery

Truck

Frunk

ZEV

Gidoodegizwin miinwaa gwijkiweniig Giigoonkeyeg

Fishing with Family and Friends

***Ingodoodegizyaanh, giigoonh ndizhnikaanaanaanh “fisss”
giibaajtaagziyaang.***

In my family, we call fish “fisss” to be silly.

***Niibna dibaajmownan nda’aanaanin dbaajmangidwaa giigoonh
ndaankobijignaanig.nig.***

We have many stories about our fish ancestors.

***Ngichi’aaginaanig ndakinoomaagninaanig waa-zhi-
gchi’inenmangid, mnaadenmangid miinwaa waa-zhi-
mnwaawiinangid nda-giigoonh odemnaanig.***

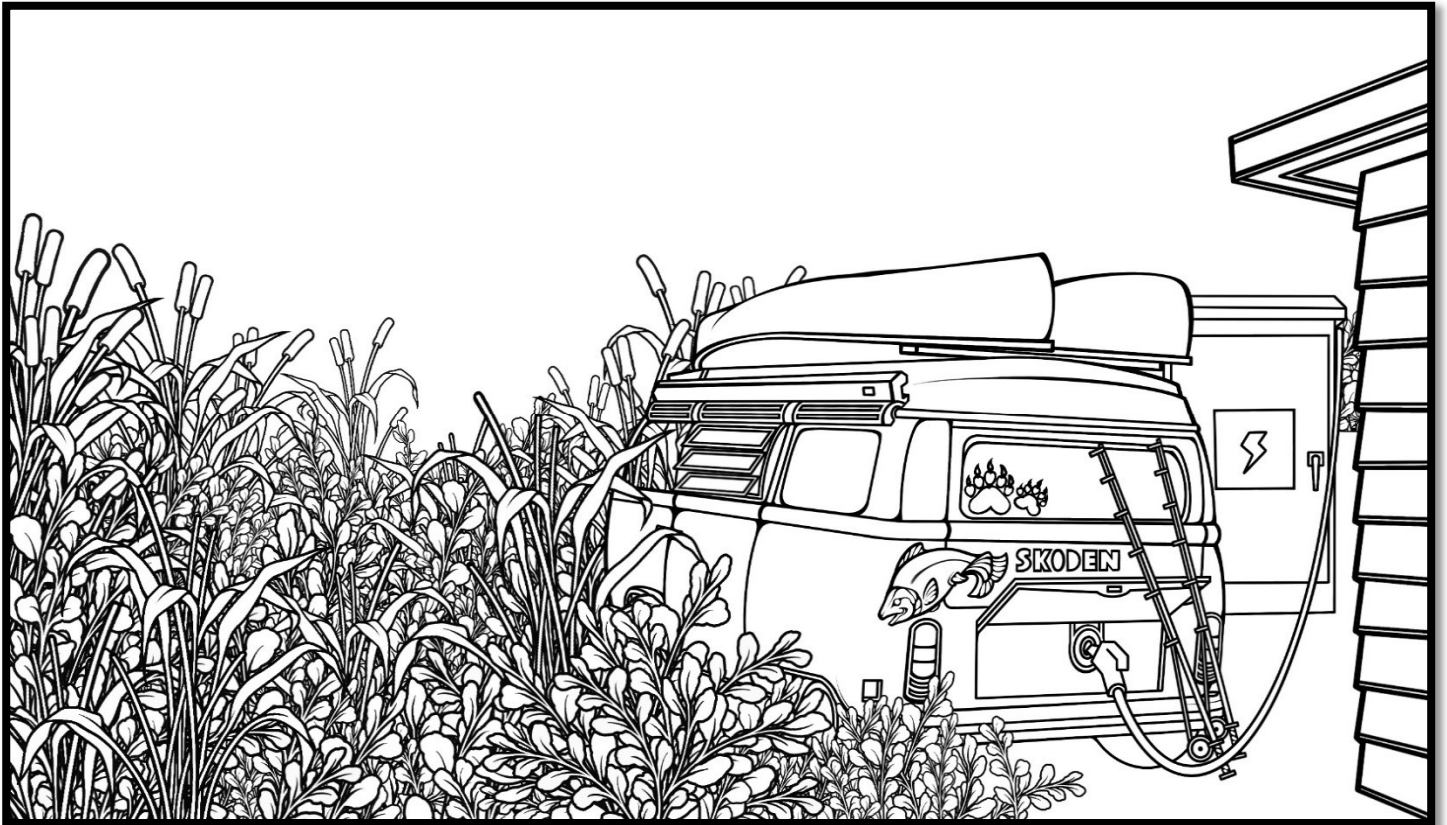
We learn from our elders about how to appreciate, respect and celebrate our fish kin (family).

***E-skaabiignigaazjig daabaanag aabjichigaazoog ngoji wii-zhaang,
gaa memkaach waasmoobmide.***

Electric vehicles use electricity to move instead of gas.

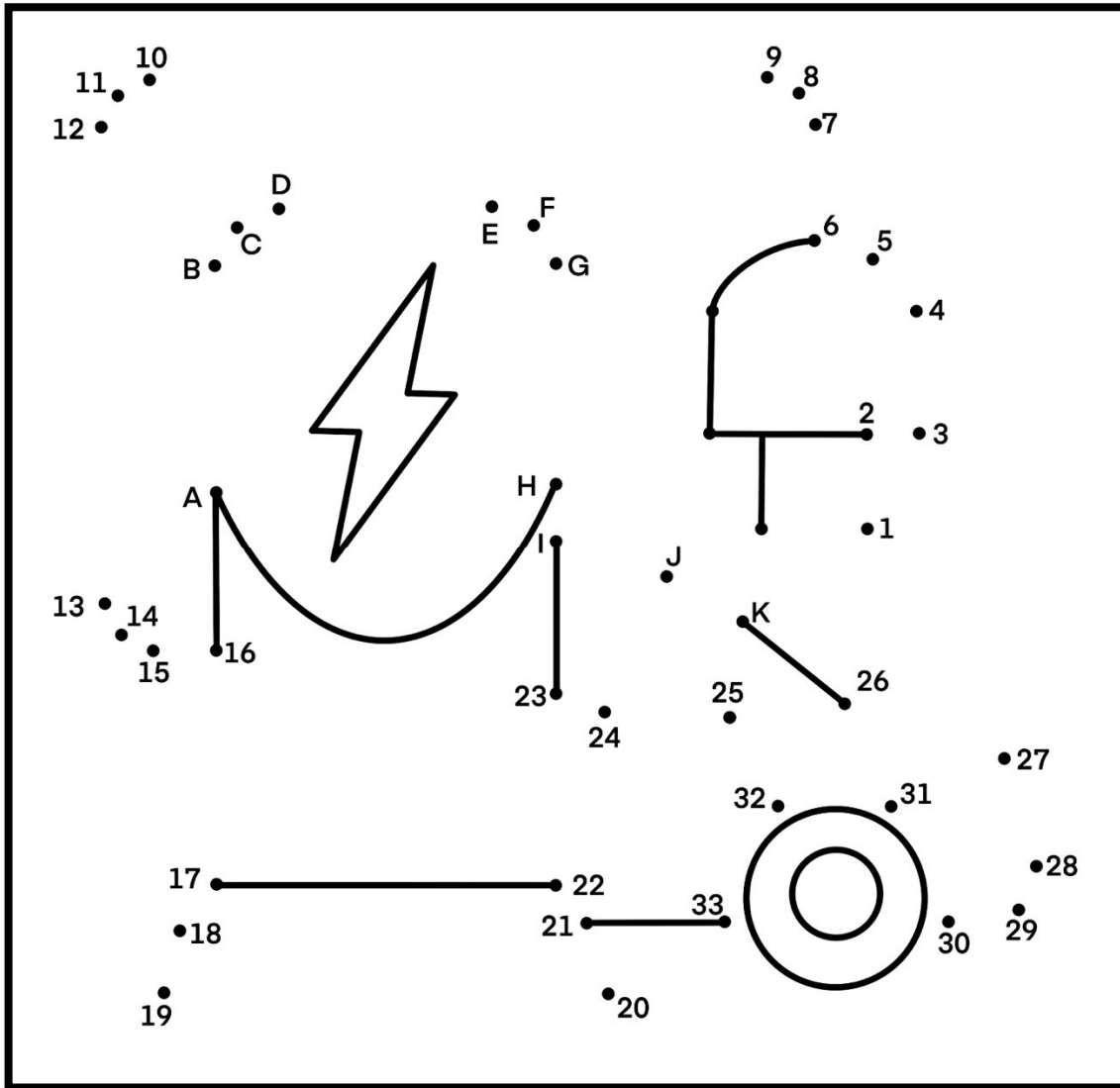
***Nminozhiyaami gkendmaang e-skaabiignigaazjig daabaanag
njigaasigwaa bmide maa ge waasmoobmide aking maa ge nibiing.***

It makes us feel good to know that electric vehicles don't drip any oil or gas onto the land or into the water.



Connect the Dots

Connect the letters in alphabetical order. Connect the numbers from 1 to 33 to find the hidden ZEV image.



Dagwaagik Shkwaanaakweg bibaamdaabaangong

Autumn Afternoon Drive

***Dagwaagik, aanind mtigook zhita'a'og wii-nwebwaad biboong.
Da-niibiishmiwaan ni-maamiikwaandenoon – ozaawaanoon,
kosmaanaandenoon, miskwaanoon miinwaa naadgondoong
zhoomnaandenoon.***

In the autumn, some trees get ready to rest for the winter. Their leaves turn brilliant shades of yellow, orange, red, and sometimes purple.

***Aapji minwendaagwad naapkowaagan wii-wiikwepzang,
gezhaagmideg niibiishaaboo mnakweng, miinwaa
shkwaanaakweg bibaamdaabaangong.***

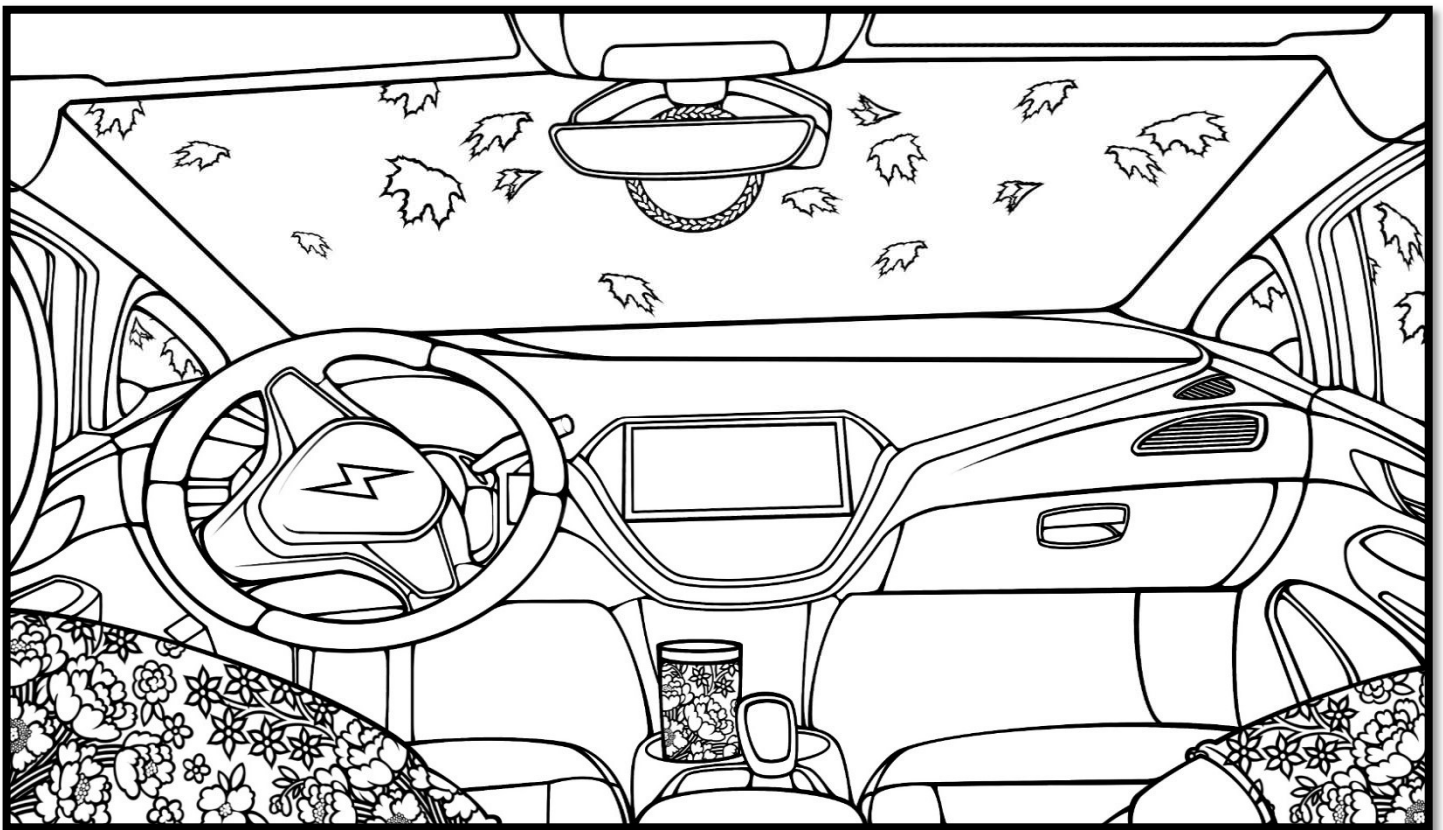
It's so fun to wrap up in a scarf, drink warm tea, and go for an afternoon drive.

***Aapji bekaayaa ndoo-skaabiignige daabaaninaan. Giishpin
naazhbidowaang waasechiganan, niibiishan noondaanaanin
bbaamaasing nooding.***

Our electric vehicle is so quiet. If we put the car windows down, we can hear the leaves fluttering in the breeze.

***Mooshkna'aw maaba mzinchigan kina beshgenman enaandeg.
Gegwa nenmaake genaajwijig Kookmis naapkowaagnag miinwaa
wiingashk (bisonge: wiingashk temgad shkwe'aang naabing
waabmowin).***

Fill this picture with your favorite colors. Don't forget the pretty Kokum scarves and sweetgrass (Hint: the sweetgrass is resting on the rear-view mirror).



Draw Your Own Electric Vehicle

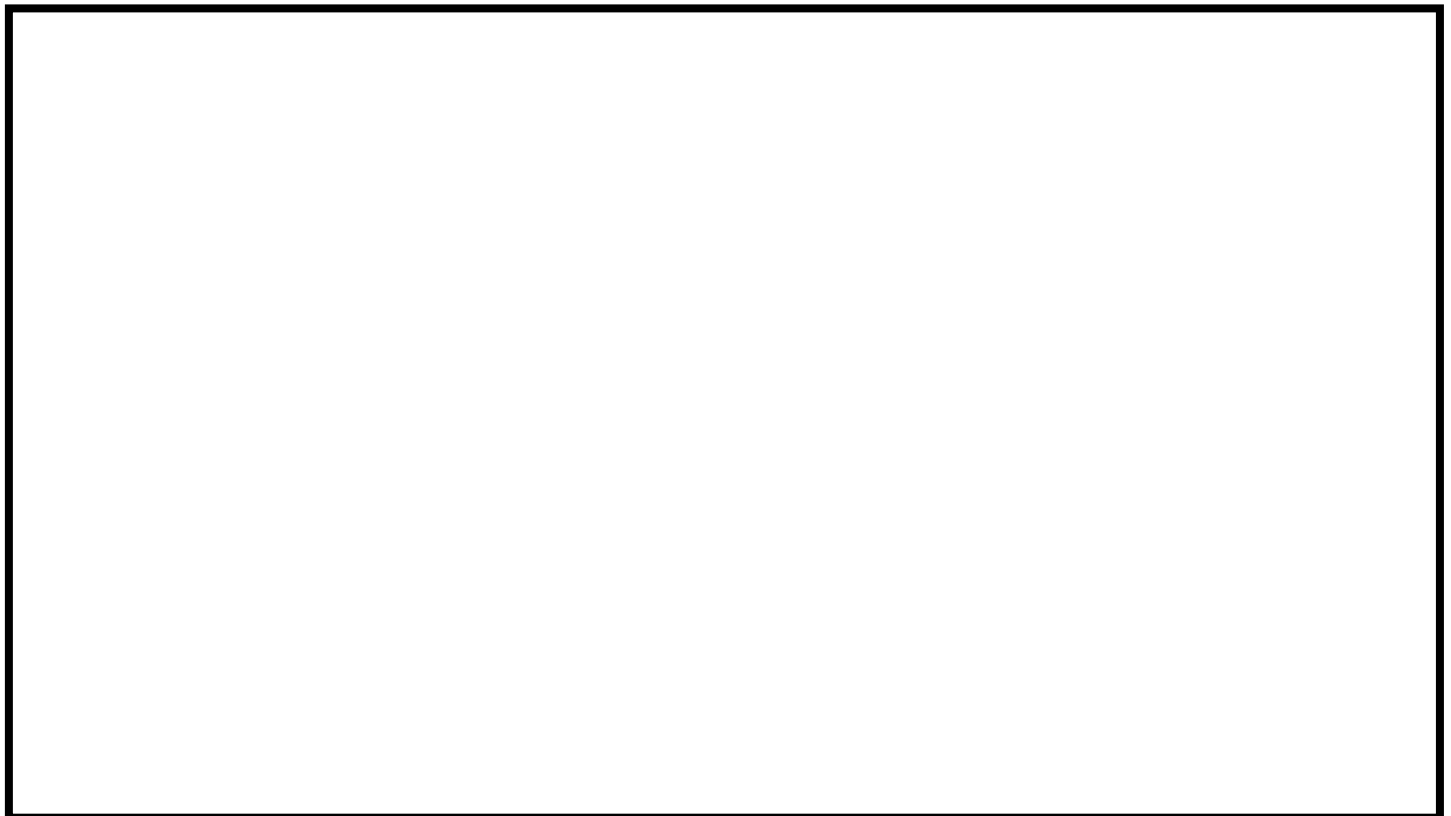
What kind of vehicle is it? (Hint: It could be a scooter, car, truck, bike, or ATV.)

What colour is it?

Where are you driving? (Make sure to include the land, water, or sky in your background.)

Who are you with?

What's your favourite thing about your electric vehicle?

A large empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for drawing the electric vehicle and the scene around it.

ZEV's agaami-kiing

ZEVs Across the Land

Gdoo-ishki-gooni-daabaan maajiibzigwan waasmowin!

Our new skidoo is powered by electricity!

Gibi-bbaayaami manpii genaajwang gdakiiminaa wii-giigoonkeying, wii-ndawenjigeying, miinwaa wii-nibwachidingid gwiijikwenaanig.

We travel our beautiful land to fish, hunt, and visit friends.

***E-ndazhikeying ndadaadaaying aapji ko maamiikwaandenoon.
Goon miinwaa giizhig aapji ko gewiinwaa minwaanzoog!***

Homes in our community are often bright beautiful colors. The snow and sky are full of color too!

bisonge: Wenesh enaandeg e-waamdaman pii moka'ang maa ge bangishmok?

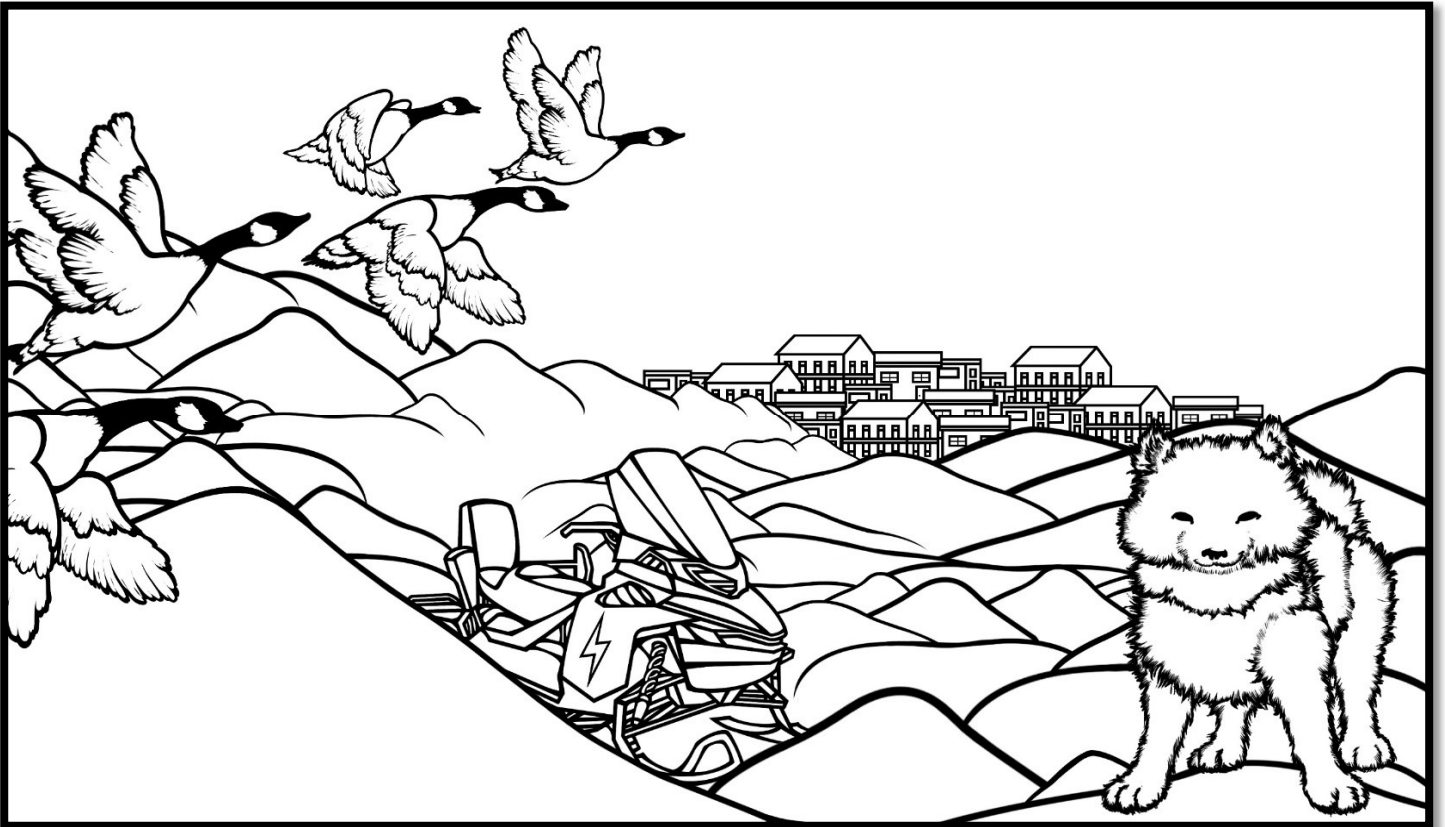
Hint: What colors do you see during sunrise or sunset?

Aanketoon nonda enaandegin genaajwangin oodi sa gdoo-giizhigonming miinwaa gda-goonming.

Add these pretty colors to your sky and snow.

Aaniish ezhnikaazad gday?

What's the name of your dog?



Glossary of Terms

Battery - an electric cell or connected electric cells for providing electric current

Charge - to give an electric charge to a battery

Clean - free from dirt or pollution

Electric - something (such as a light, automobile, or train) operated by electricity

Fleet - a group (as of ships, planes, or trucks) operated under unified control

Transportation – means of travel from one place to another

Definitions above provided by the Merriam-Webster Kids Online Dictionary

<https://www.merriam-webster.com/kids>

Frunk - a covered space at the front of a car, especially an electric car, for carrying or storing things in. Frunk is a combination of the words "front" and "trunk"

Definition of Frunk provided by the Cambridge Online Dictionary

<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/english/frunk>

Emissions – waste gases from gas or diesel vehicles.

ZEV – Is an acronym for **Z**ero **E**mission **V**ehicle. Electric vehicles are **ZEVs**, meaning they do not release any waste gases when the engine is on.