

# JAGUARundi

WHAT IN THE WORLD IS THE  
JAGUARUNDI ANIMAL?



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## Jaguarundi

Our zoological name is *Puma yagouarundi*

But we are NOT a Puma  
and we are NOT a Jaguar.



*Puma concolor*  
Puma, Cougar,  
Mountain lion



*Panthera onca*  
Jaguar

We jaguarundi's are  
NOT small jaguars...  
we have (almost) NO spots  
(not really even when babies)



Adult Jaguarundi



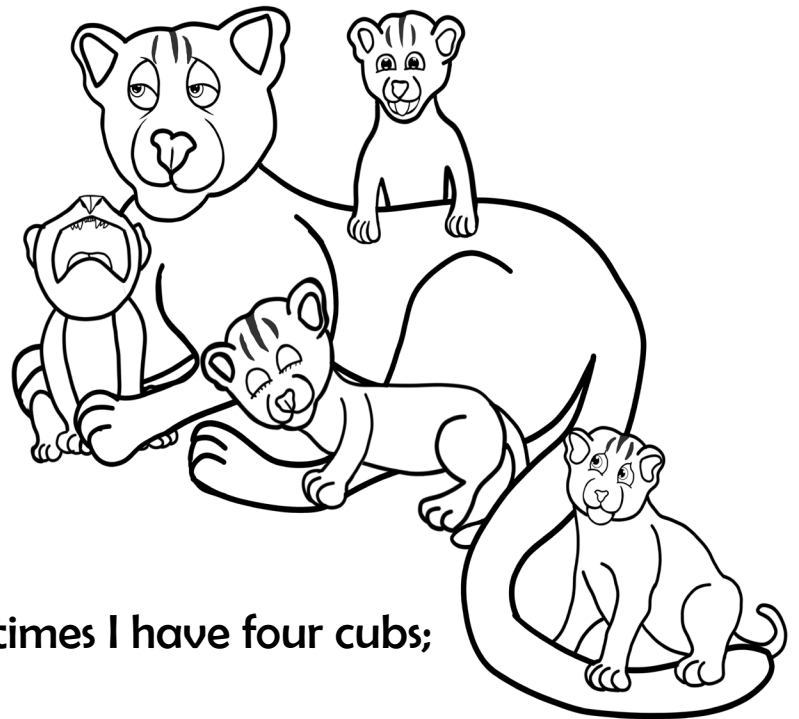
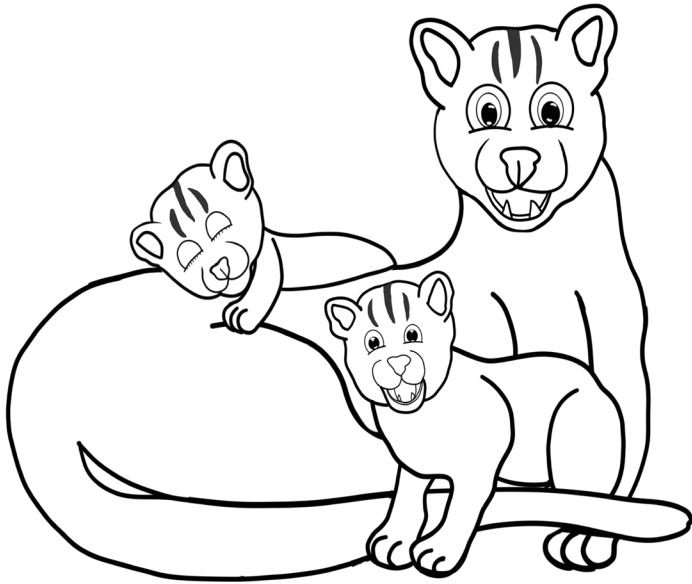
Jaguarundi Cub

*Panthera onca*  
Jaguar cub





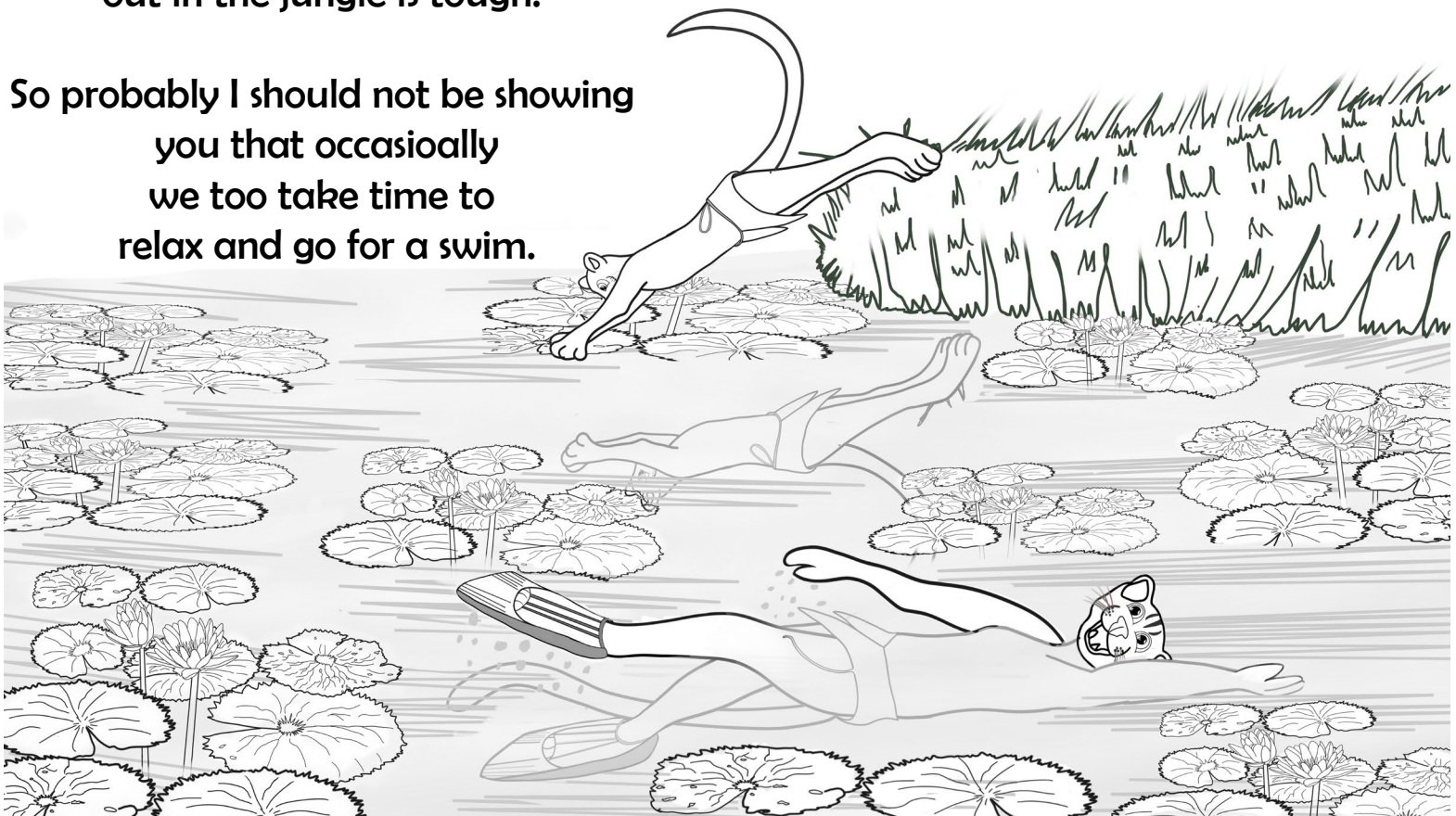
In my family a normal birth  
produces two cubs;



But sometimes I have four cubs;

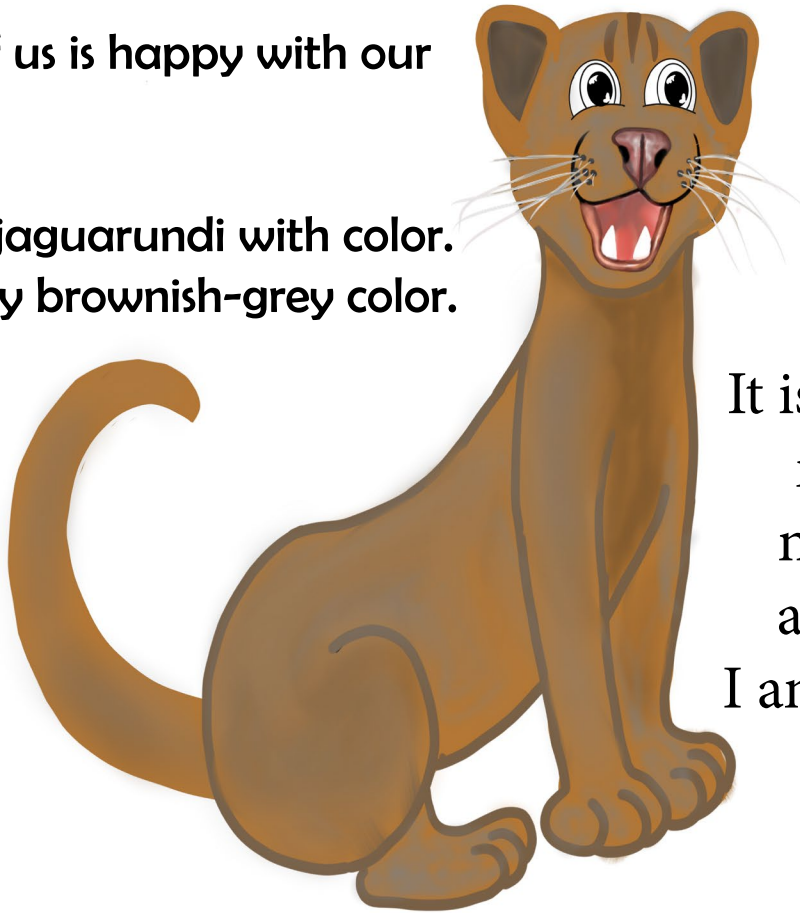
Most humans think our life  
out in the jungle is tough.

So probably I should not be showing  
you that occasioally  
we too take time to  
relax and go for a swim.



Each of us is happy with our colors

I am a jaguarundi with color.  
I like my brownish-grey color.



It is a healthy gray;  
my gray does  
not mean I am  
a grandfather !  
I am a young stud !

Dark jaguarundi



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For more information on fauna: [www.maya-ethnozoology.org](http://www.maya-ethnozoology.org)