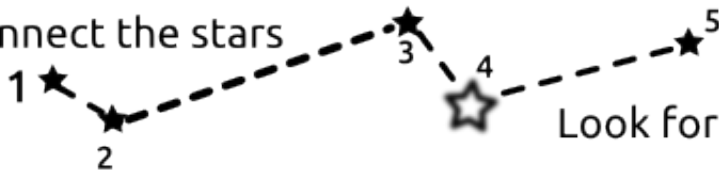
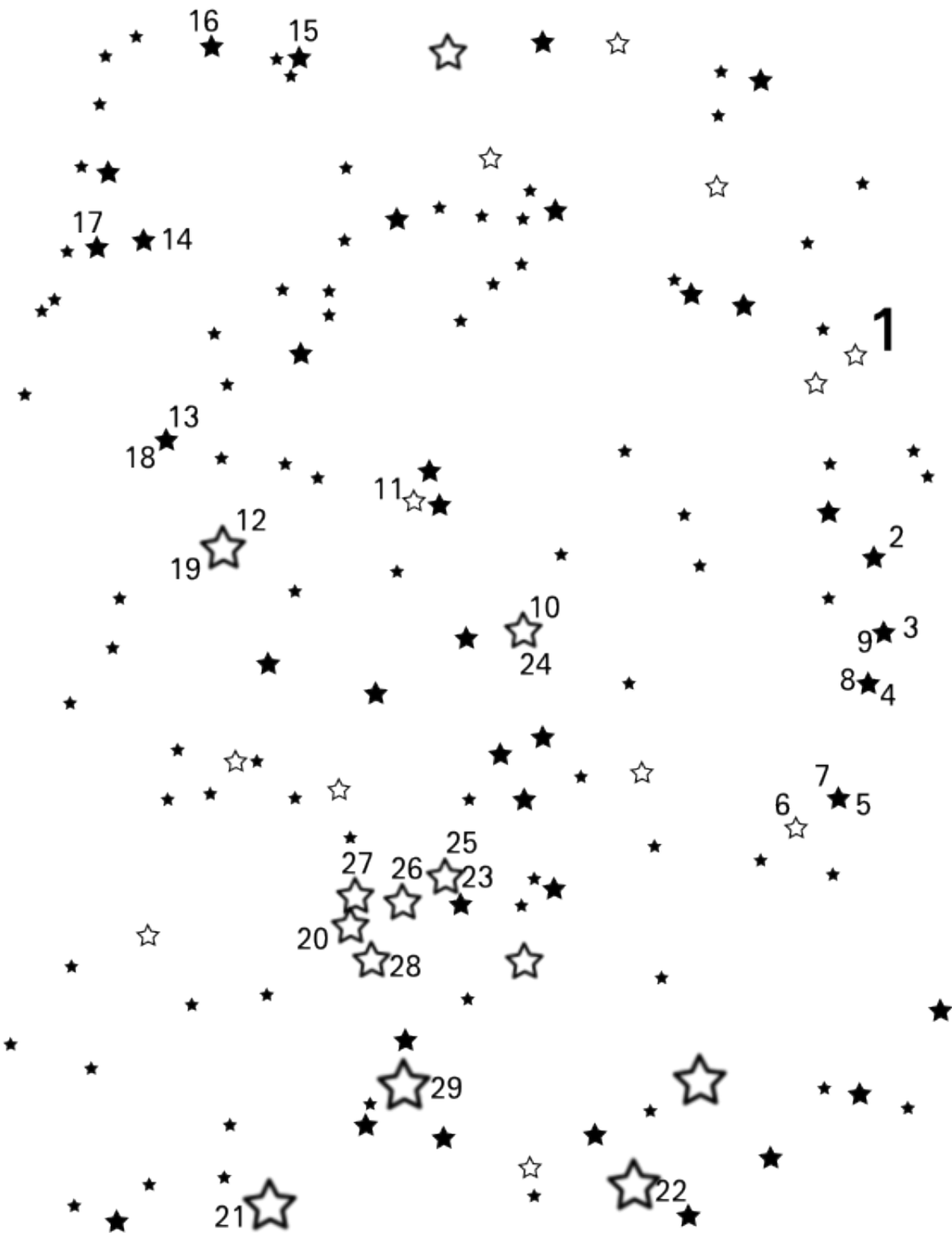


Orion constellation

Connect the stars



Look for the constellation at the sky



In the Greek mythology Orion was a giant and a great hunter. He was very arrogant and dared to claim that he was capable of killing all the animals in the Earth. This upset Gaia (the Earth goddess, and mother of all living creatures) very much, who sent to the Earth a giant scorpion to kill Orion as punishment. At the sky, the constellation of Orion is formed by several stars. The brightest stars are Betelgeuse (12/19), which is a variable red supergiant; a blue giant named Bellatrix (10/24); and Rigel (22) which is not a star but a system of three stars that are rotating around their centre of mass. The most massive star in this system is a blue supergiant.