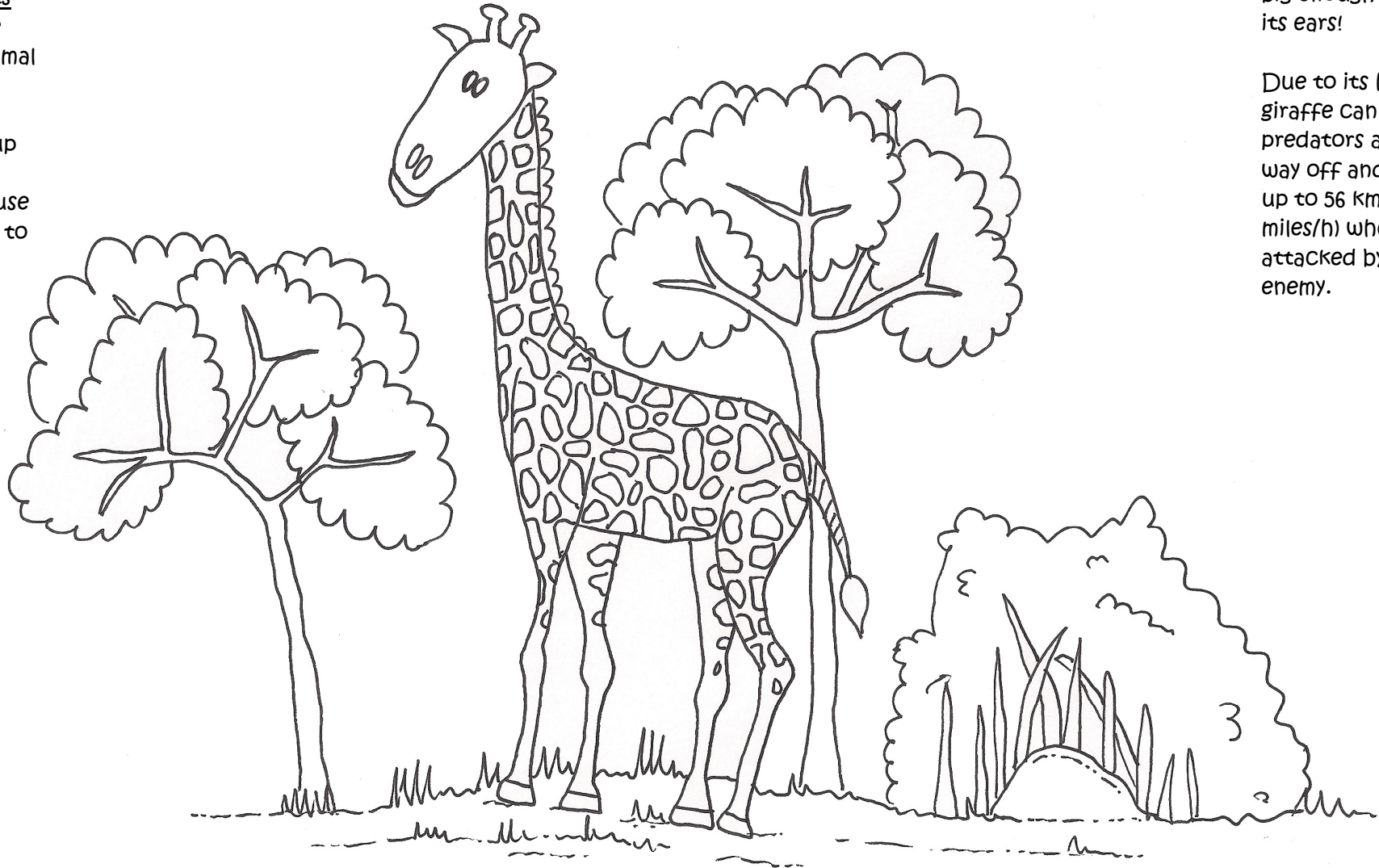


# Giraffe

## Fascinating Facts

Giraffes are the tallest land mammal and live on the African plains. They can grow up to 5 and a half meters tall and use their long necks to reach high up leaves on trees.



A giraffe can have a tongue that is over 50 cm long – big enough to clean its ears!

Due to its height a giraffe can spot predators a long way off and can run up to 56 km/h (35 miles/h) when attacked by an enemy.