

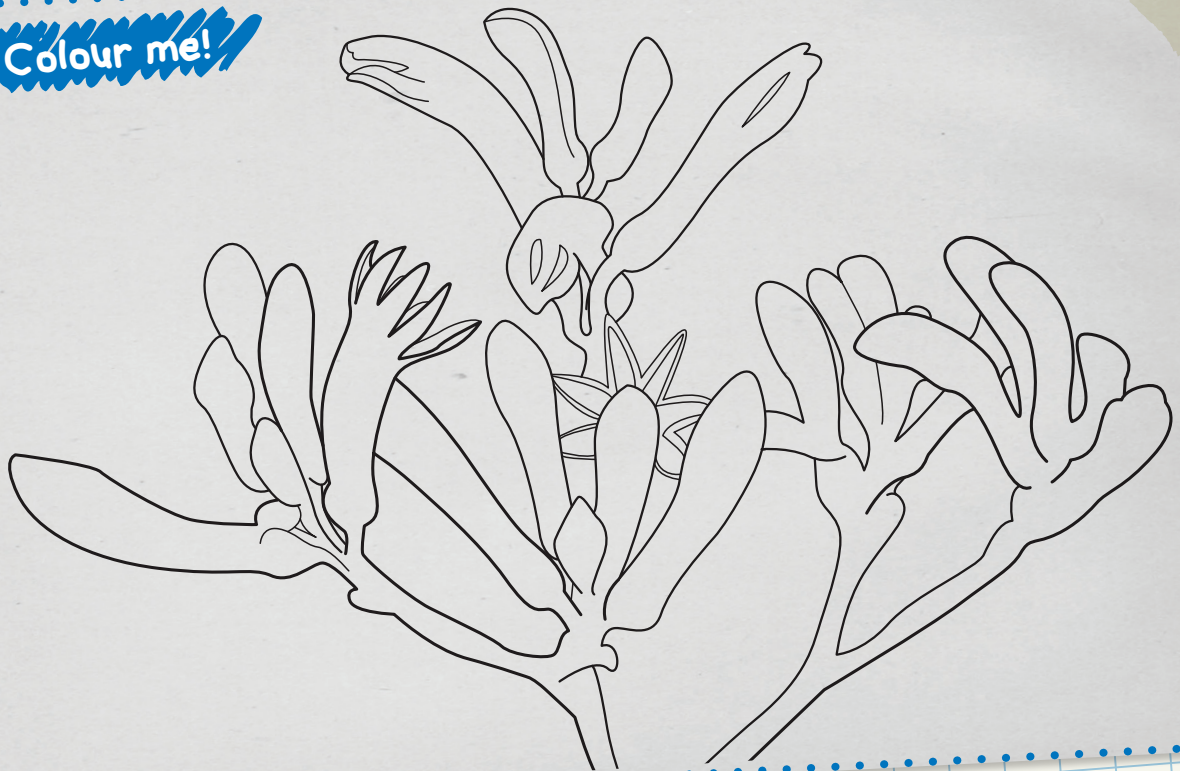
# Letters to David: Plant or Animal?

Dear David,

How's it going mate?

I just bought a plant recently which I thought might interest you. I have sent you a sketch of it. It looks like something familiar, doesn't it? Make a guess!

**Colour me!**



That's right! It looks like an animal's paw! A kangaroo's paw to be exact! That must be why we call it the Kangaroo's Paw here down under. It comes in quite a few colours. I bought the red and yellow ones. It's a great garden plant. Maybe I can bring one for you when I visit next month.

I can't wait to catch up and hear about your trip to South America!

See you, mate!

Cheers,  
Anton



# Letters to David: Plant or Animal?

Dear Anton,

So good to hear from you, my friend! The Kangaroo's Paw sounds like a really fascinating plant! And I can't wait to see you next month too.

I had a wonderful time in South America. I saw so many different plants! I even had the chance to visit some ancient Aztec sites and saw some really old artefacts.

One in particular that really intrigued me, is this mysterious drawing I saw in an ancient parchment. It looks like a tree but what tree could it be? Is that a monkey in the corner? It looks like it is trying to climb the tree but doesn't know how! I wish I could **help the monkey find its way to the top!** This is so puzzling!

I have sent you a photograph of the parchment. Maybe you can make sense of what this drawing is about. I'm sure we shall have plenty to talk about when you visit!

Till then, take care my friend!

Warmest Regards,  
David

