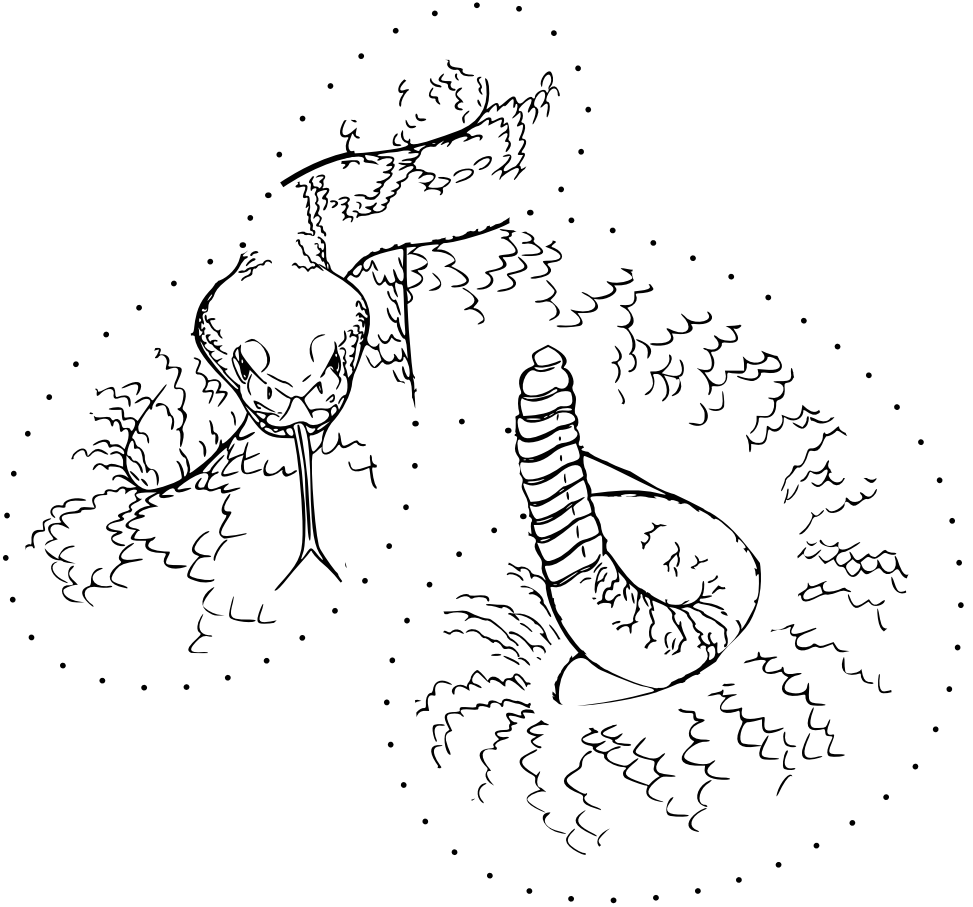


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DIAMONDBACK RATTLESNAKE

Oklahoma Choctaw traditional clothing incorporates a number of different designs, including full diamonds. Traditionally, the band of full diamonds pays homage and respect to nature. The pattern is derived from the skin of the eastern diamondback rattlesnake. Our Choctaw ancestors respected the rattlesnake because of its powerful venom and dominant place among other creatures.