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Community Engagement Unit



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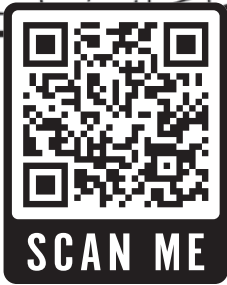
Hi there Friends, I'm J.T. and I'll be your guide through your new Coloring & Activity Book. So grab your pencils and crayons and let's GO!

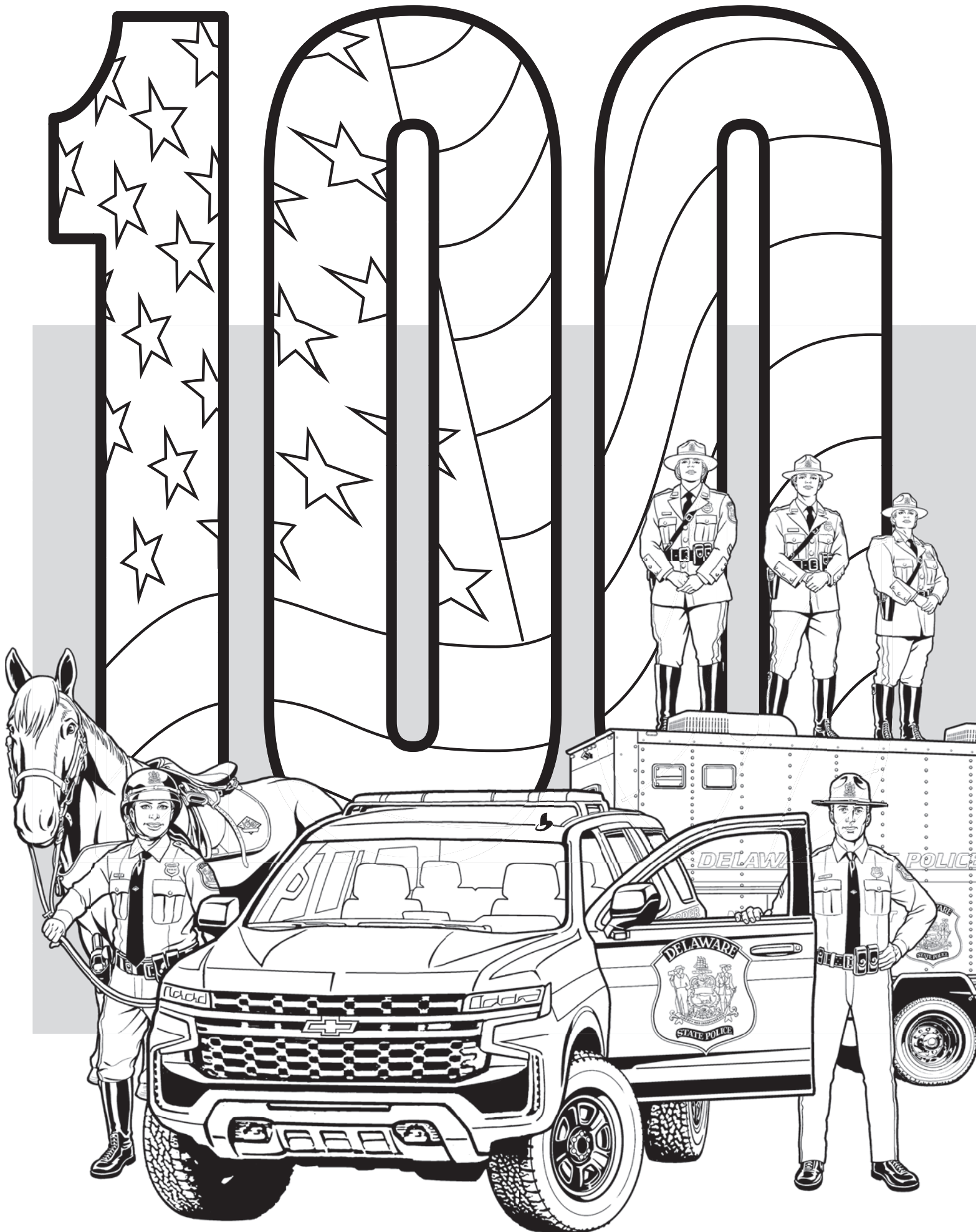
Let me start by telling you about the Delaware State Police Museum in Dover.



It's a great place to visit to learn more about your State Troopers.

Be sure to scan QR Codes like this one for more info about what is on that page.





1923

2023



YEARS OF SERVICE



*"This is your official Junior Trooper Plaque.
Color it, print your name on the badge, sign the pledge
and display it proudly in you room!" -- JT*



I, _____, PLEDGE
TO HELP THE DELAWARE STATE POLICE KEEP
OUR COMMUNITIES SAFE, HEALTHY AND FUN
TO LIVE IN. I PLEDGE TO OBEY ALL LAWS, MY
PARENTS, TEACHERS AND TO BE A GOOD
CITIZEN AND STUDENT.



Let's Play - **WORD SEARCH!**
 Can you find the 23 words listed at the bottom in the shield below? Give it your best try.

H

J	Z	Q	V	P	O	L	I	C	E	K				
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| Honor | Discipline | | Siren | Uniform |
| Integrity | Service | | Canine | Duty |
| Courage | Police | Safety | Badge | Pride |
| Loyalty | Trooper | Helpful | Protect | Hero |
| Attitude | Law | Arrest | Patrol | Trust |

"Specially trained animals often assist Troopers and are important to the success of their mission."

JT



Tangled Leashes

Fifo



Winnie

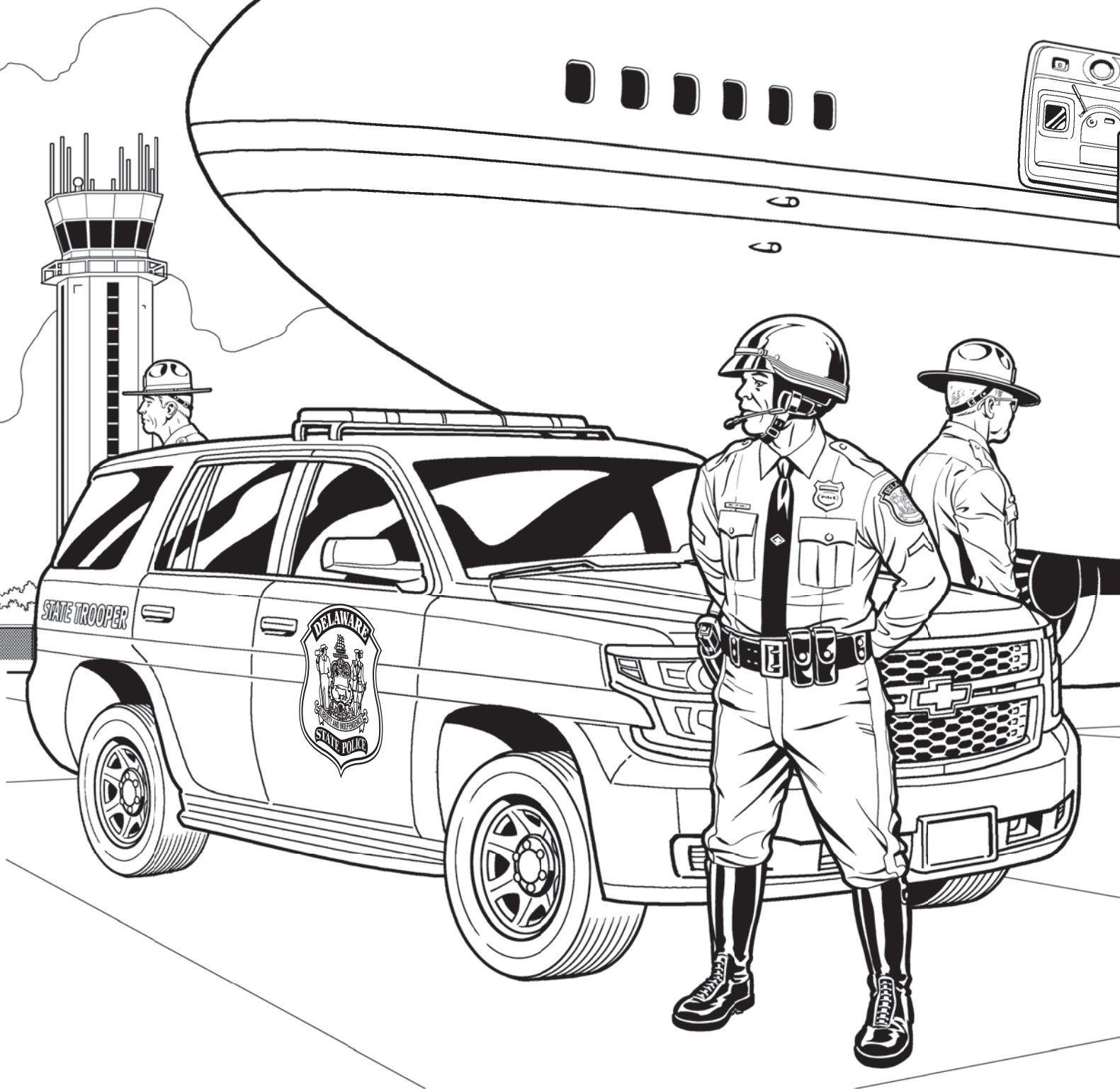


Rex



"Hey kids -- Winnie needs her collar but the leash straps are tangled. Can you help our Troopers untangle them? Follow each strap and write the dog's name next to the handle of their leash." --

*Delaware State Troopers
routinely provide services
that help to make our
communities safer...*



...such as directing traffic, assisting lost, stranded or disabled motorists, controlling crowds and many more.

But one of their most important duties is protecting the President of the United States whenever he visits Delaware.



*You should never be afraid
to reach out to a police officer
if you need help.*

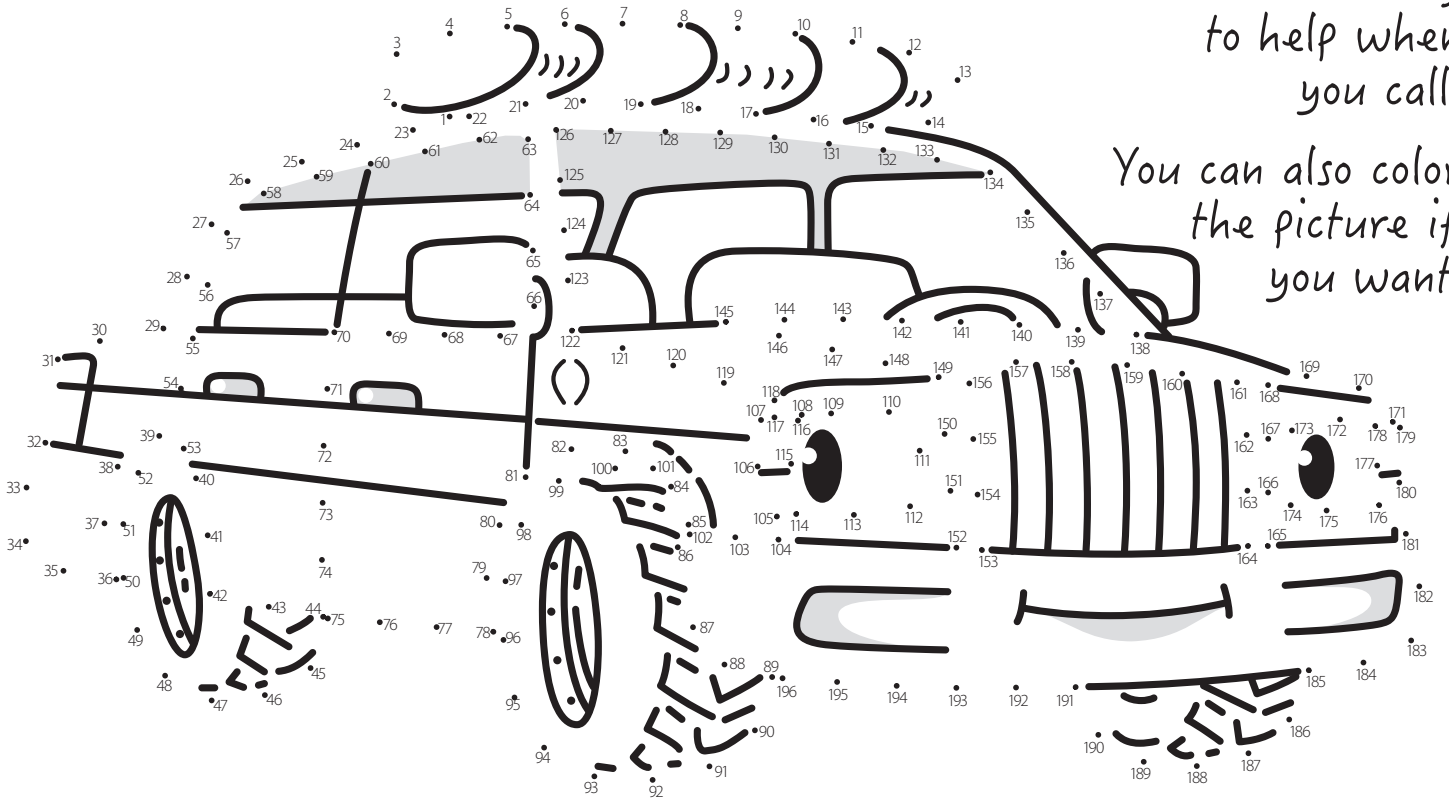


DOTS!

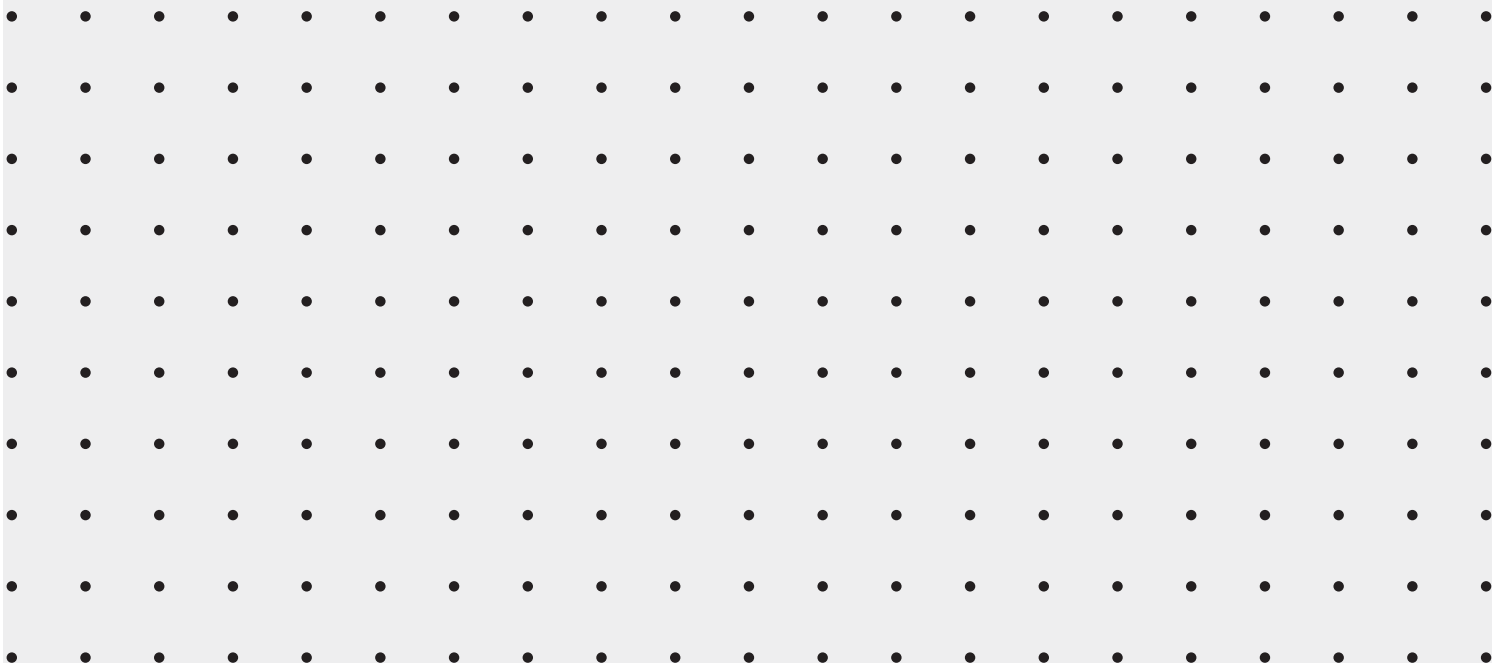
CONNECT
THE DOTS

to see who is coming
to help when
you call.

You can also color
the picture if
you want.



DOTS WITH FRIENDS – Take turns connecting 2 dots. When you make a square, put your initials in it. The player with the most squares wins!



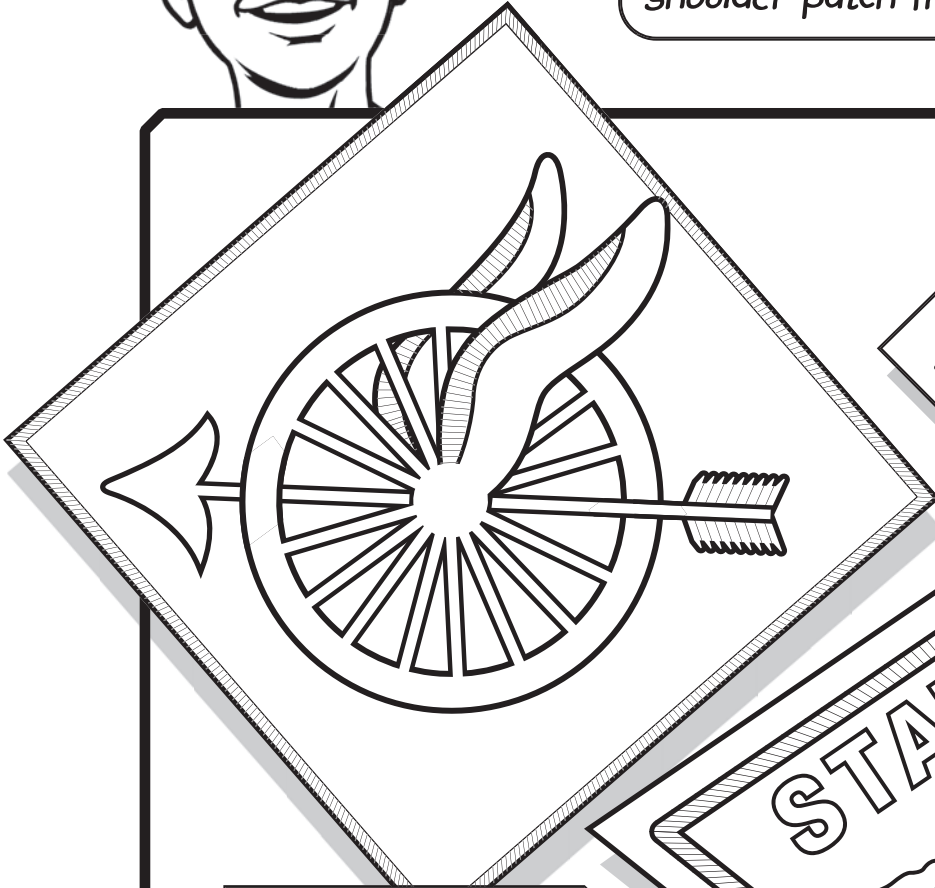
*Troopers are always there to lend a hand,
Keep you safe, and help the community.*



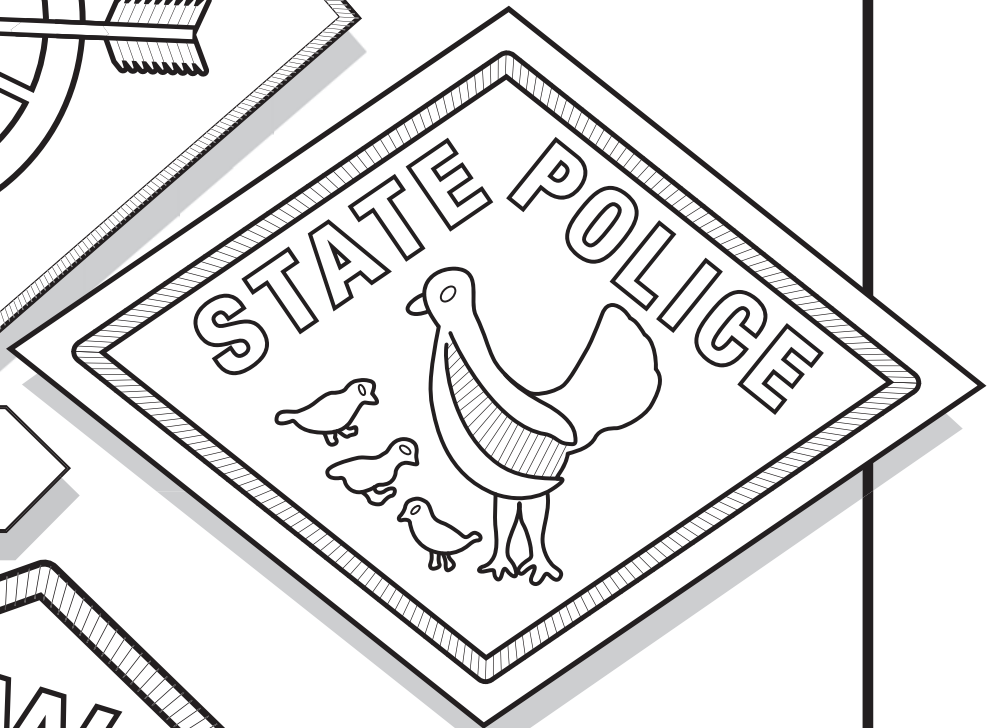


Hey friends, below is a gallery of the official Delaware State Police patches from the past one hundred years.

On the following page, you'll find the current shoulder patch from 1956 to the present day.



1923 to 1932
"WINGED WHEEL"



1932 to 1944
"CHICK PATCH"



1944 to 1956
"DIAMOND PATCH"

CURRENT SHIELD PATCH



"Scan this QR Code to see photos showing the official colors for these patches." - -



Fun Facts

The first patrol vehicles used by the Delaware State Police were motorcycles.



What number should you dial in an emergency?

In 1931, the name of the organization, by act of the General Assembly, was officially changed from "State Highway Police" to "State Police".



In late 1960, the DE State Police acquired its 1st fixed wing aircraft which led to the beginning of the Aviation Unit.

There are 47 police stations in Delaware.

Do you know the one nearest to your home?

Do YOU know the date that the Delaware State Police was formed?

(clues can be found elsewhere in this activity book.) 😊

Since the 1950s, DSP uniforms reflected the state's colors of "blue and gold". In the past, DSP used military-type colors of navy and green.

BREAKING BARRIERS

1969 saw the hiring of the first African American Trooper, followed seven years later, in 1976, by the first female Trooper.

The first Delaware State Police Canine Unit was established in 1925.



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