



Two Selkie Stories from Scotland
Activity Sheet

About the Author

Kate Forsyth wrote her first novel at the age of seven, and is now a bestselling, award-winning author who has been published in 15 countries. She has been voted one of Australia's Favourite 20 Novelists. Kate has spoken at conferences and festivals around the world, including at Oxford University, and has taught writing in the UK, the US, Fiji, Greece, Singapore and Australia. She recently finished her doctorate of creative arts in fairy tale retellings.



About the Illustrator

Fiona McDonald is an Australian artist, illustrator and author. Based in Armidale, she has had many books published internationally, including an illustrated novel for children, *Ghost Doll and Jasper*, and a bestselling history of street art, *The Popular History of Graffiti: From the Ancient World to the Present*. Fiona has illustrated books by Kate Forsyth, Adele Geras, and Jenny Blackford amongst others. Her latest picture book is *Edward's War* published by Little Pink Dog Books.



Word Search

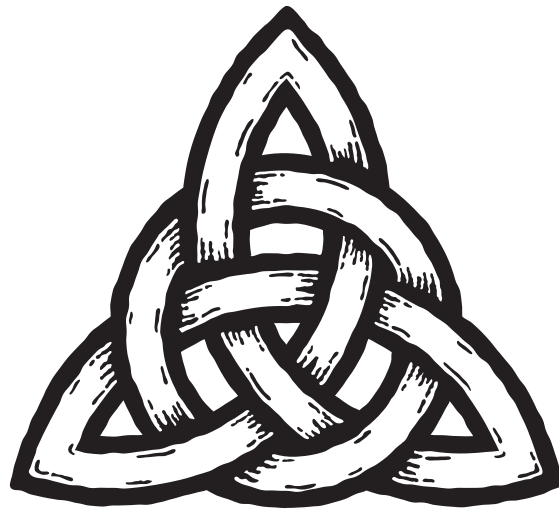
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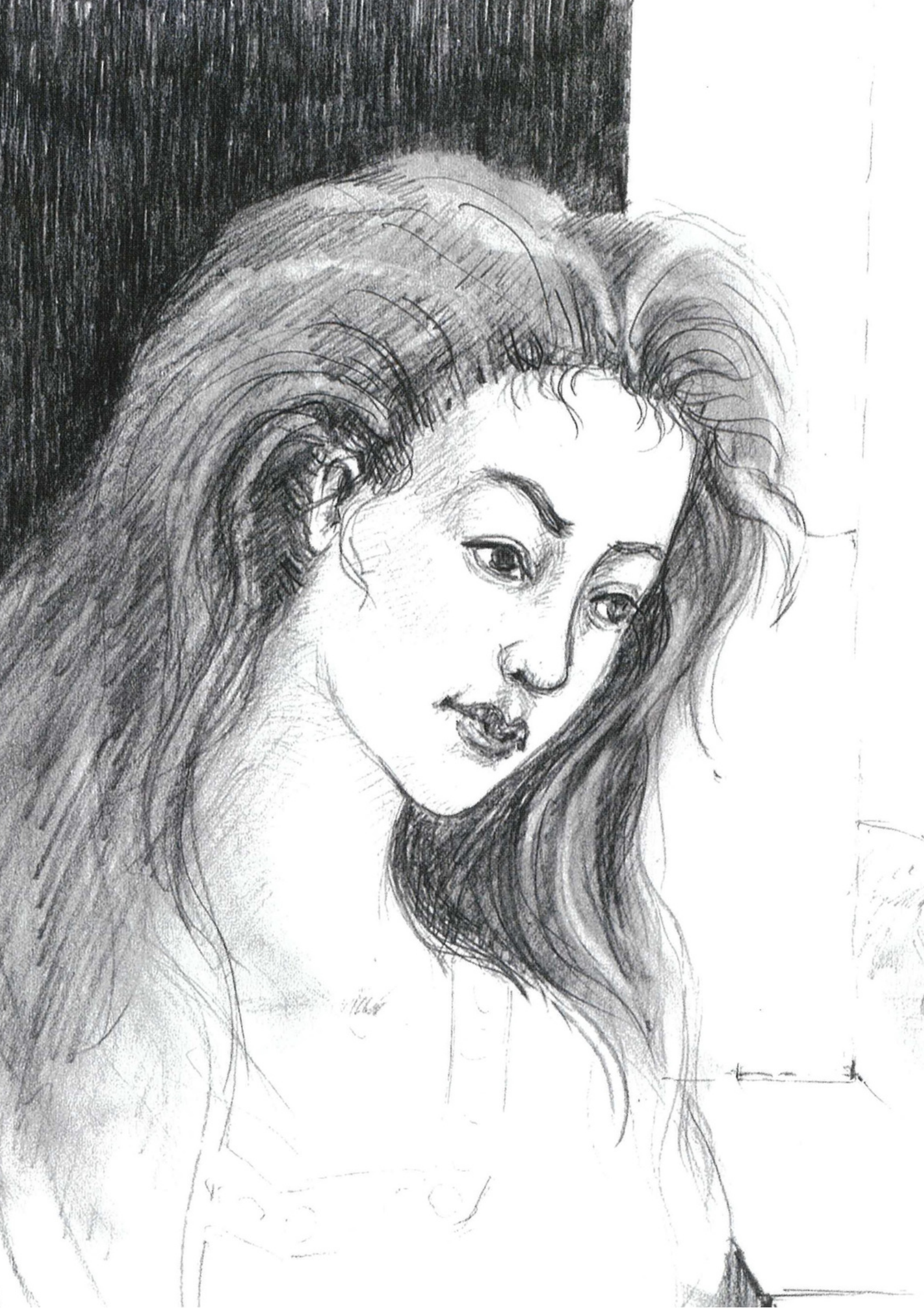
Hunter, Sealskin, Laird, Scotland, Bride,

Dougal, Selkie, Marella, Bairn, Waves

Colouring Pages

Have fun colouring in these illustrations done by Fiona McDonald and featured in the *Two Selkie Stories* book!









With some help from your parent or teacher, look up these Scots words and explain what they mean.

Bairn:

Laird:

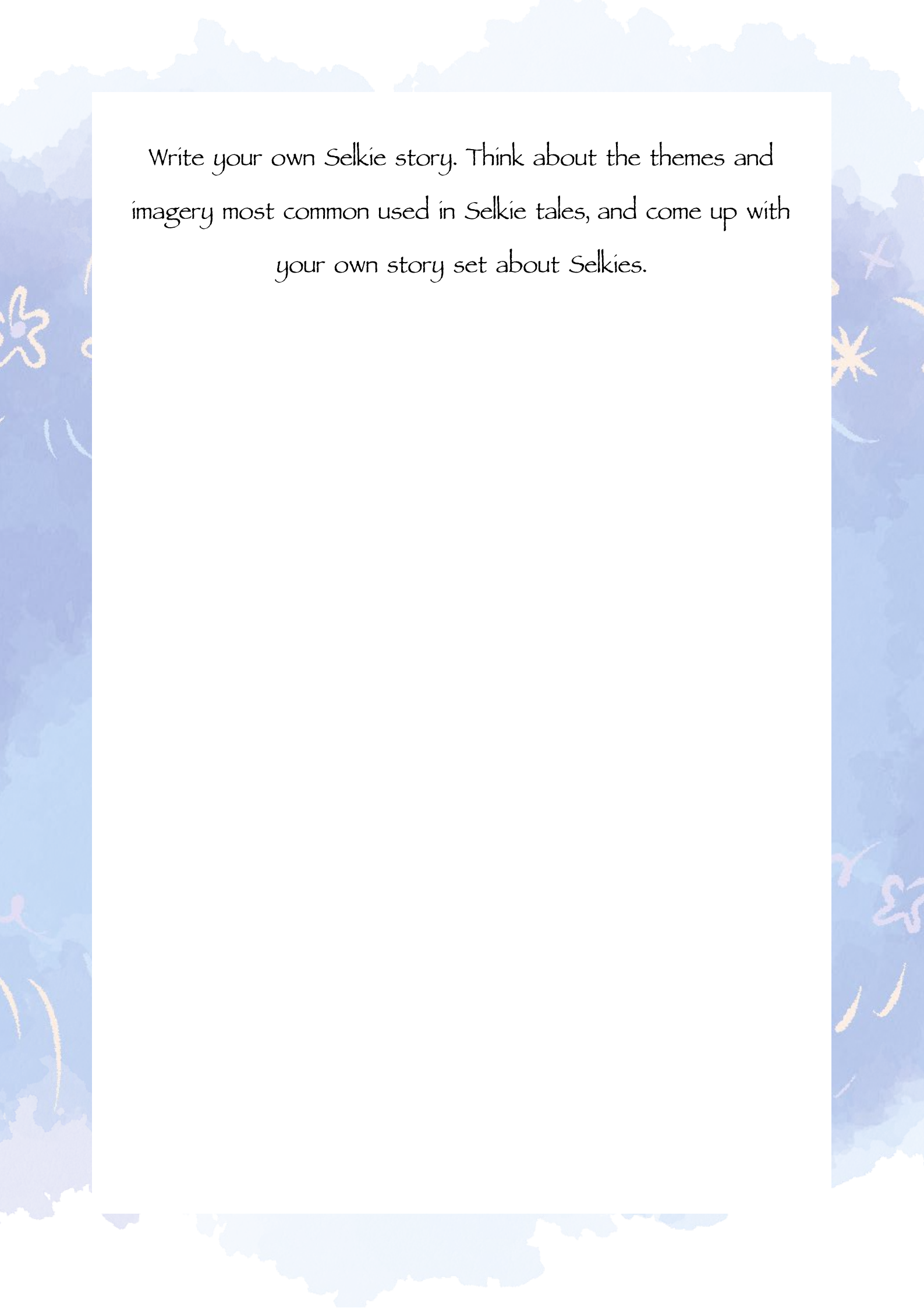
Bonny:

Braw:

Dreich:

Sláinte:

Loch:



Write your own Selkie story. Think about the themes and imagery most common used in Selkie tales, and come up with your own story set about Selkies.

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In addition to record-keeping, it is also important to understand the various tax deductions and credits available. These can significantly reduce the amount of tax owed. However, each deduction or credit has specific requirements that must be met in order to qualify for it.

Finally, it is important to consult with a tax professional if you are unsure about any aspect of your tax situation. A professional can provide personalized advice based on your specific circumstances and help you navigate the complex world of taxes.

