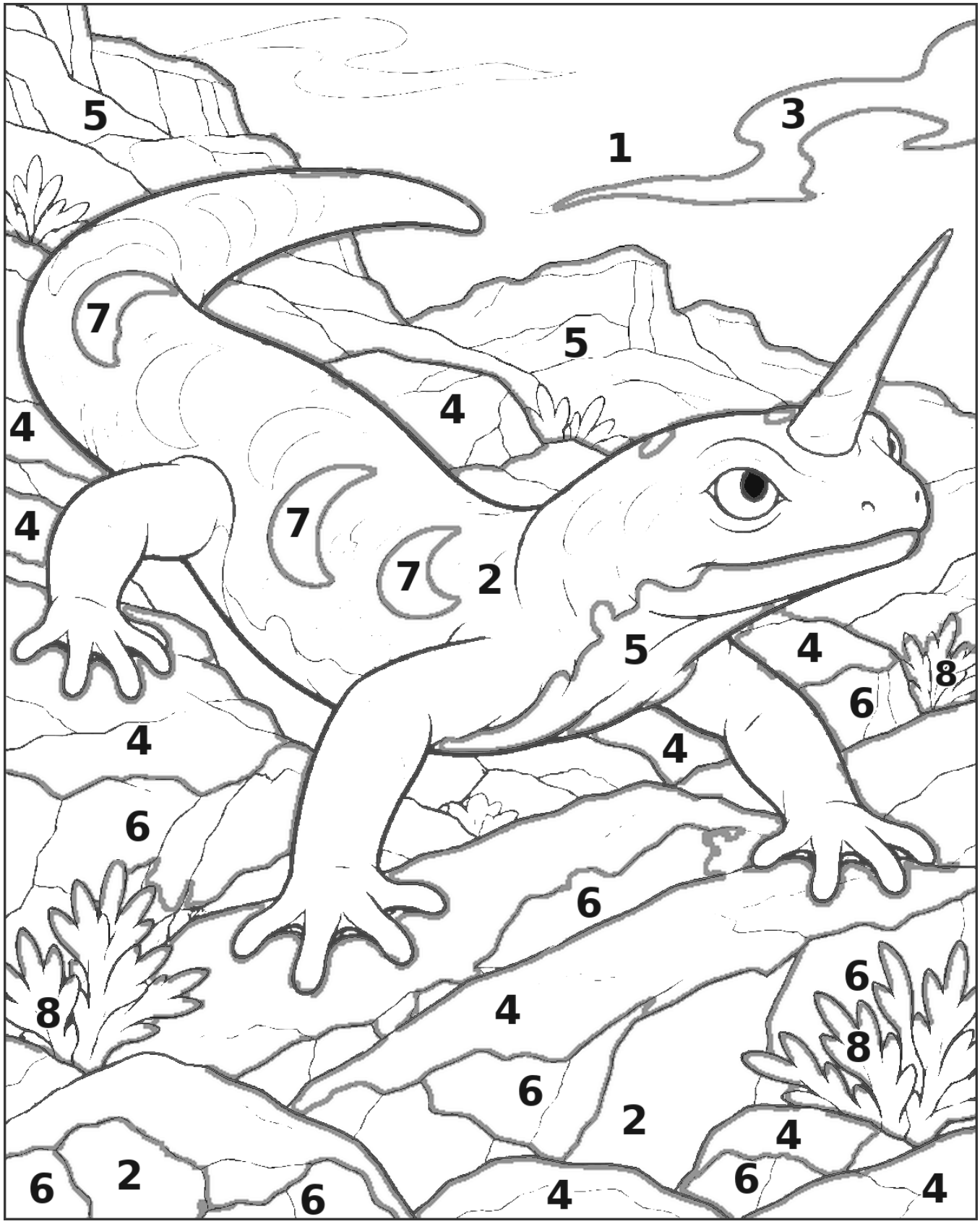
# Cinder Salamander

Why do fire salamanders have bright markings?






**1** Sky
**2** Walnut
**3** Parchment
**4** Rust
**5** Gold
**6** Chestnut
**7** Copper
**8** Sage

**Did you know?** The black and yellow pattern of a fire salamander acts as a warning. Its skin can release a substance that tastes bad or irritates a predator. Bright colors help the animal advertise that defense.