adobe illustrator
PEN TOOL REFRESHER

Using the Pen Tool takes practice, below are a variety of objects you can trace to practice pulling curves, drawing straight lines, and using the ALT key to change directions when pulling curves. Trace each object and then fill in when the color in the directions below.

PEN TOOLS

■ ✏	Pen Tool	(P)
⌐	Anchor Point Tool	(Shift+C)
⁺✏	Add Anchor Point Tool	(+)
✏	Delete Anchor Point Tool	(–)

Before you start, make sure your Pen Tool Properties set like this:

Appearance
- ⬜ Fill
- ⬛ Stroke   3 pt
- ▦ Opacity   100%   >

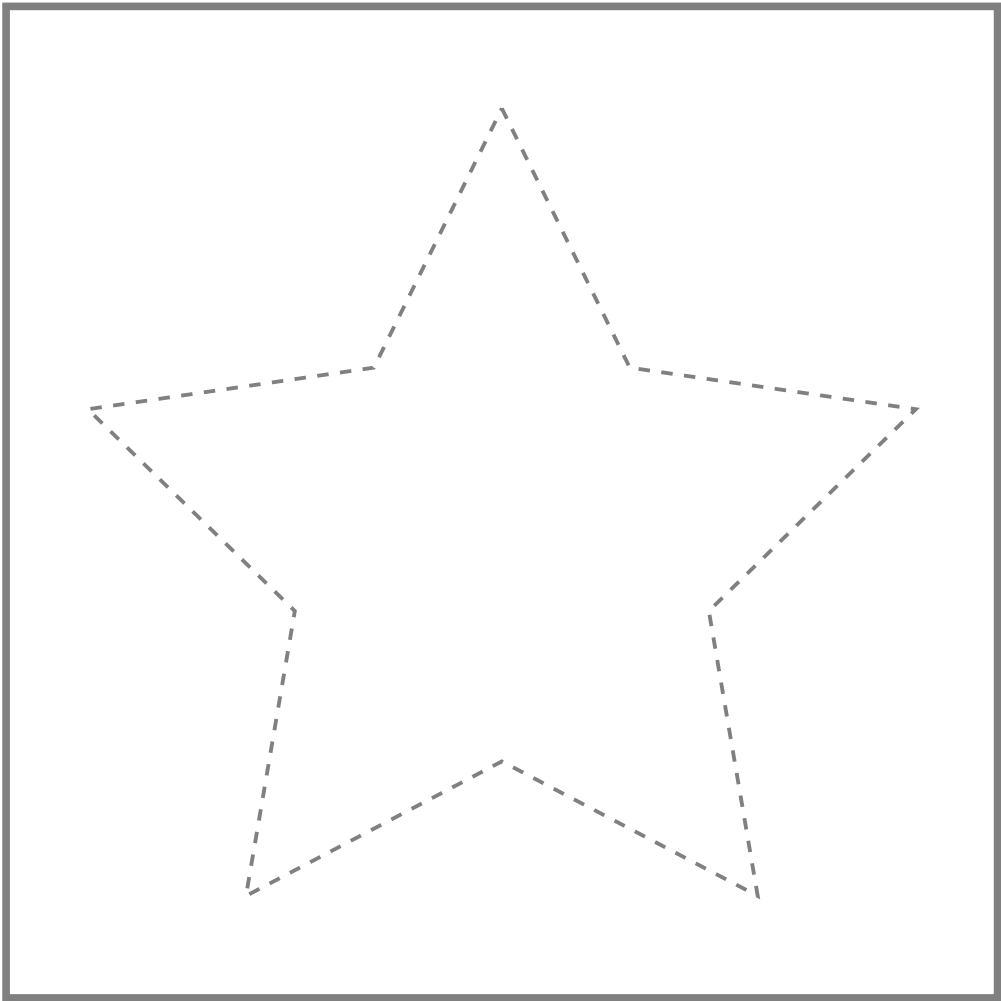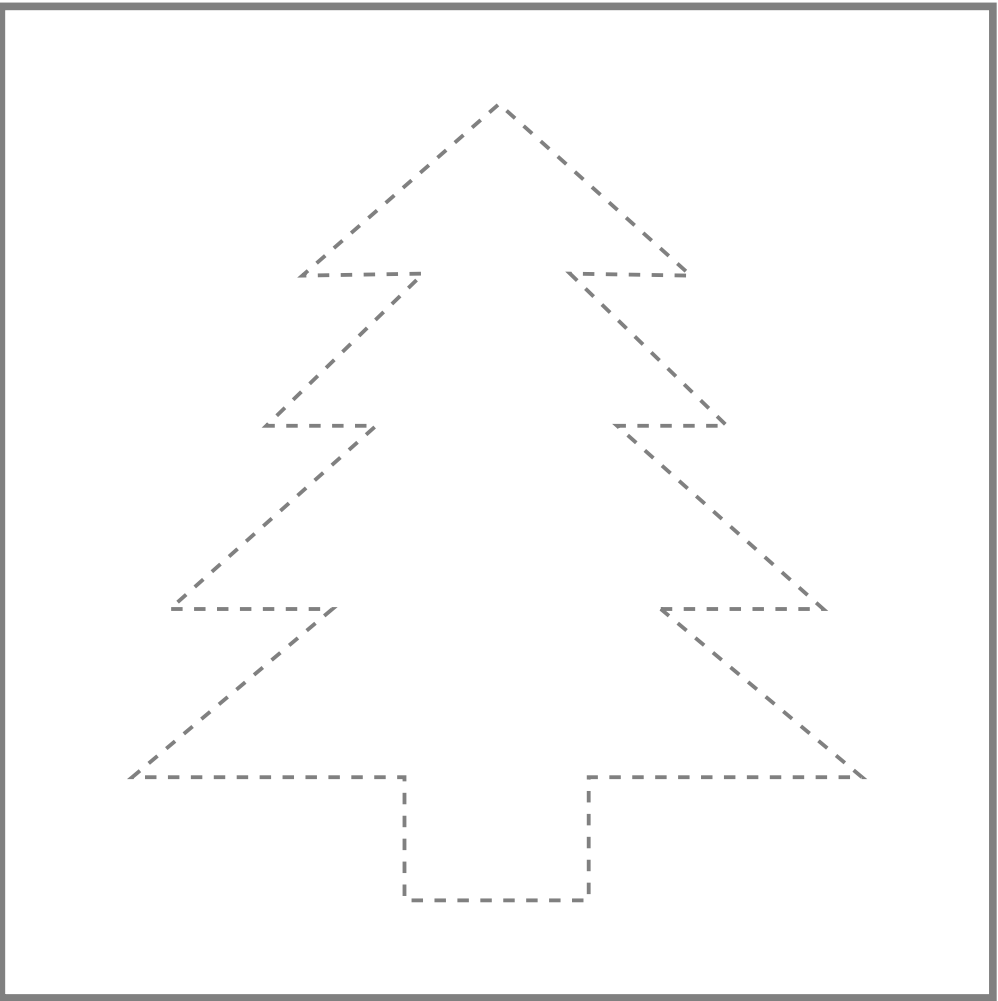## PEN TOOL BEHAVIOR SIGNS
These symbols will display at times when using the Pen Tools, so before you start, make sure you know what each of them mean!

✏* starting a new path   ✏₊ add an anchor point to the path

✏↳ corner point sign   ✏ₒ closing the path

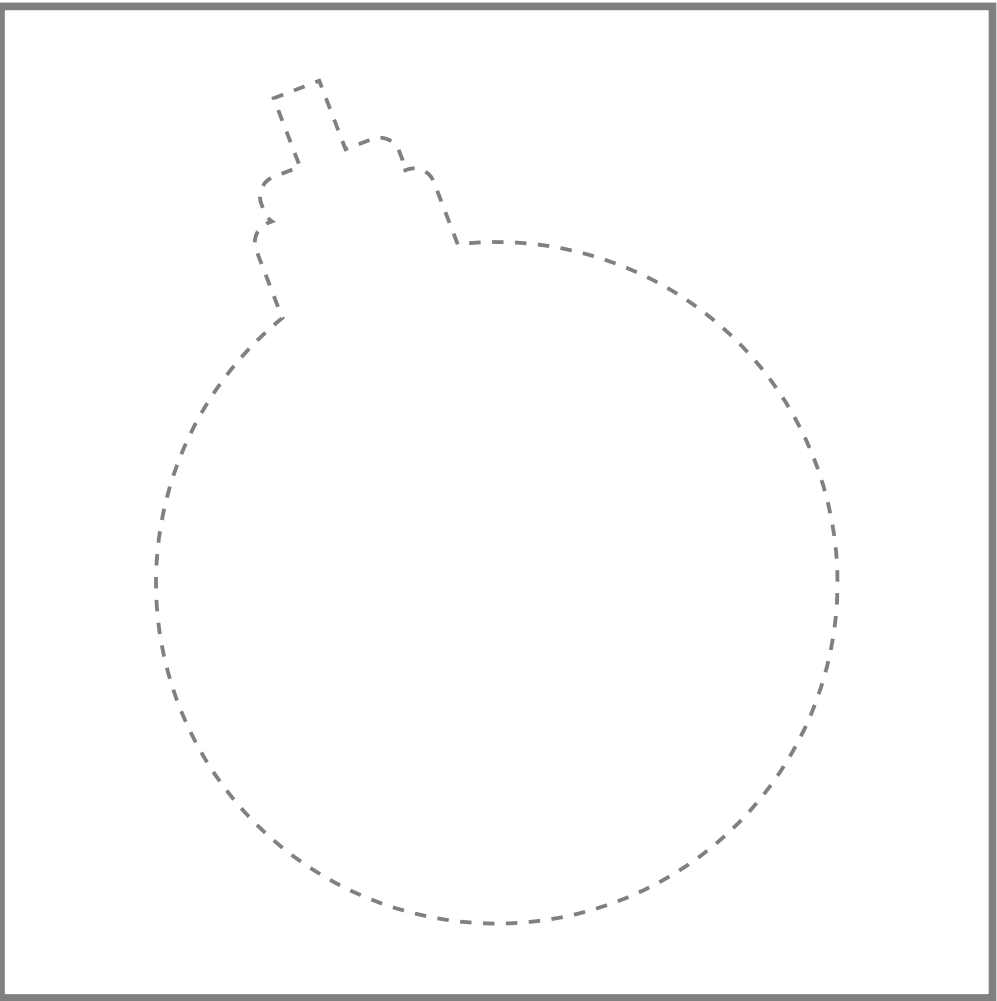✏╱ add to/continue a path   ✏₋ delete a anchor point on the path

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STAR
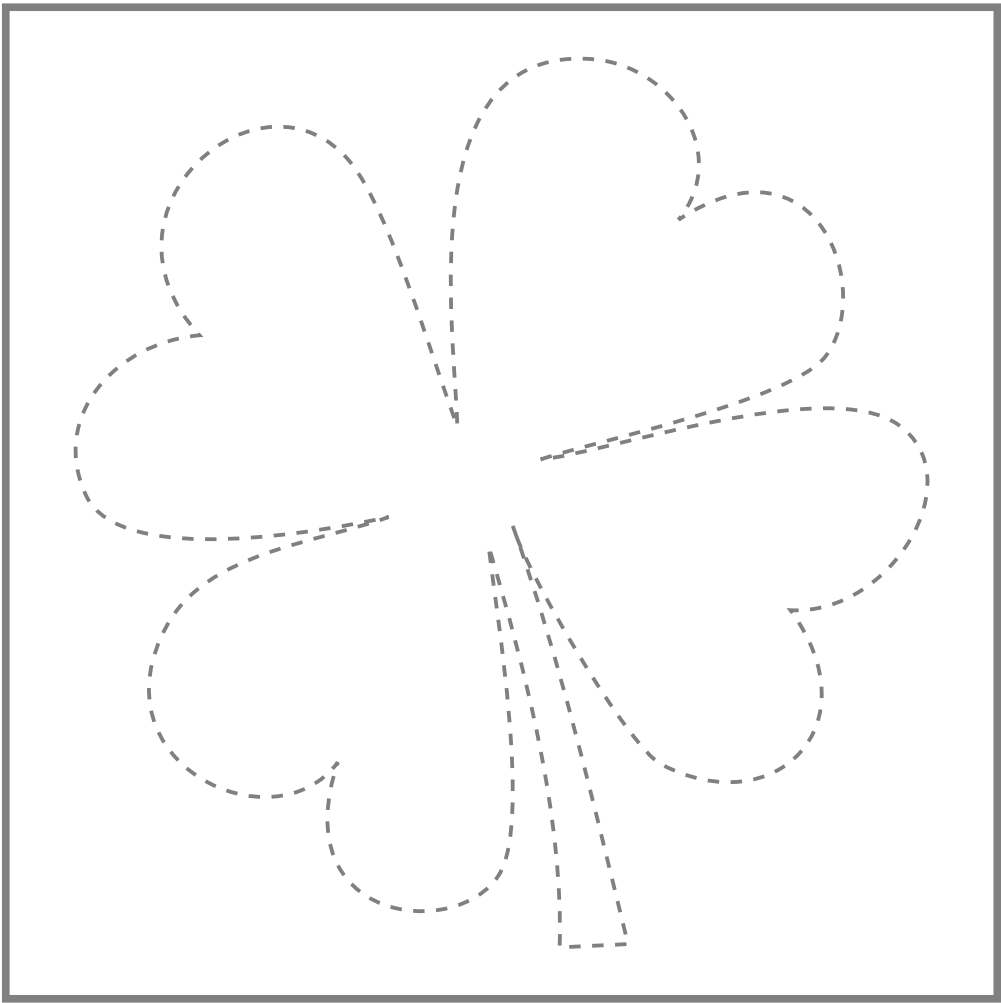Trace the star using only the pen tool, fill in with **yellow** when you have finished.

TREE
Trace the tree using only the pen tool, fill in with **green** when you have finished.
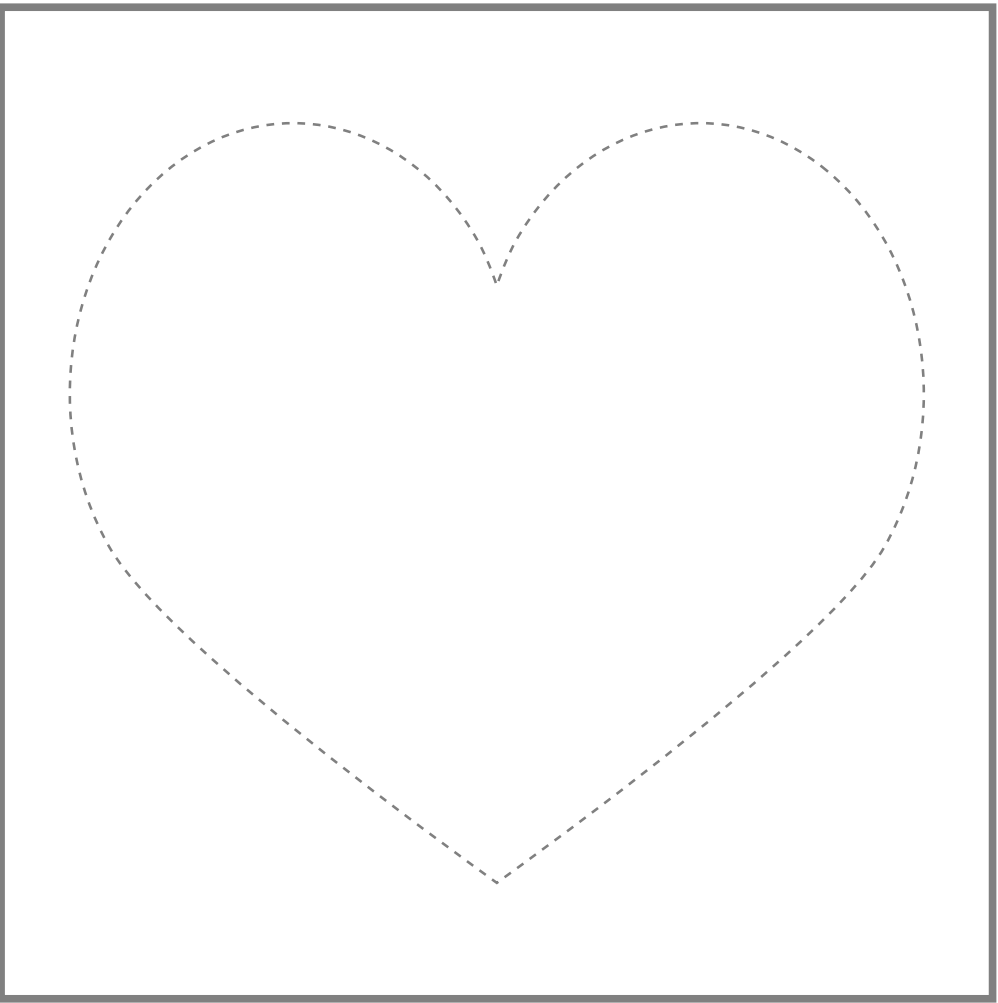
ORNAMENT
Trace the ornament and fill in with **red** when you have finished.

CLOVER
Trace the clover using only the pen tool, fill in with **green** when you have finished.

HEART
Trace the heart using only the pen tool, fill in with **pink** when you have finished.

FLOWER
Trace the flower using only the pen tool, fill in with **blue** when you have finished.