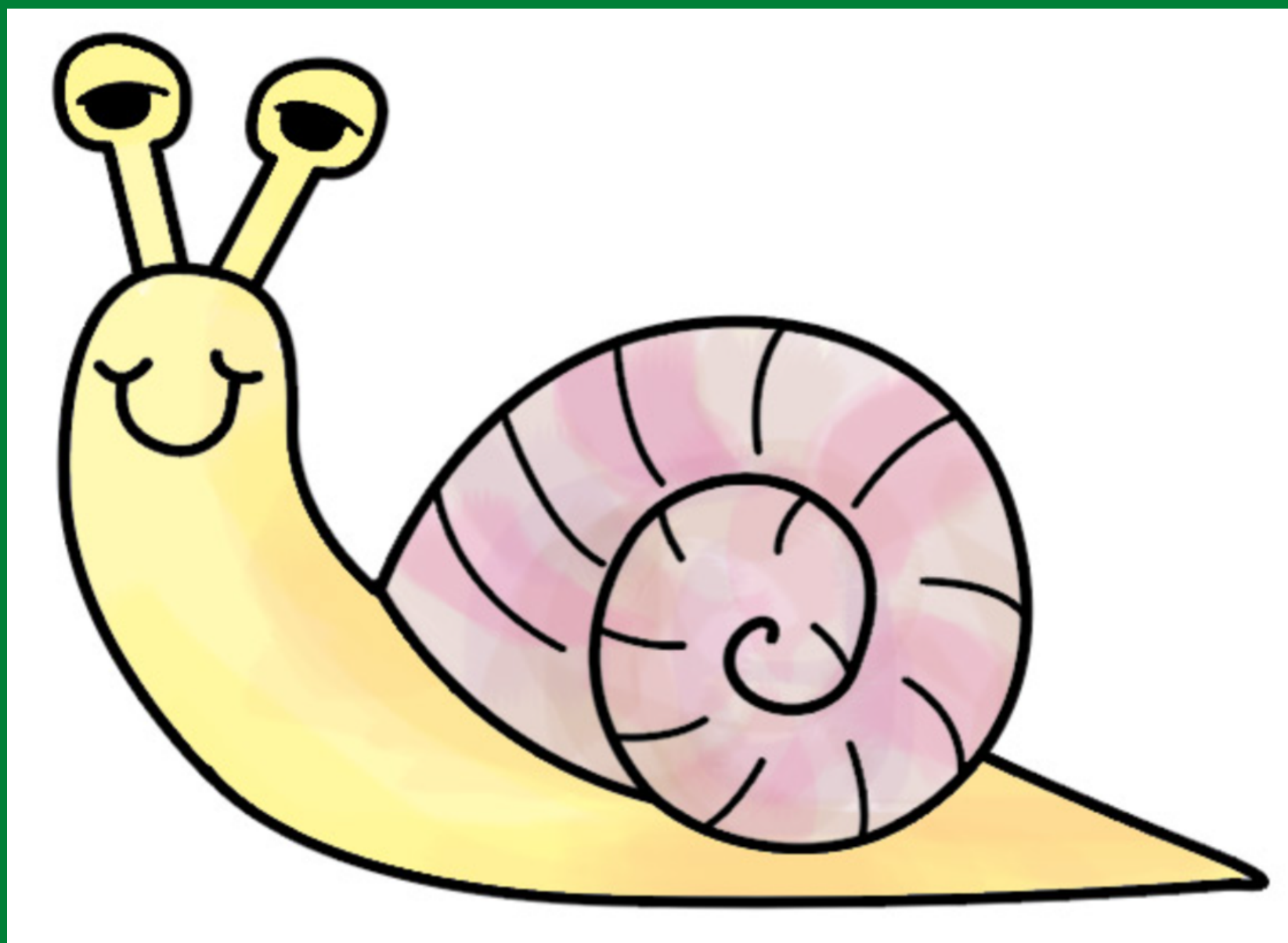


HOW TO DRAW A CARTOON SNAIL

- GRADES 8-12

THIS DRAWING TEACHES STUDENTS HOW TO DRAW A
CARTOON SNAIL USING CURVED LINES.

MATERIALS: PAPER, PENCILS, CRAYONS,
WATERCOLOR, PASTELS



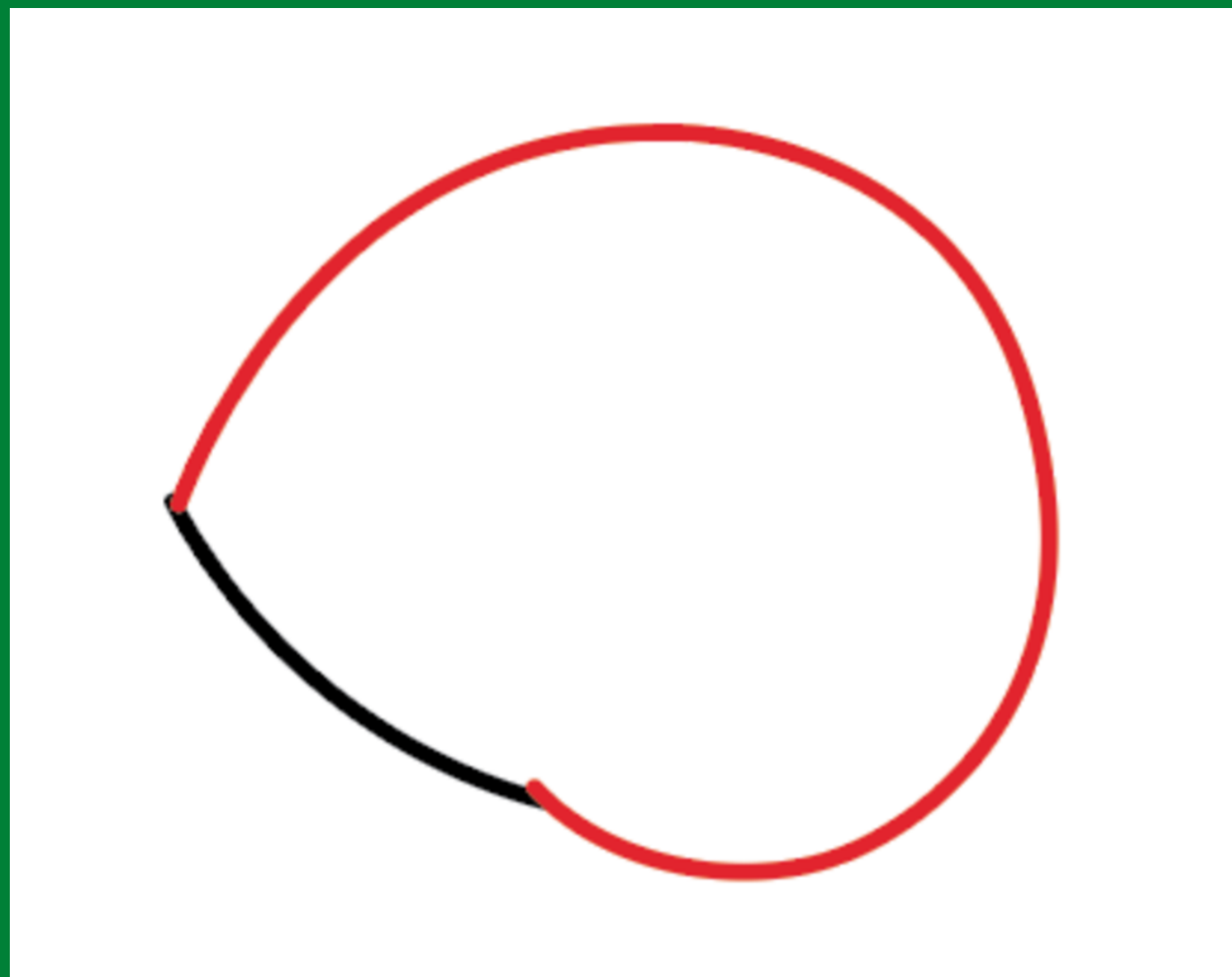
STEP 1

TO MAKE THE SNAIL SHELL LOOK
SOMEWHAT REALISTIC (SO NOT
JUST A CIRCLE), START BY
DRAWING A CURVED LINE AT AN
ANGLE.



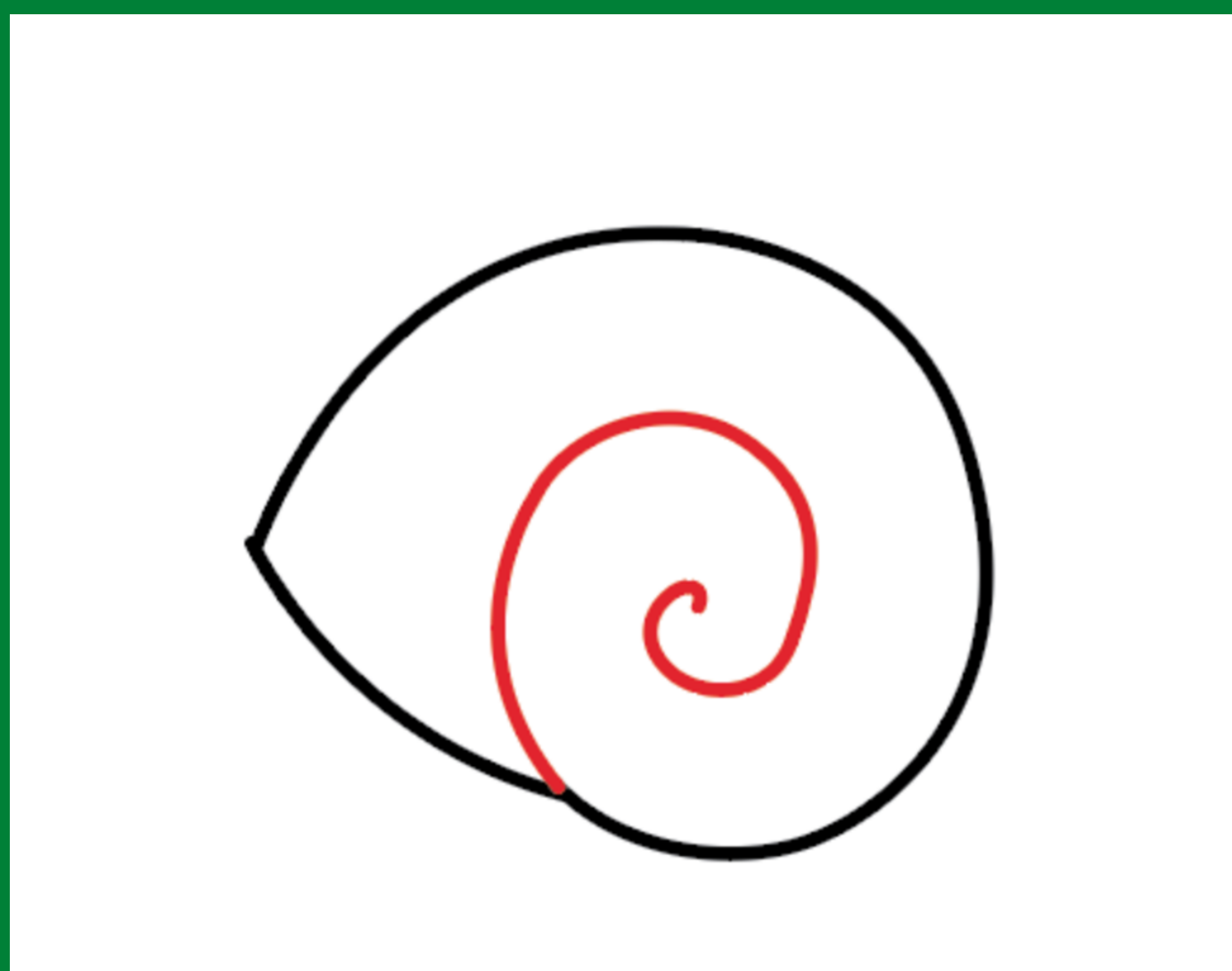
STEP 2.

NOW DRAW THE SHELL. START FROM THE TOP OF THE LINE YOU PREVIOUSLY DREW. START DRAWING A CIRCLE/OVAL SHAPE AND BRING IT ALL THE WAY AROUND TO THE BOTTOM END OF THE LINE FROM STEP 1.



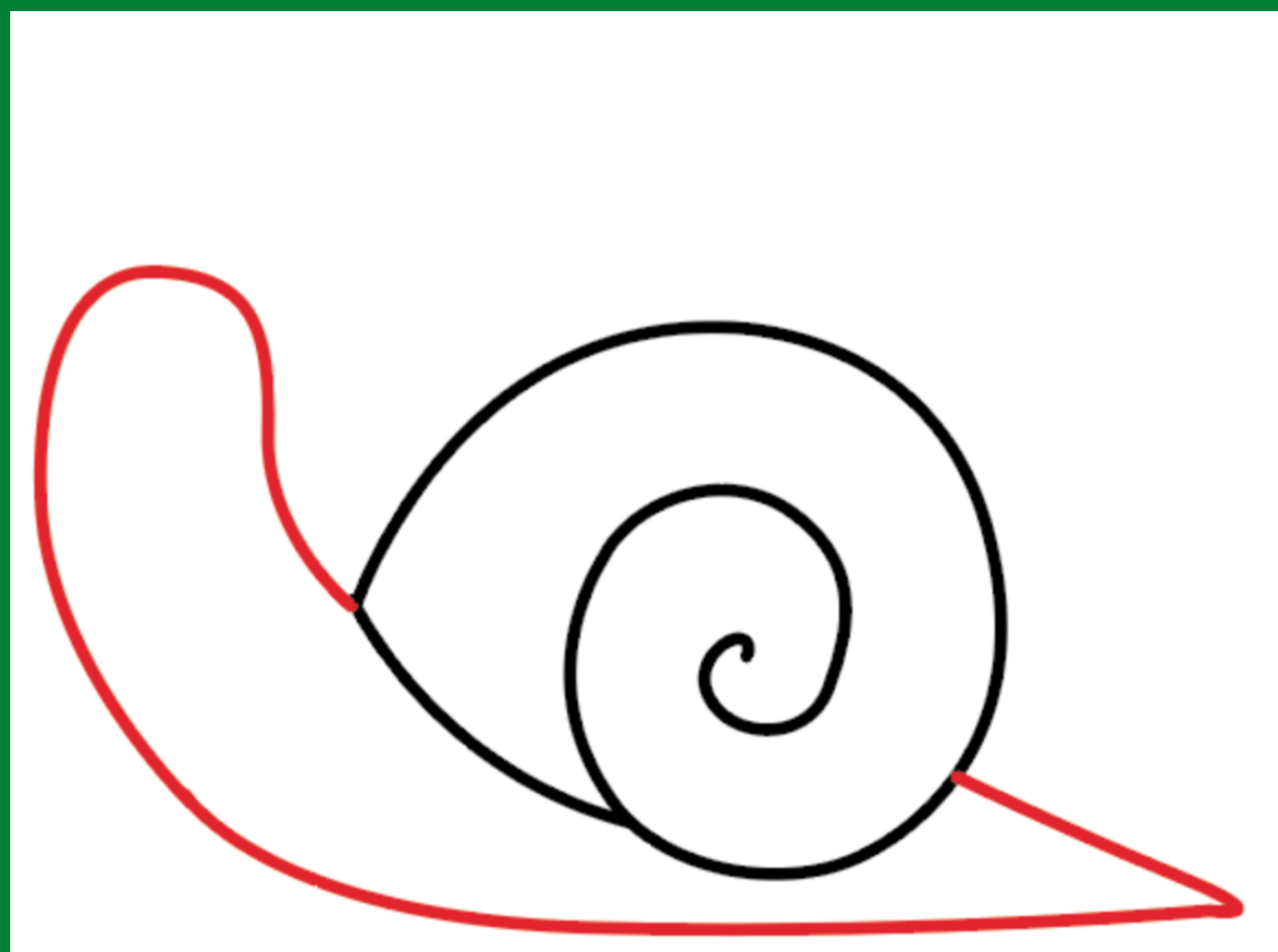
STEP 3.

MAKE THE SPIRAL IN THE SNAIL SHELL. START WHERE YOU ENDED THE OUTSIDE LOOP AND WORK YOUR WAY TO THE CENTER OF THE SPIRAL. YOU HAVE JUST DRAWN A SNAIL SHELL!



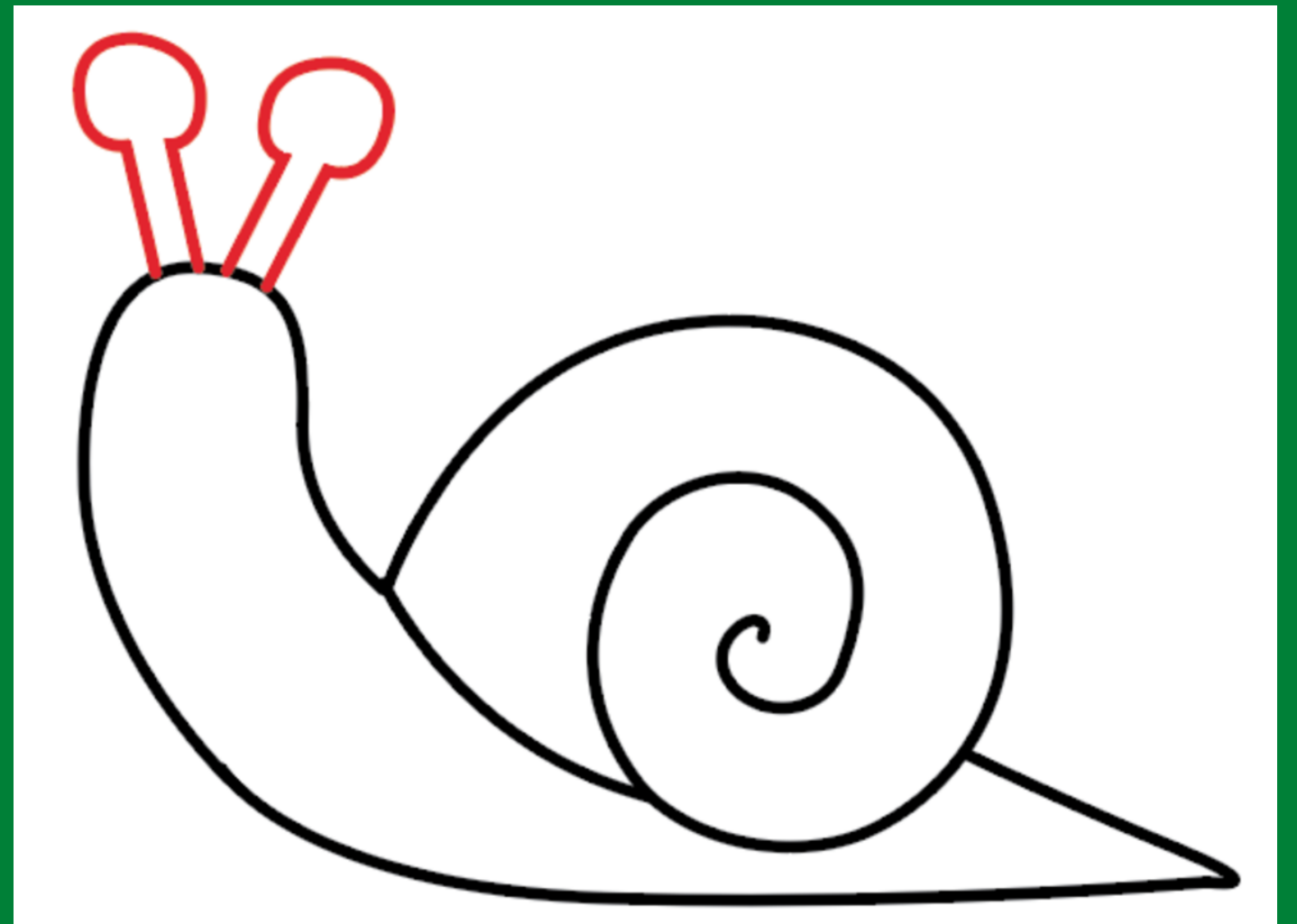
STEP 4.

NOW THAT THE SHELL IS ALL DONE (MINUS A FEW DETAILS THAT WE'LL ADD AT THE END), IT'S TIME TO WORK ON THE BODY. YOU CAN EITHER START AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE SHELL OR MAKE THE "TAIL" FIRST OR YOU CAN START ON THE LEFT SIDE AND DRAW THE HEAD PART FIRST, WHICHEVER SIDE FEELS MORE NATURAL FOR YOU.



STEP 5.

DRAW TWO TENTACLES WITH
ROUND SHAPES ON TOP FOR
EYES.



STEP 6.

FINAL DETAILS. DRAW THE
EYES AND THE MOUTH. WITH
THE MOUTH, DRAW A U SHAPE,
AND TWO MORE U SHAPES ON
EACH END. EASY RIGHT? ALSO
MAKE SOME DETAILS ON THE
SHELL, BUT THESE ARE
TOTALLY OPTIONAL.
CONGRATS, YOU JUST
FINISHED YOUR SNAIL
DRAWING!

