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Original worked example / unchanged complete key

Prompt: Draw a pumpkin that is three units wide and two units tall, with light from upper left. Use the convention: dark outline, lighter ribs, parallel shading darker on lower right.

Answer: First draw a bounding box three units wide and two units tall. Sketch a flattened oval inside. Add five vertical ribs that curve from top center to bottom center. Check width is three units and height is two units. Darken the outline. Add ribs with a lighter stroke. Shade with short parallel strokes on the lower right side, leaving upper left unshaded for highlight. Final check: outline continuous, ribs connect top and bottom, shading direction consistent.