Angel Drawing Easy: Wings, Robe, and Halo Step by Step

Original tasks 1, 2, 3 / complete keys

Task 1

A figure is 12 units tall. The head oval runs from 0.5 to 3.5 units. Where is the head center, and how tall is the head?

Answer: Head center is at 2 units; head height is 3 units.

Reason: The midpoint of 0.5 and 3.5 is 2. The difference 3.5 minus 0.5 is 3.

Check: Add the half-height to the bottom: 0.5 plus 1.5 equals 2. Subtract the top from the bottom: 3.5 minus 0.5 equals 3.

Task 2

Robe widths are 4 units at the 4-unit mark, 6 units at the 8-unit mark, and 8 units at the 12-unit mark. What is the total increase from shoulders to hem, and what is the increase per band?

Answer: Total increase is 4 units; increase per band is 2 units.

Reason: From 4 to 8 units is one band and from 8 to 12 is another. Each band adds 2 units of width, so the total is 4 units.

Check: Subtract the shoulder width from the hem width: 8 minus 4 equals 4 units total increase. Divide by 2 bands: 4 divided by 2 equals 2 units per band.

Task 3

A halo has an outer diameter of 3 units and an inner diameter of 2 units. What is the ring thickness, and what is the outer radius?

Answer: Ring thickness is 0.5 units; outer radius is 1.5 units.

Reason: Ring thickness is half the difference between outer and inner diameters: (3 minus 2) divided by 2 equals 0.5. Outer radius is half the outer diameter: 3 divided by 2 equals 1.5.

Check: Double the ring thickness and add the inner diameter: 1 plus 2 equals 3, matching the outer diameter.

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Task 4

A wing root is at the 4-unit mark, the wing tip is 2 units above the shoulder, and the lower edge ends at the 9-unit mark. How tall is the wing from root to tip, and how far below the root does the lower edge end?

Answer: Wing rises 2 units above the root; lower edge ends 5 units below the root.

Reason: The tip is 2 units above the 4-unit root, so the rise is 2 units. The lower edge at 9 units is 9 minus 4 equals 5 units below the root.

Check: Add the rise to the root: 4 plus 2 equals 6 for the tip. Subtract the root from the lower edge: 9 minus 4 equals 5.

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- [ ] Figure height is marked and divided into three bands.
- [ ] Head oval is centered on the vertical line and sits within the top band.
- [ ] Halo is a ring above the head with a visible gap.
- [ ] Shoulders are placed at the band boundary and the robe widens steadily.
- [ ] Wings attach behind the shoulders and remain distinct from the robe.
- [ ] Outline lines are firmer than fold lines, and guide lines are removed or absorbed.
- [ ] Valid alternatives are accepted if proportions and placement remain coherent.

Reflection: What did you check, what did you change, and what will you try next?