Walking Figure Drawing: Stride, Arm Swing, and Weight Shift

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

Draw a walking figure with a stride of one and a half head heights, left leg forward, and a weight shift over the left foot. State your proportion convention.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 2 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 2

Draw a walking figure with a stride of two head heights but no arm swing. Then add arm swing and explain the change.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

Draw a walking figure where the weight shift is too large, then correct it. Use a hypothetical offset of one head height for the error and half a head height for the fix.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

Draw a walking figure with a stride of two head heights and a shoulder tilt opposite the pelvis tilt. Label all chosen values as hypothetical examples.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

Full drawing sheet / reusable blank workspace

Reusable full drawing sheet for Tasks 1 to 4. Print another copy when needed. Keep all original task measurements; if a task specifies larger paper, use that paper size.