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Topic reference / ordinary illustration



Ordinary topic reference. Hypothetical dimensions in the four tasks are supplied in their own text; this illustration is not their measured answer.

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Worked example / complete source key

A student draws a gladiator eight units tall. The shield height measures two units and the front foot is on the center line. Identify two fixes and state the corrected values.

Answer: Increase shield height to about three units and move the front foot forward about one unit from the center line. Keep the back foot back about one unit. Recheck knee and hip marks at two and four units.