Drawing a Peasant Figure: Posture, Folds, and Simple Props

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

Draw a standing peasant with weight on the right foot and the left foot forward. Add two fold-tension lines at each elbow and a rope belt. Describe where the posture axis falls.

Task 2

Draw a standing peasant with weight on the right foot and the left foot forward, holding a wooden bucket in the left hand. Show three compression lines behind the right knee and two hanging folds from the left shoulder. Describe the contact point for the bucket.

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Task 3

Draw a peasant standing with both feet flat and a walking stick in the right hand. Add diagonal tension lines across the front left thigh and two fold lines at the right elbow. Describe how the stick contacts the hand.

Task 4

Draw a peasant standing with the left foot forward and a rope belt. Add two fold lines at the left knee and one hanging fold from the right shoulder. Describe how you would check that fold lines are lighter than the outline.