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Ordinary topic reference / separately checked pixels



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Original worked example / unchanged complete key

Prompt: On a 10 cm wide scalp oval, place roots in two staggered rows with a hypothetical spacing of 2 cm. Draw three locks falling downward, label them A, B, and C, and show one overlap where lock B passes in front of lock A.

Answer: Row one has roots at 2 cm, 4 cm, and 6 cm from the left edge; row two is offset by 1 cm, with roots at 3 cm and 5 cm. Locks A, B, and C start from the first three roots. Section width is about 1.5 cm at each root. At the planned crossing, lock B is drawn continuously and lock A is broken with a small gap, so B is in front. Each section has three light diagonal texture strokes, and tips taper slightly with varied lengths.