Drawing Clay Objects: Form and Texture

Ordinary topic reference / separately checked pixels



Drawing Clay Objects: Form and Texture

Original worked example / unchanged complete key

Prompt: Draw a rounded clay pot with a short neck and a horizontal texture band around the body. Use a bounding box 10 cm wide and 12 cm tall (hypothetical example).

Answer: Block a 10 by 12 cm box. Draw an oval body about 8 cm wide and 8 cm tall centered low in the box. Add a neck 4 cm wide and 3 cm tall above the body. Refine the contour with soft curves. Add horizontal texture strokes around the body, spaced about 5 mm apart, and vertical strokes on the neck. Keep strokes lighter near the outer edges.