Black Jaguar Drawing: Fur and Anatomy Studies

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

A study outline has a head-length unit of 2.5 cm. The torso is drawn 7.5 cm long and the legs 5 cm from shoulder to paw. Using the hypothetical proportions in this lesson, check the torso and legs in head-length units and state whether they match.

Task 2

On a fur-direction study, a student draws arrows down the neck, then straight across the ribcage, then straight down the hindquarter. Describe one correction that makes the arrows follow the body form better.

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Task 3

A shaded black jaguar looks like a flat dark blob. The student used one even tone everywhere and no eraser. Name two tonal steps to add separation.

Task 4

A final drawing has correct proportions and fur flow but the face is a dark smudge. Describe a simple face treatment that keeps the eye and muzzle readable on a black coat.