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Worked example / complete source key

Draw a standing corgi using a body length of 10 units. Determine body height, ear height relative to a 4-unit head, and leg length. Then describe the construction order.

Answer: Body height is about 5 units (half of 10). Head height is 4 units, so ear height is about 4 units. Leg length is about 3.3 units (one-third of 10). Construction order: draw the back line and mark shoulder and hip points 10 units apart; set body height at 5 units; sketch chest and hip boxes; add a rounded head 4 units tall; place ears at the top corners with 4-unit height and rounded tips; draw short legs about 3.3 units long with oval paws; check that the body is twice as long as tall and legs are short.