Rune Drawing: Angular Glyphs, Stroke Order, and Carved Shading

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

Draw a glyph with a vertical stem from baseline to midline and a diagonal from the stem top to the left guide at baseline. Use a hypothetical 20 mm x-height and 2 mm main stroke. State the stroke order and one check.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 2 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 2

Draw a glyph with a horizontal at the midline from left guide to right guide and a vertical from the horizontal midpoint to the baseline. Use a hypothetical 20 mm x-height. State the stroke order and one check.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

Draw a glyph with a diagonal from the left guide at midline to the right guide at baseline and a short horizontal from the diagonal midpoint to the right guide at midline. Use a hypothetical 20 mm x-height. State the stroke order and one check.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

Take the glyph from exercise 1 and add carved shading with light from upper left using a hypothetical 1 mm shading stroke. Describe where shadow and highlight marks go and one check.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

Full drawing sheet / reusable blank workspace

Reusable full drawing sheet for Tasks 1 to 4. Print another copy when needed. Keep all original task measurements; if a task specifies larger paper, use that paper size.

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