Pencil Realistic Dog Sketch: Fur Direction and Tonal Layering

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

A reference dog has head length 5 cm and torso length 8 cm. Your drawing head is 4 cm. Calculate the torso length that preserves the ratio.

Task 2

A dog zone has fur flowing from the shoulder toward the paw. Describe the stroke direction and where you would place the medium tone if light comes from above.

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Original tasks 3, 4 / independent work

Task 3

You define light pressure as 1, medium as 3, and dark as 5 on scrap paper. A drawing shows the chest at 3 and the under-chin at 3. What tonal problem exists and how do you fix it?

Task 4

A reference has leg length 9 cm and body depth 6 cm. Your drawing leg is 7.5 cm. Calculate the body depth that preserves the ratio and state one fur-stroke adjustment for the paw.