Draw Yourself as a Superhero: Worksheet Design Guide

Original tasks 1, 2, 3 / complete keys

Task 1

A learner writes the power action 'Runs 100 metres in 8 seconds' and the limit 'Only on Tuesdays'. They tick cape, mask, gloves, and belt. They draw a circle emblem inside the box. List two things that meet the worksheet requirements and one thing to improve.

Answer: Meets: measurable action with number and unit; four checklist items ticked. Improve: the limit 'Only on Tuesdays' is not a simple measurable limit; suggest a limit such as 'Only for 30 seconds at a time'.

Reason: The action includes a distance and time, which is checkable. Four ticked items meet the target. The limit is vague and should be replaced with a simple, checkable value.

Check: Count ticked checklist items (4). Check that the action has a number and unit. Check that the limit has a number and unit.

Task 2

A learner draws an emblem outside the square box and writes labels that sit on the baseline but do not reach the midline. They tick five costume items. Identify two corrections needed.

Answer: Correction 1: move the emblem inside the square box. Correction 2: adjust handwritten labels so they reach the midline from the baseline.

Reason: The emblem must be inside the box for alignment. The x-height convention requires baseline to midline; labels that do not reach the midline fail the convention.

Check: Visually check emblem position relative to the box. Use a ruler to check that letters reach the midline.

Task 3

A learner's power lines read: name 'Super Strength', action 'Lifts heavy things', limit 'Gets tired'. They tick cape and boots only. Suggest specific improvements to the power lines and checklist.

Answer: Replace 'Lifts heavy things' with a measurable action, for example 'Lifts 40 kg'. Replace 'Gets tired' with a simple limit, for example 'Only three lifts per minute'. Add at least two more checklist items, such as mask and gloves, and tick them.

Reason: The action and limit lack numbers and units, so they are not checkable. Only two checklist items are ticked, below the target of four.

Check: Check that action and limit each contain a number and unit. Count ticked checklist items and confirm at least four.

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Original tasks 4 / complete keys

Task 4

A learner draws a figure with a cape, boots, belt, mask, and gloves, and ticks all five. Their emblem is a triangle inside the box with a one-sentence explanation. Their labels sit on the baseline and reach the midline. State whether the worksheet is complete and why.

Answer: The worksheet is complete. All five checklist items are ticked, the emblem is inside the box with an explanation, and labels follow the x-height convention.

Reason: Each requirement is met: at least four checklist items, emblem inside box with explanation, and baseline-to-midline labels.

Check: Verify five ticked items, emblem inside box, explanation present, and ruler check for baseline-to-midline.

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Source rubric / reflection

- [ ] Figure outline is visible and used as a guide, not a proportion standard.
- [ ] All three power prompt lines are filled with a name, a measurable action, and a limit.
- [ ] Emblem is drawn inside the square box and explained in one sentence.
- [ ] At least four costume checklist items are ticked with short notes.
- [ ] Handwritten labels follow the x-height convention: baseline to midline, any letter style.
- [ ] Self-check and peer check are completed.

Reflection: What did you check, what did you change, and what will you try next?