Scenery Drawing Practice: Foreground, Horizon, and Background Layers

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

On a 20 cm tall page, draw a horizon line 8 cm from the top. Draw one foreground rock 5 cm tall at the bottom and one background tree 1.5 cm tall near the horizon. Check the size ratio.

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 horizon line across the middle of a page. Draw two foreground bushes that overlap by 2 cm. Draw three background hills that are each half the height of the bushes. Describe how the overlap and size difference affect depth.

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 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

Sketch a scene with a horizon line, one large foreground tree trunk, and two small background clouds. The trunk is 7 cm tall and each cloud is 2 cm tall. The trunk touches the bottom edge. Is the layer separation clear?

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

A sketch has a horizon line 5 cm from the top of a 15 cm page. The foreground shapes are 3 cm tall and the background shapes are 2.5 cm tall. Identify the problem and describe one fix using size or position.

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.