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Prompt: A 5-minute bloom drill: draw the silhouette of a bloom that is 6 cm wide and 4 cm tall, with a centre point 2 cm from the top. Add four petal division lines. Describe the steps and a check.

Answer: Draw a closed shape 6 cm wide and 4 cm tall. Mark the centre 2 cm below the top edge. Draw four lines from the centre to the silhouette, spaced roughly evenly. Check that the widest point is 6 cm and the height is 4 cm, and that the centre is 2 cm from the top. If the shape is a bell, make the opening an ellipse 6 cm wide and the body taper to the stem.