Cross-Contour Pineapple Drawing: Wrap Lines to Show Rounded Form

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

A pineapple body is drawn as an oval 8 cm tall and 4 cm wide. A student draws a horizontal line straight across the middle from left to right. Is this a valid cross-contour? Explain and describe how to fix it.

Task 2

A student draws a bump on the pineapple skin by making a small closed circle around it. Is this a cross-contour? Explain and describe an alternative.

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Task 3

A pineapple body is 12 cm tall. The crown is drawn 6 cm tall. Is the crown proportion typical? Use the guideline that crown height is about one-third of body height. Show your arithmetic.

Task 4

A student draws vertical cross-contour lines on the pineapple body as straight lines from top to bottom. Describe how these lines should curve to show the oval's bulge, and explain why.