

Kings and Queens have had their portraits painted for thousands of year. They always asked the painters to make them look a lot better than they actually did. Sometimes, if the portrait wasn't right or the monarch wasn't happy with it, the artist may have been punished quite severely!

Your job in Art today is to look at the portraits of the Kings and Queens and have a go at drawing your own portrait as a King or Queen.

King Mr Pearson has a ring to it...

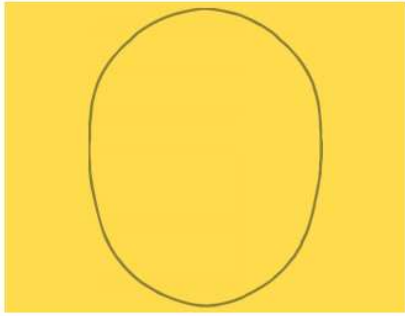


Do you notice that they are not smiling? They wanted to be shown as tough and 'scary'.

I wonder if you will draw yourself smiling or looking very tough and not smiling? There's some help below to start your drawing.

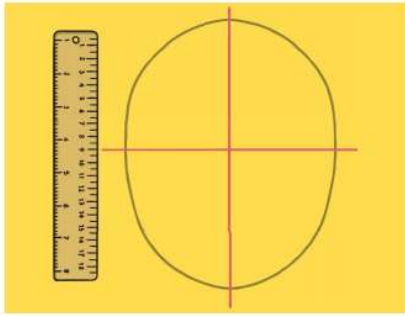
Step 1

Draw a faint oval. You will go back over this later after you have drawn the hair.



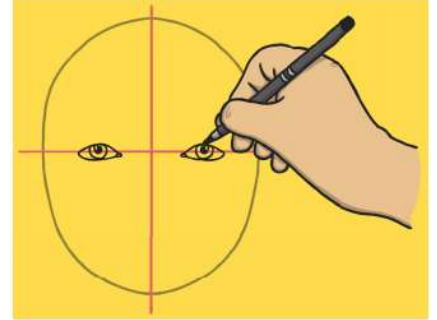
Step 2

Make some very faint guide lines with a pencil and ruler.



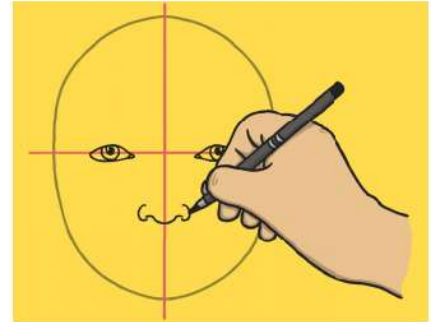
Step 3

Draw the eyes.



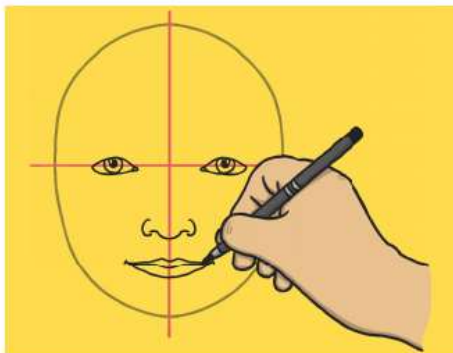
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Draw the nose.



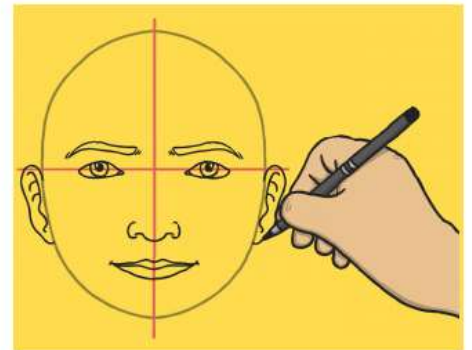
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Draw the mouth.



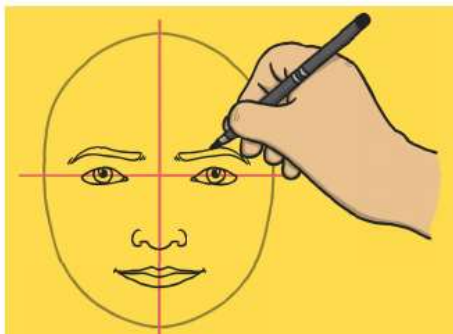
Step 7

Draw the ears.



Step 6

Draw the eyebrows.



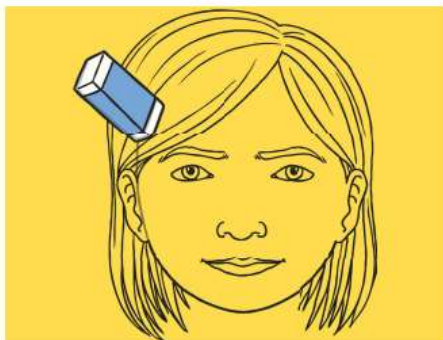
Step 8

Draw the hair.



Step 9

Go over the lines of the oval that isn't covered by hair. Erase the faint guide lines and the oval lines that are covered by hair.



Step 10

Colour in the face. Don't forget to add the pupils in the eyes and any freckles or other details on the face.

