

## Great Hair!

### Learning Goals:

- Drawing and shading- technique for pencil shaded hair
- Creative concept development – making a character

### You will need:

- Paper
- Pencil (just HB is fine, though if you have darker shading pencils there is opportunity to use these).
- Smudging tool – blending stick, Kleenex, Q-Tips or even your finger!

### Process:

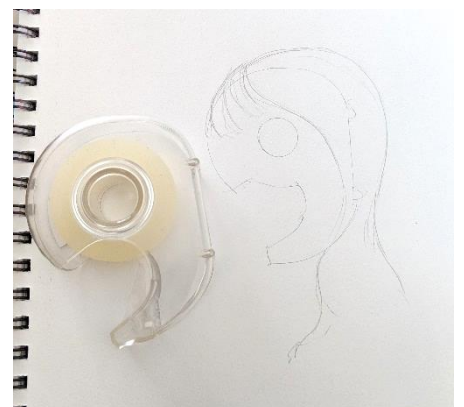
1. Watch this video on drawing “realistic” hair:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= 83dQAli15I>

2. Find an irregularly shaped object around your home. Make sure it is a decent size – at least 3 or 4 inches, if not more:



3. Give your shape a face. A cartoon face is fine. Sketch in just the outline of where the hair would go.



4. Following the steps in the video, shade the hair. Ensure you have:
- Mid tones, light tones and dark tones.
  - Followed the line of hair as it naturally hangs. If you scribble your hair, it will not seem “natural”.
  - Look at someone’s real hair if needed so you can really observe where shadows and highlights might sit.

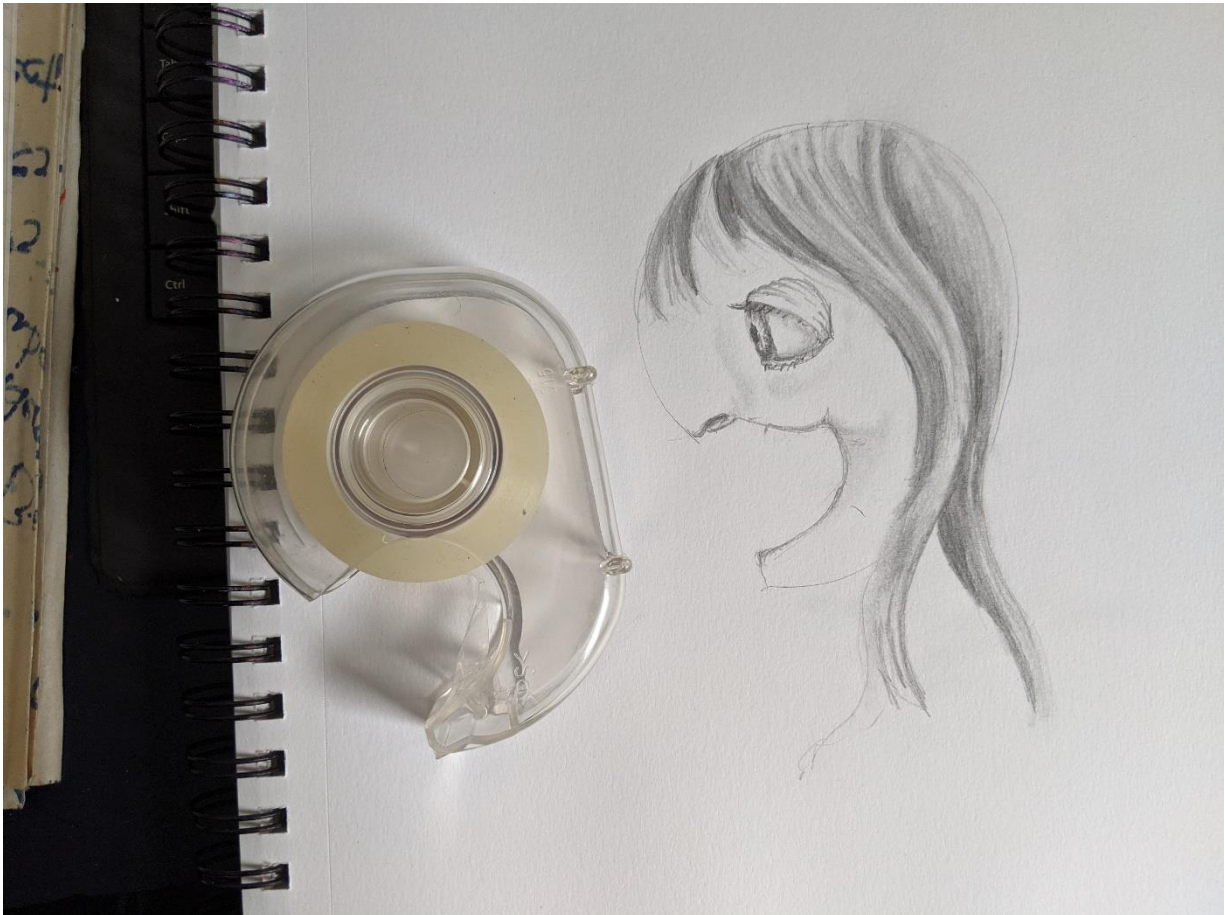


*Mid tones*



*Light and Dark tones*

5. Finally, shade the features. Those Kleenexes, blending stubs and q-tips that are now covered in pencil graphite are perfect for some really soft and subtle shading.



I'm really looking forward to seeing your creations!

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