

# Line



**Line:** An element of art that is used to define shape, volume, and surface, also to suggest mass and volume. It may be a continuous mark made on a surface with a pencil/brush or implied by the edges of objects and forms.

**Characteristics of Line are:**

- **Width:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Length:** long \_\_\_\_\_, horizontal \_\_\_\_\_
- **Direction:** vertical, vertical diagonal, slanting \_\_\_\_\_, vertical, parallel, curved \_\_\_\_\_
- **Weight:** thin \_\_\_\_\_, heavy \_\_\_\_\_
- **Feeling:** strong, elegant, graceful \_\_\_\_\_

**Types of Line:**

1. **Outline Line:** Lines that define the shape or subject of an object.
2. **Section Lines:** Lines that indicate the boundaries of an object's structure or a part.
3. **Implied Line:** Lines that are not actually drawn but created by a \_\_\_\_\_ of objects seen from a distance. The directions are related to pointing to, or the direction of something looking at.

**Draw the Lines:**

1. Below are five boxes. Draw with the outlines of line for each box.
2. In the blank under the box come up with some different line that draw (see it)

