

Gryffindor Inspired Poster

Hi everyone!

For the next two art sheets we will be creating our very own Harry Potter inspired Gryffindor House poster.



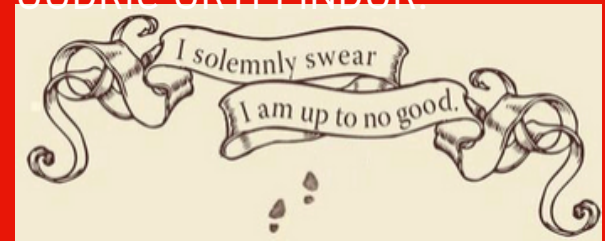
You will need :

- A piece of A4 or A3 paper
- A pencil.
- A rubber.
- A ruler (optional).

Part One of Two

Duration : 40 minutes +

GRYFFINDOR IS ONE OF THE
FOUR HOUSES OF HOGWARTS
SCHOOL OF WITCHCRAFT AND
WIZARDRY AND WAS
FOUNDED BY
GODRIC GRYFFINDOR



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GETTING STARTED

“You might belong in Gryffindor / Where dwell the brave at heart / Their daring, nerve, and chivalry / Set Gryffindors apart” —The Sorting Hat



Hogwarts students who are sorted into Gryffindor House are known to be brave, courageous, daring, and determined. Its crest depicts a lion's head, and its colours are gold and scarlet.

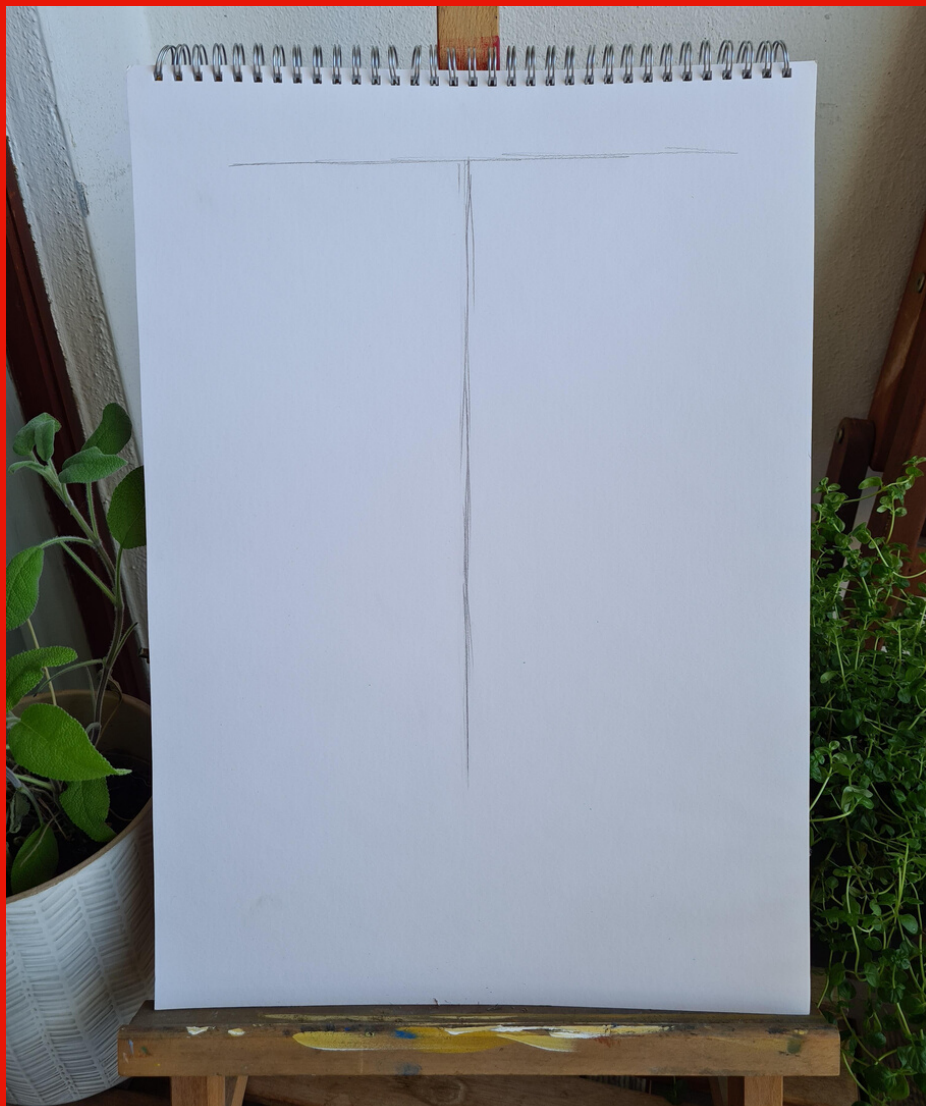


We are going to base our shield design on this lion. Before we start drawing I want you to think about all the shapes we can see when we look at the lions face. I can see, circles, a bucket shape and a line of symmetry. What other shapes can you see?

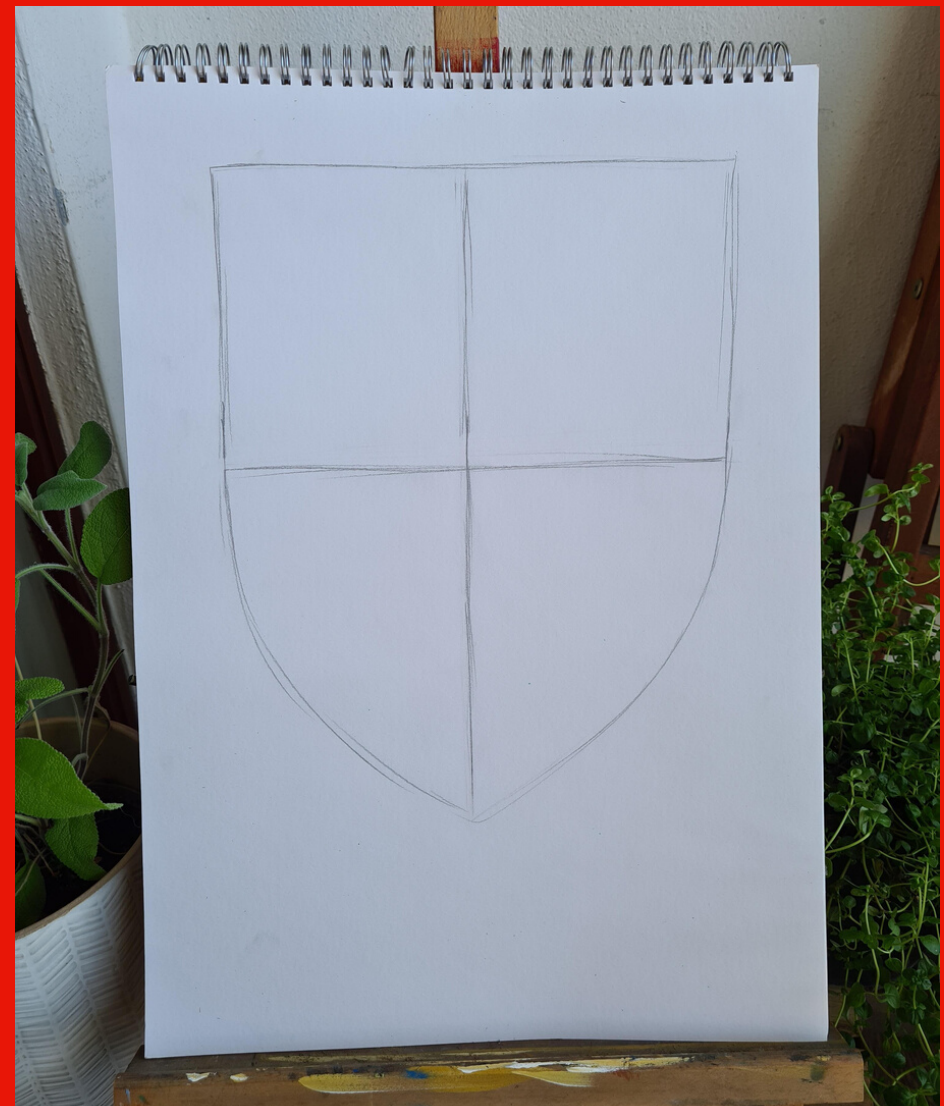


Practise these shapes on a scrap piece of paper. Remember to draw lightly. A good way to check is it to rub one of your shapes out, if it's taking a lot of effort to rub out, try drawing the next shape even softer.

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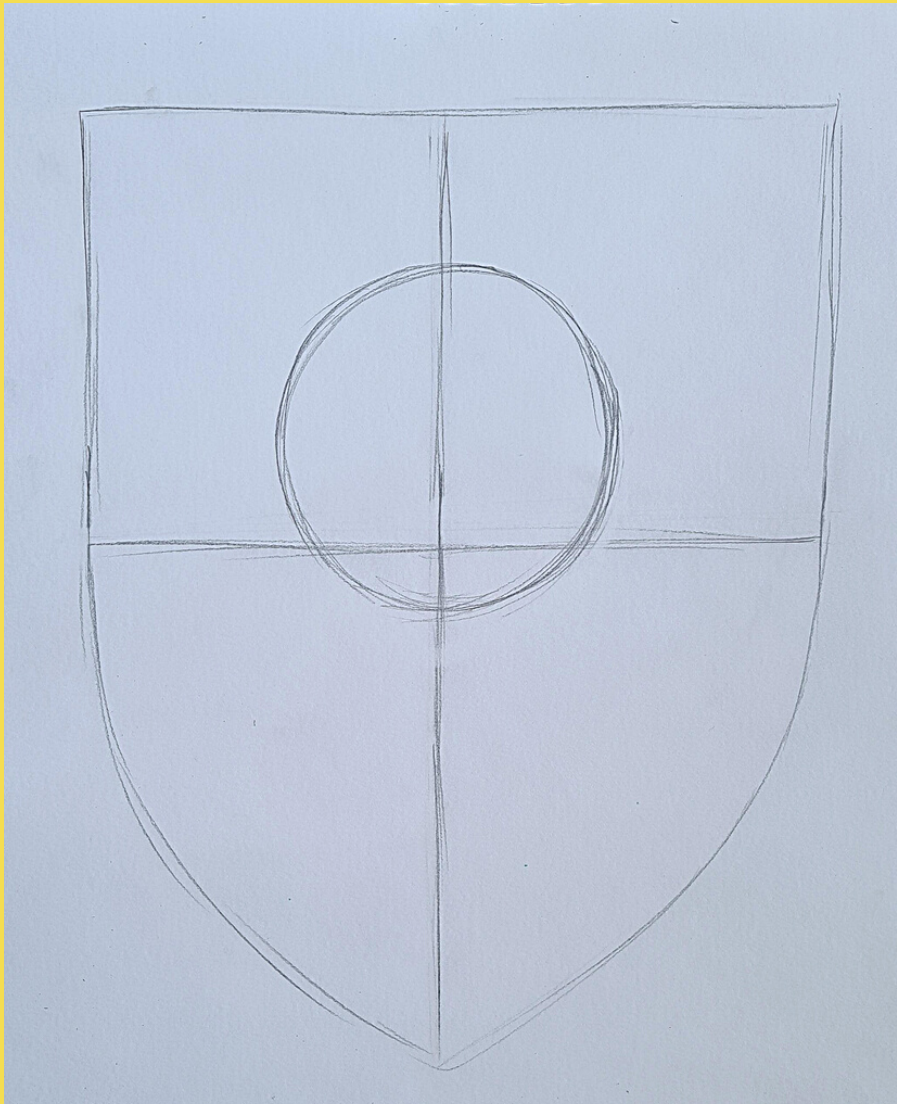


On your piece of paper draw a T shape.

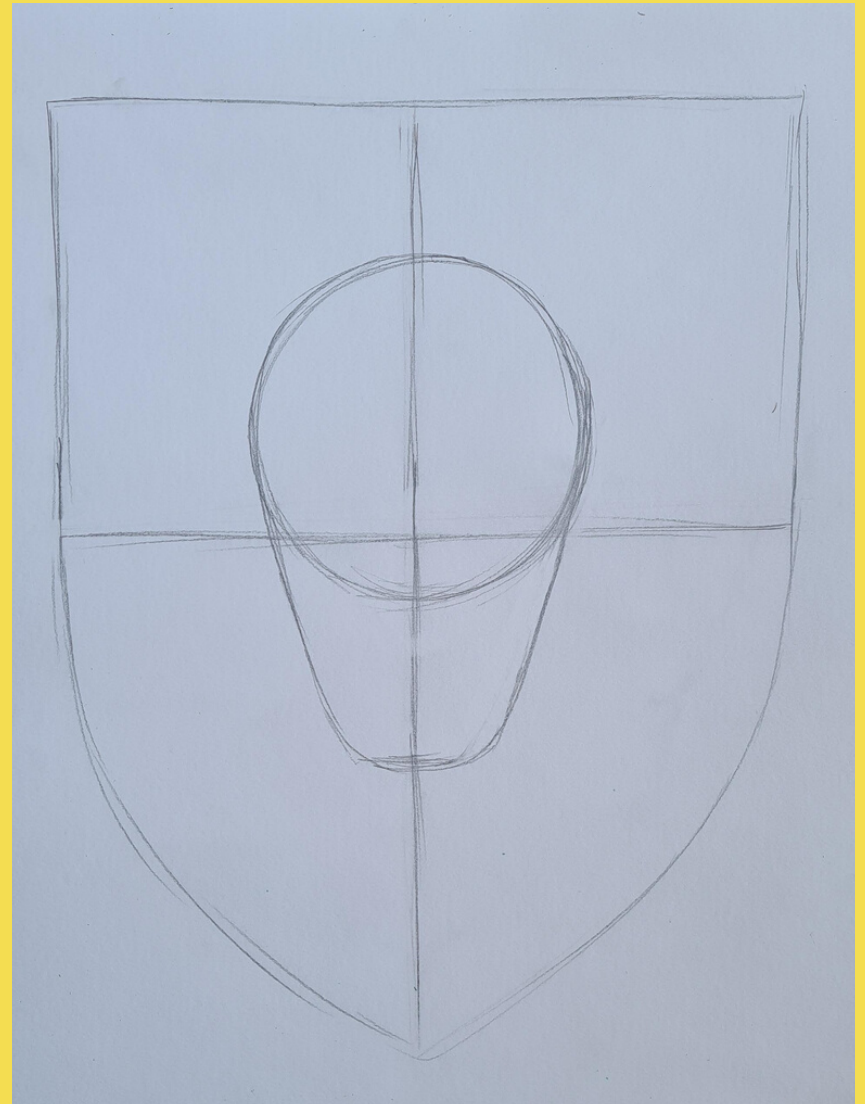


Next draw a line either side, curving down into a point. Then draw a horizontal line through the centre of the shield.

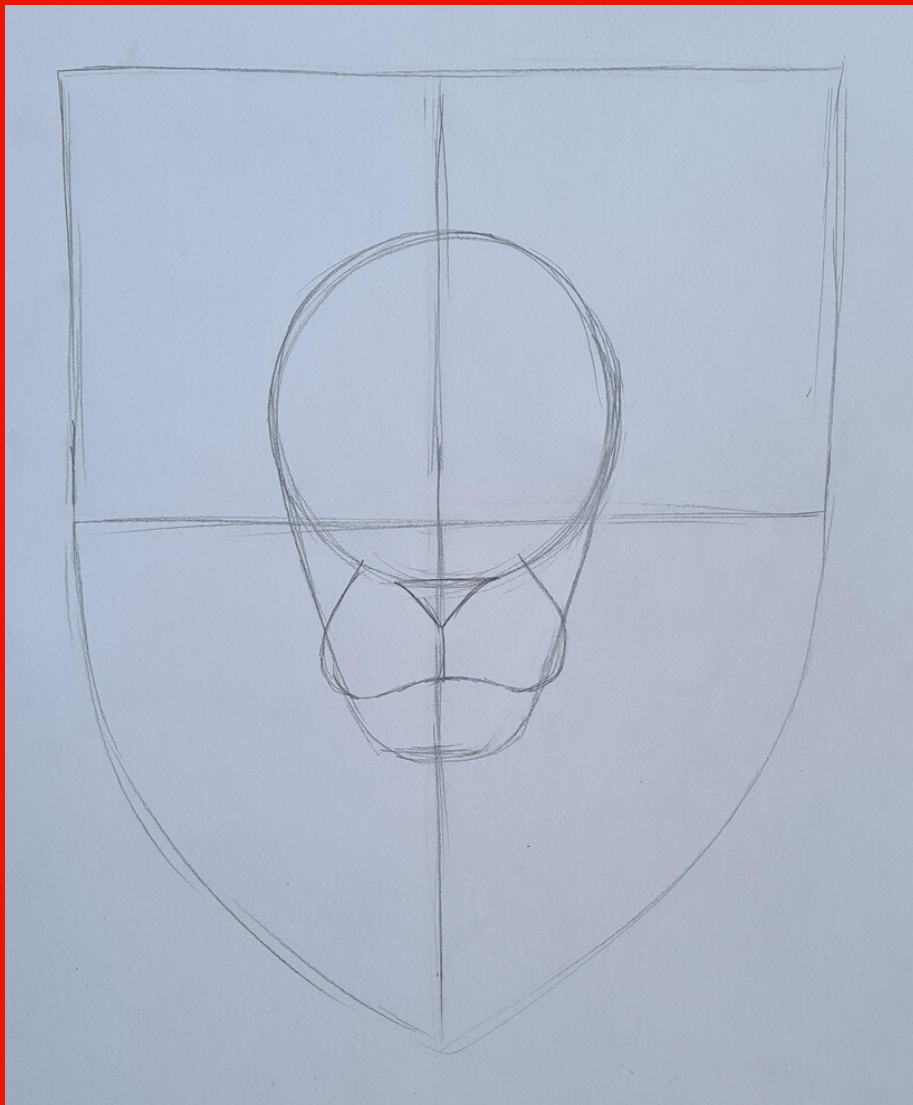
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Now draw a circle, you want this to be mainly in the top half of the shield, in the centre.

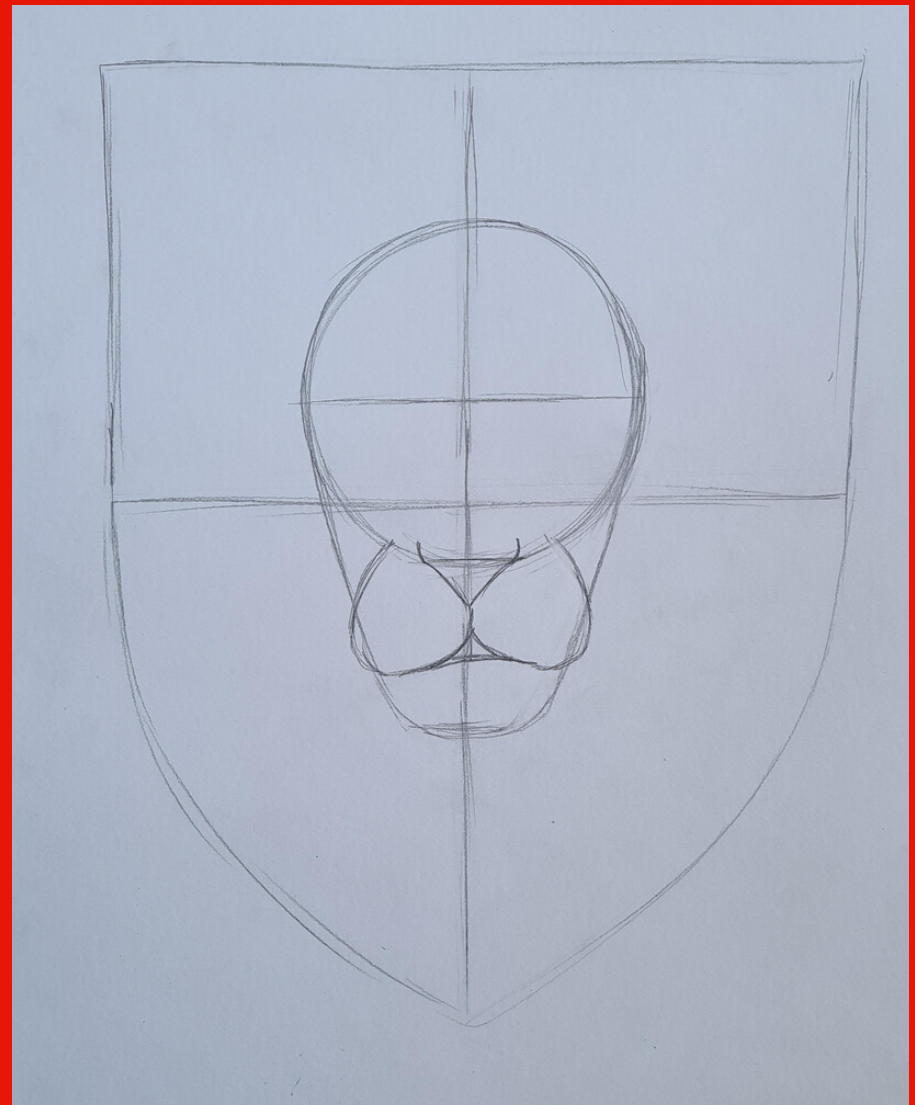


Add two diagonal lines either side of the circle. Join together with a straight line. This is the shape that reminded me of a bucket.



At the bottom of the circle, in the center, draw a triangle for the nose.

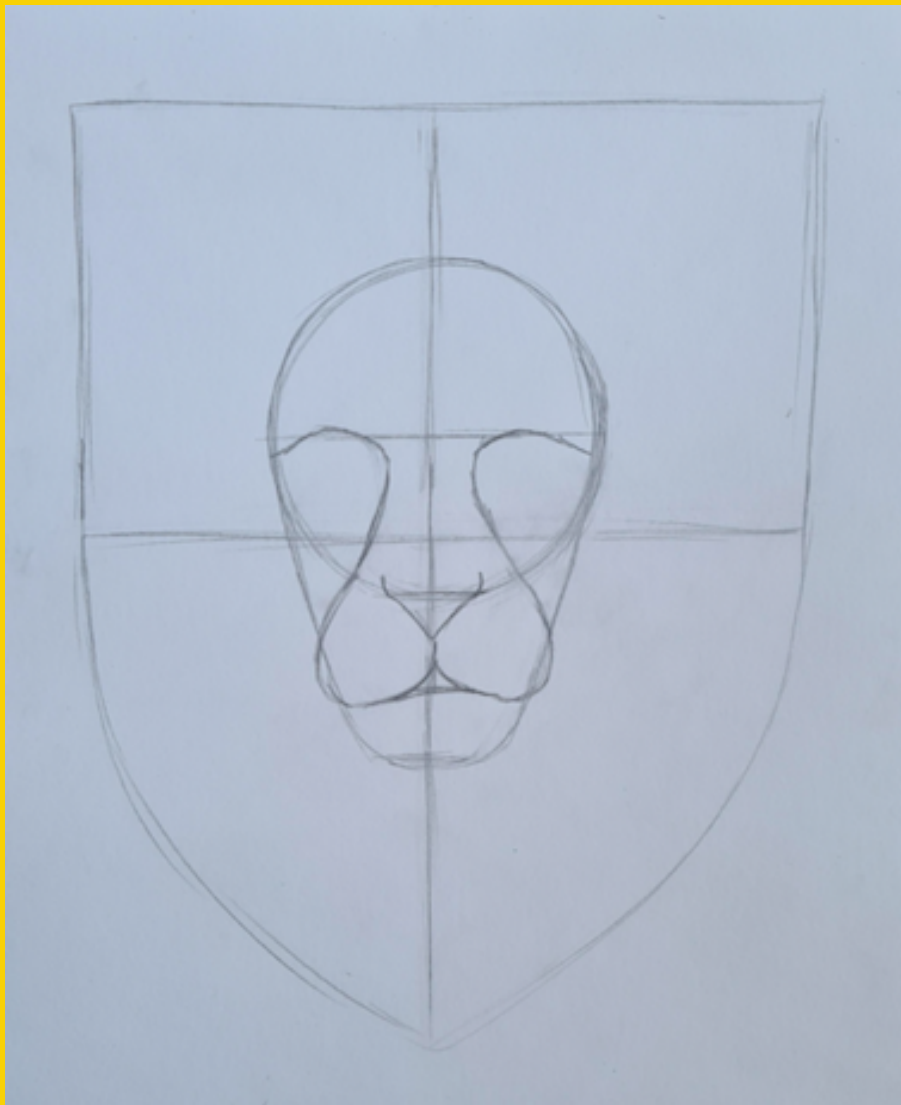
From the bottom of the nose, come down the centre line, then curve out of the head shape, back up and in to finish at the bottom of the circle. Do this both sides, to create the cheeks.



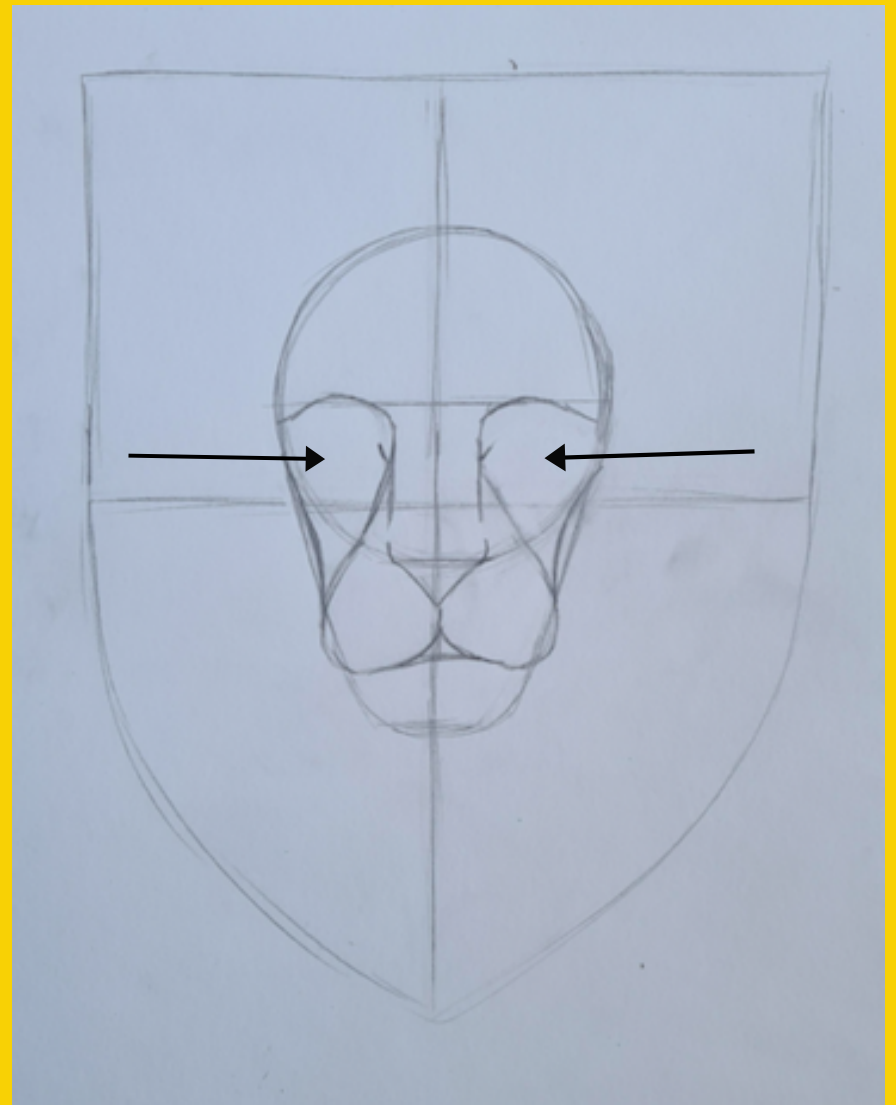
Add more definition for the mouth, and two small straight lines either side of the triangle.

In the circle draw a horizontal guideline.

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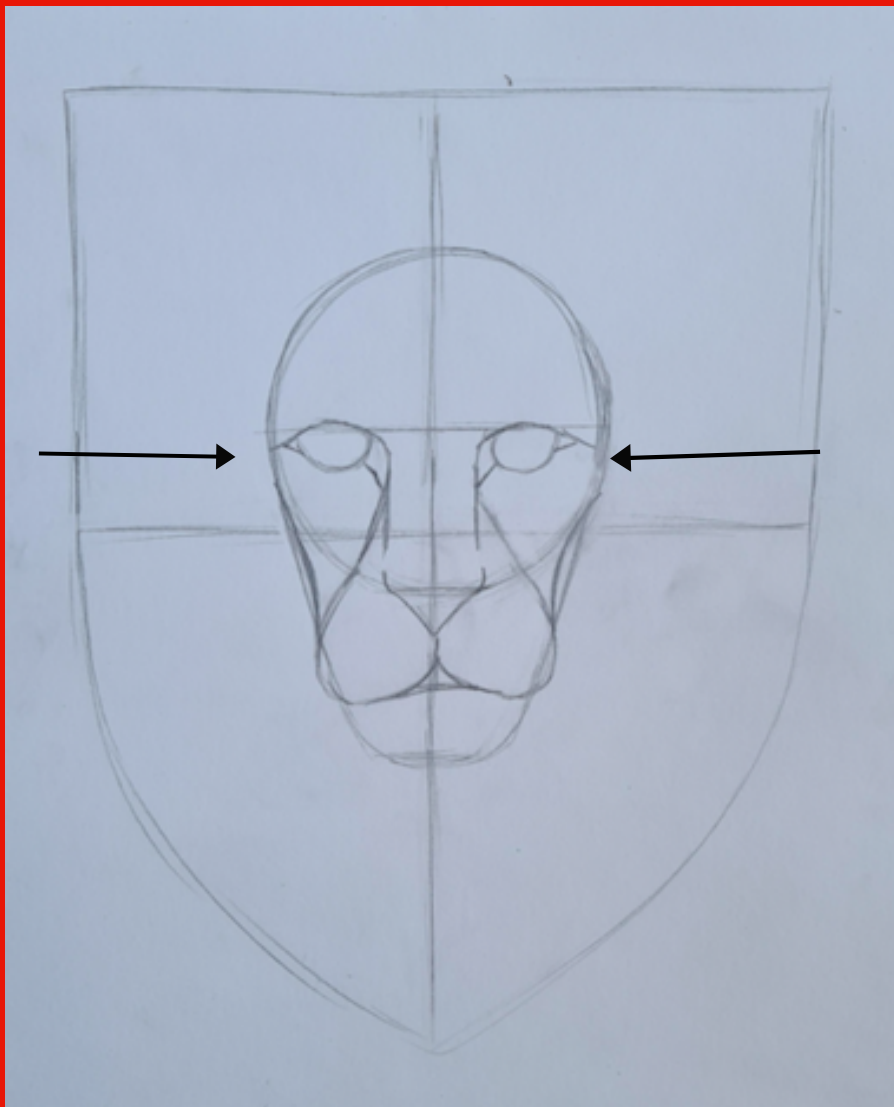
From the tops of the cheeks continue the line up towards the centre, and then curve out to the side of the circle. Not going above your guideline.



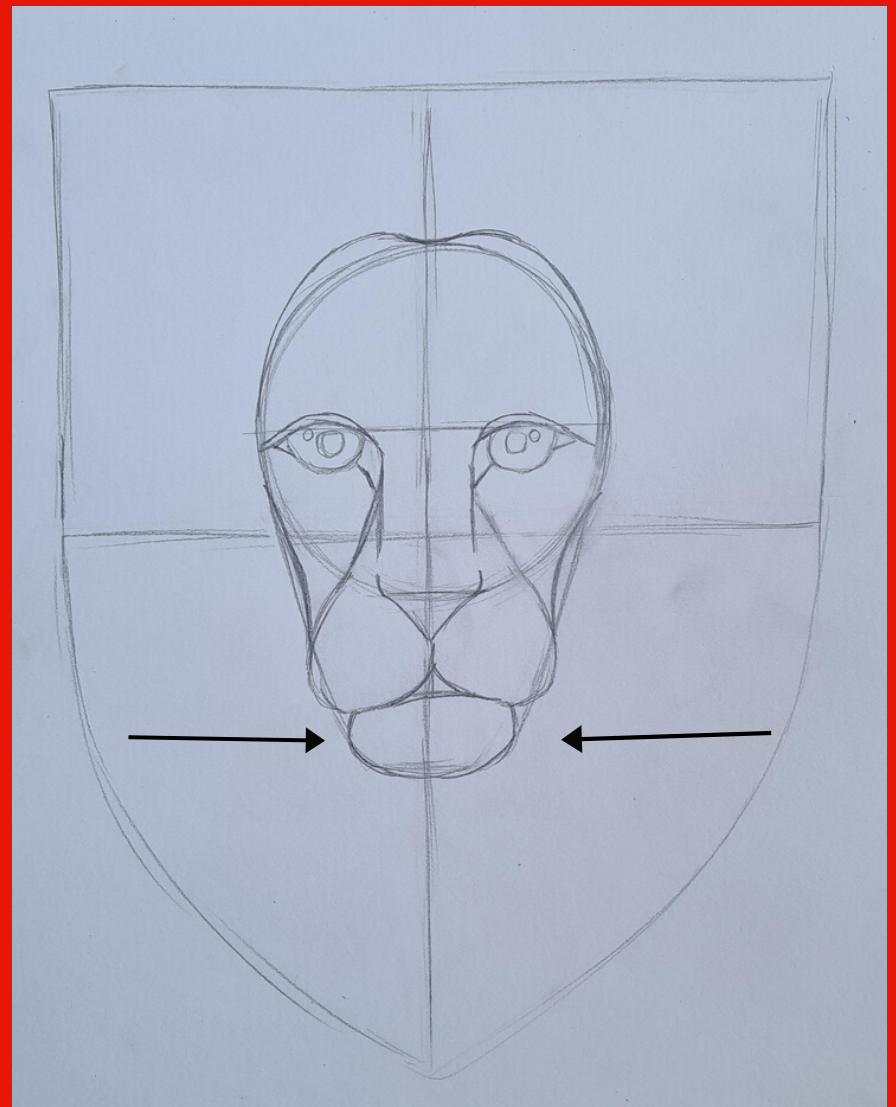
Draw two small lines for the corners of the eyes. See arrows.

Where you added two straight lines on the triangle, leave a small gap and continue them up to the arrows. Either side of the face curve in a little to add more definition.

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Now add U shapes below each curve to create the eyes.
Add two small lines on the outer corners of each eye.
See arrows.



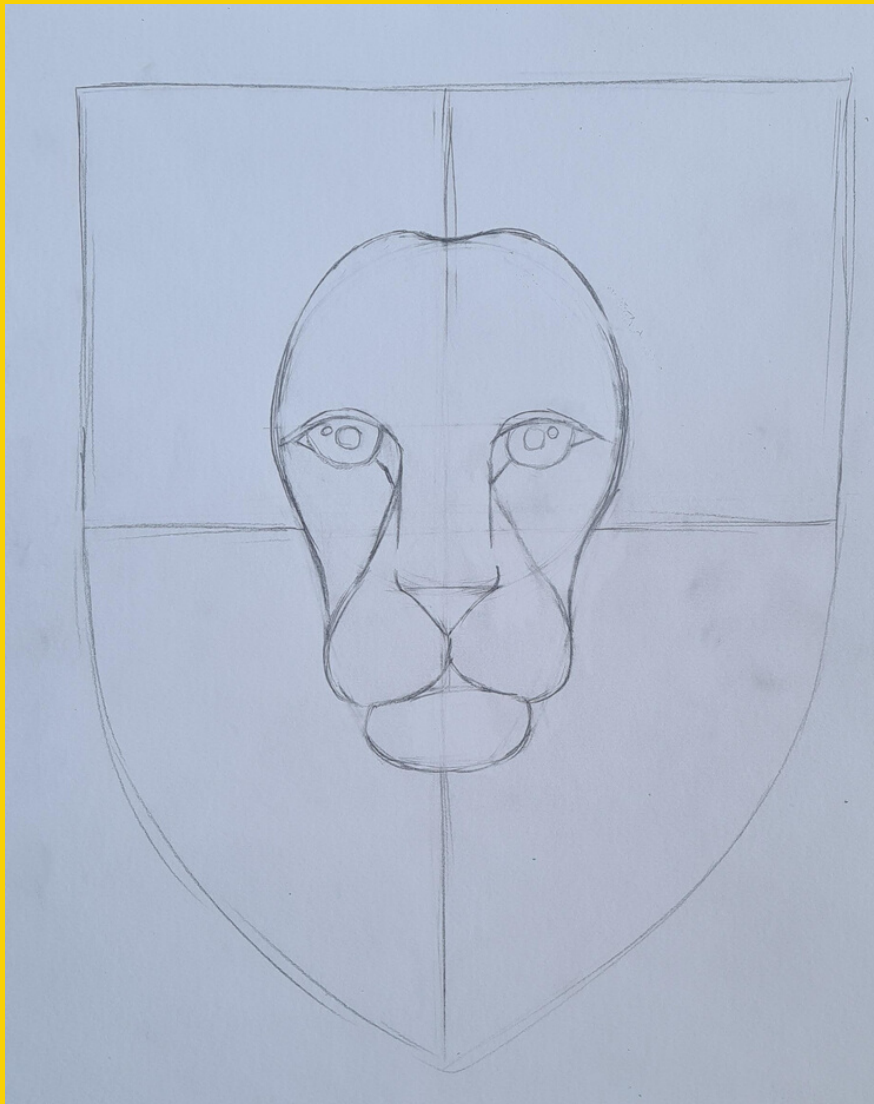
Inside the eyes add two circles, for the pupil and a highlight.

Draw lines above each eye, to create eyelids.

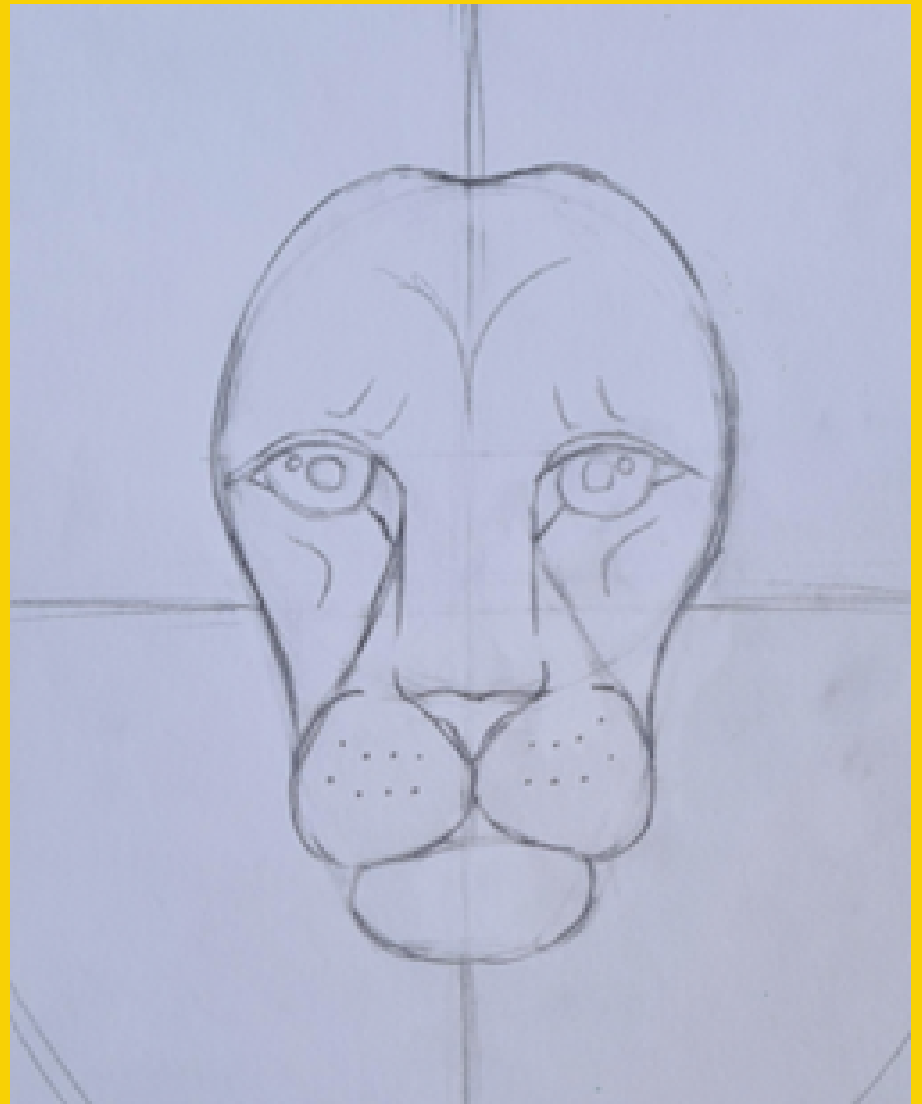
At the top of the circle draw a gentle curve either side.

Give more definition to the chin. See arrows.

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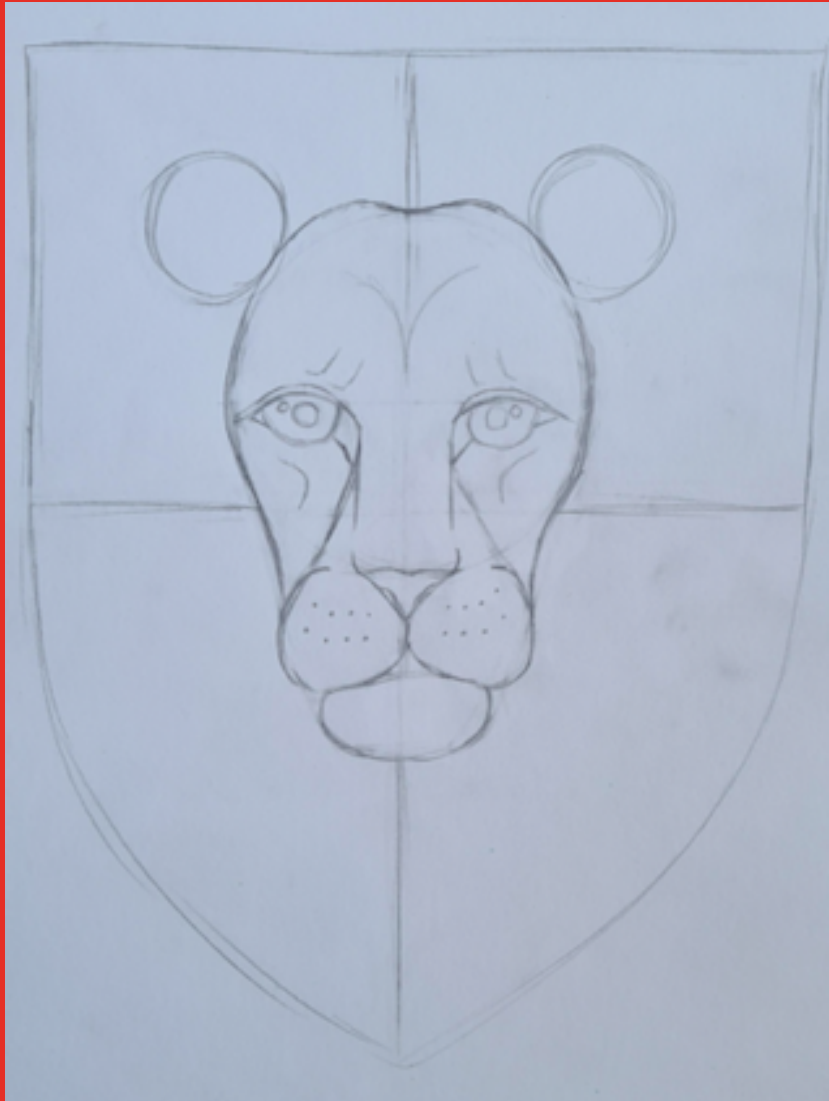


Rub out all the guidelines for the the lions face.

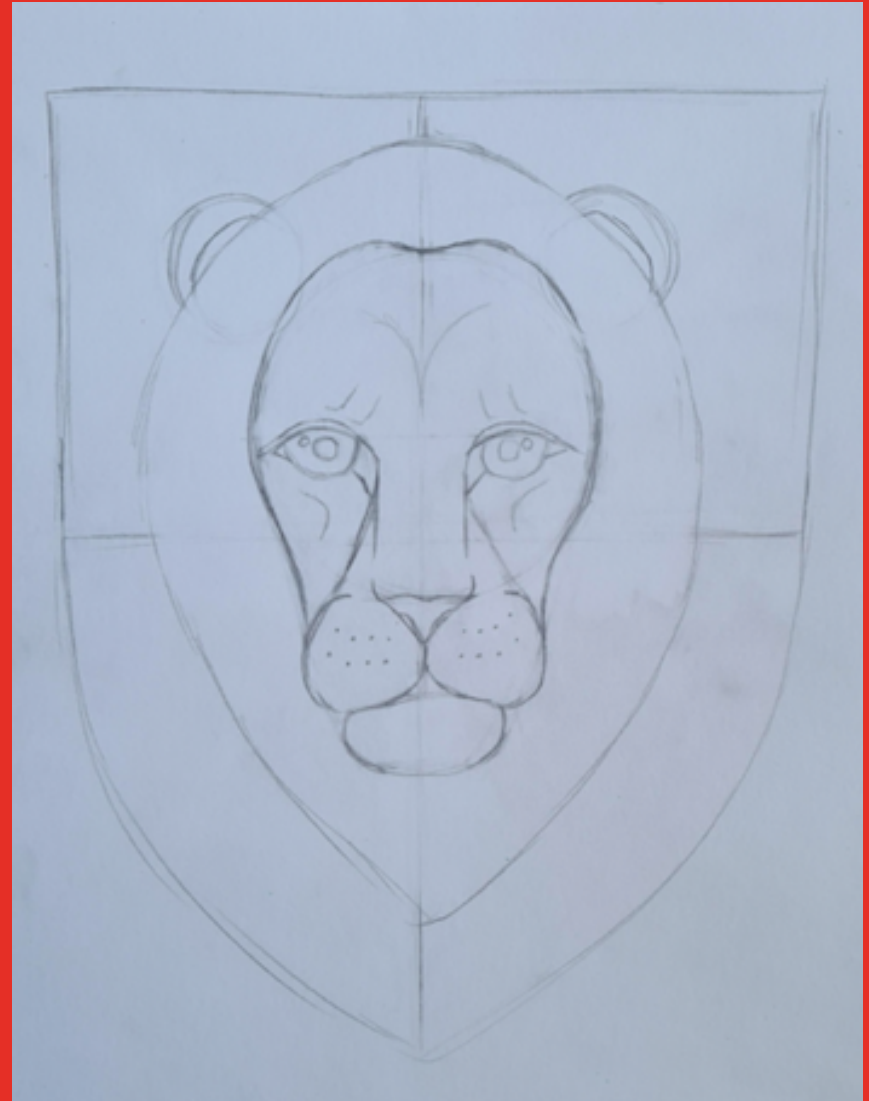


Add the lines and dots you can see above.

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Now draw two small circles either side of the face.



Add a line around the face, going through the circles, to create the mane. Rub out any lines left inside the mane.

Add a curve inside each ear.

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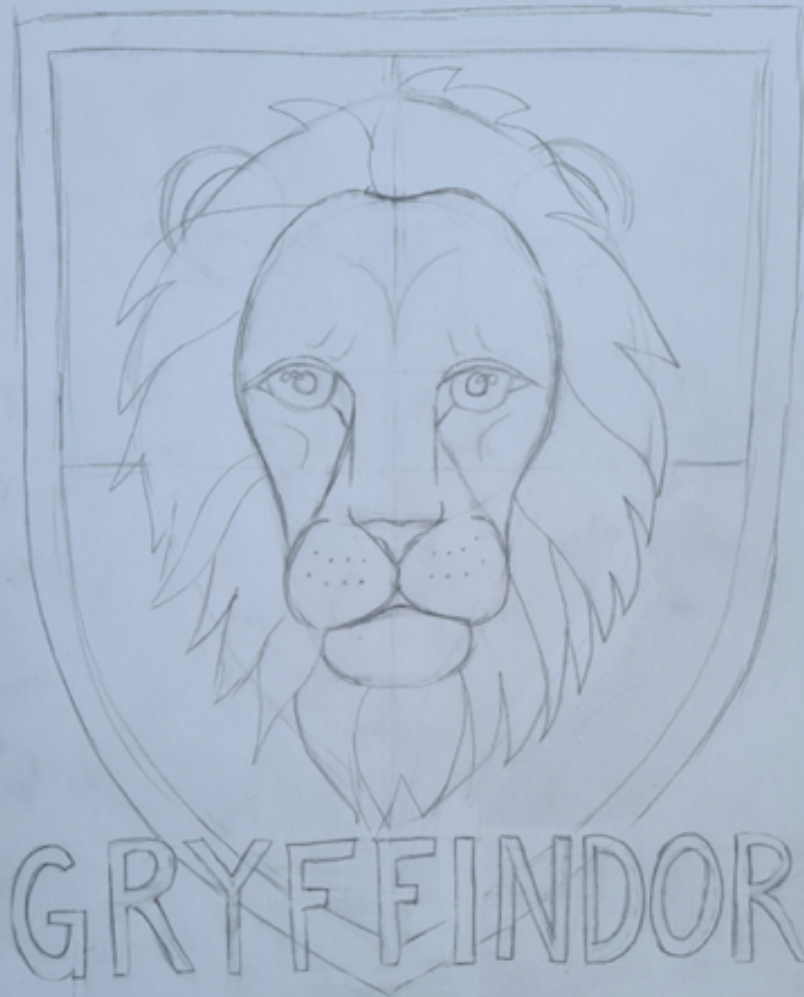


Create more texture around the mane, by adding wavy/zig zagged lines. It reminds me of the outer edge of a leaf.
Draw another line around your shield.



Along the bottom of the shield draw two straight horizontal lines.
In capitals write GRYFFINDOR. Make sure you can fit all the letters on.

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Thicken up your letters, to create bubble writing.

We will be coming back to this picture next week, so keep it somewhere safe.

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A Huge Well Done!

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