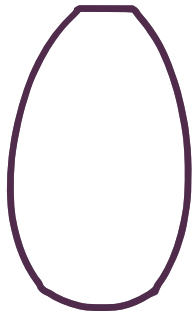
QUICK GUIDE / 7 CHECKPOINTS

How to draw a pumpkin

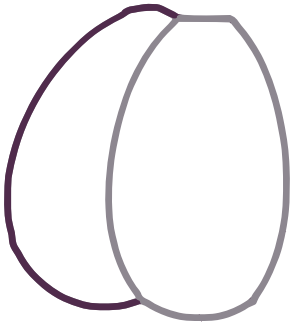
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STAGE 1: Build the middle bulge



Use a light oval to place the middle bulge, build its rounded outline and shallow top, then erase the oval.

STAGE 2: Add the left rib



Bow a rib to the left, round its lower edge and close its short top.

STAGE 3: Round the outer left side



Add a narrower outer curve behind the left rib, then the small rear shoulder.

STAGE 4: Build the right side



Curve the right rib, round its lower edge and close the narrower outside section.

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STAGE 5: Draw the curved stem



Lift the left stem edge, close its tilted oval end and return down the right edge.

STAGE 6: Close the broad leaf



Curve around the broad leaf and close its lower edge near the stem.

STAGE 7: Add the leaf vein

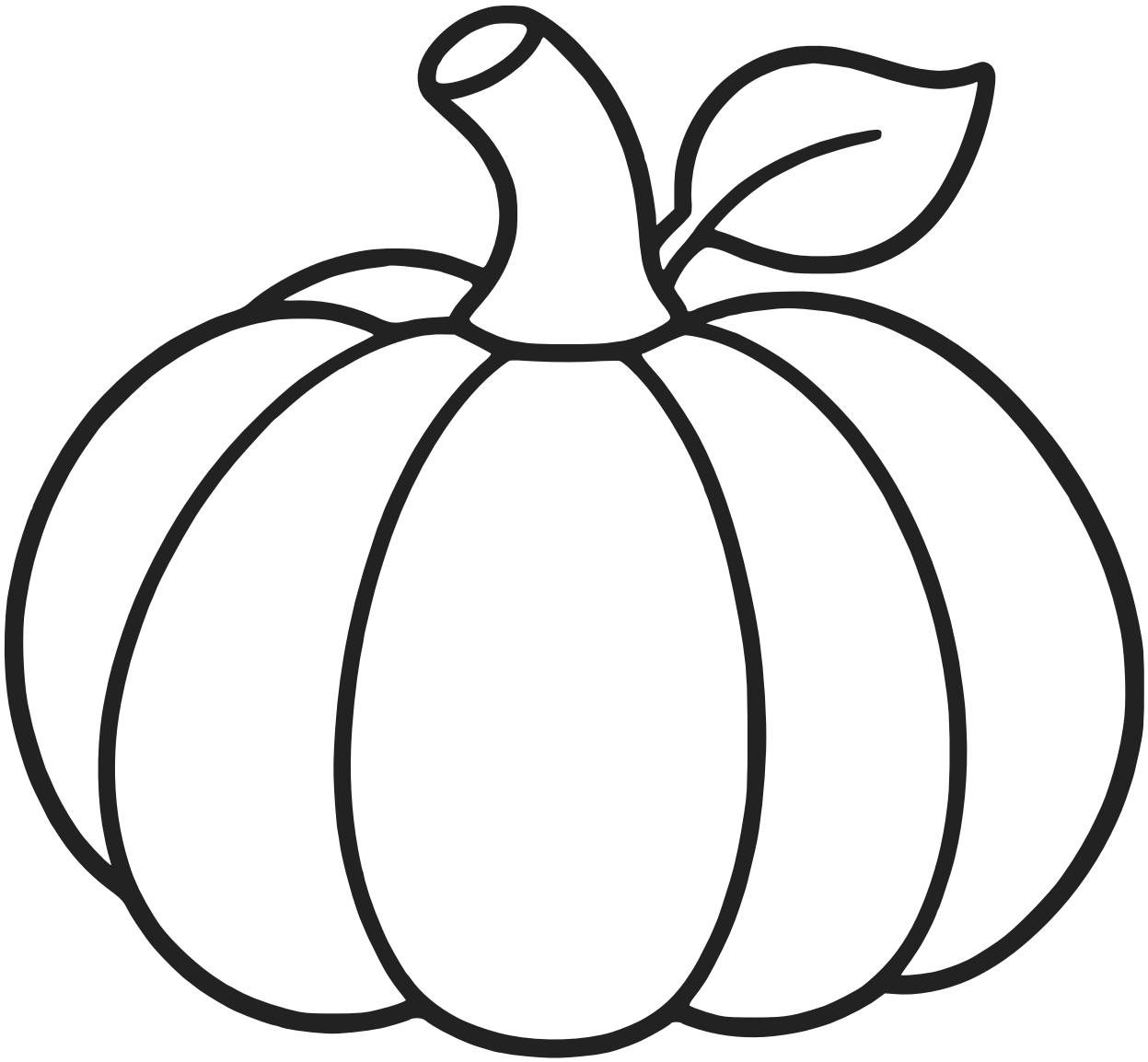


Draw one vein inside the leaf, stopping before its tip.

COLORING OUTLINE

A harvest pumpkin

Print at actual size / 100%. This outline contains no placement guides.



ONE COLOR IDEA

A harvest pumpkin

The palette is optional. Choose your own colors.

