Tutorial on How to Draw a Mouse

This is a tutorial on how to draw a mouse using shapes, shading, and texture.

Drawing the Mouse
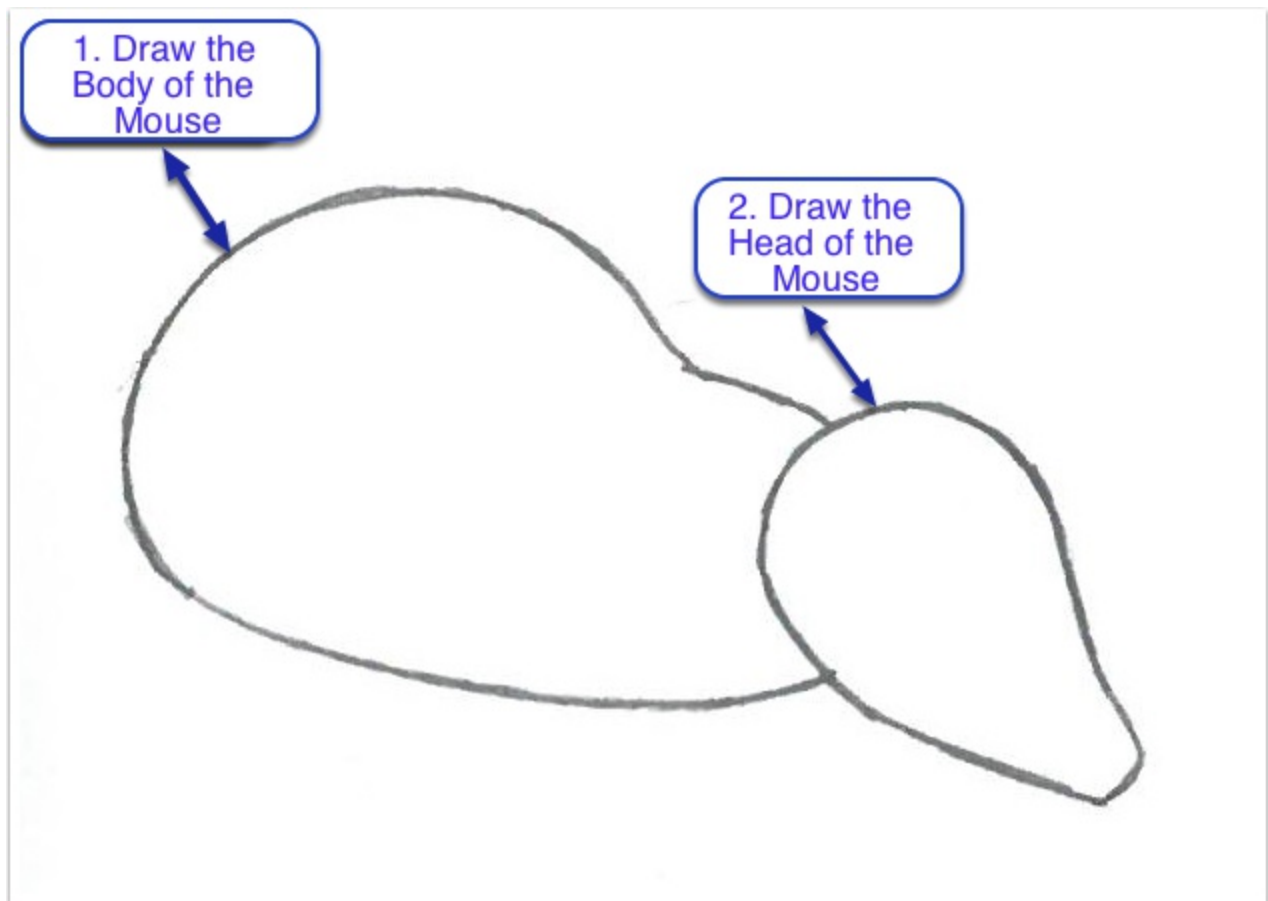
- **Need Pencil -preferably 2B pencil**
- **Need a Piece of Paper**
- **Draw in the Sequential Steps**

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Draw the Body and Head of the Mouse

Start with drawing the body and head of the mouse - copy what is on the screen and draw large and fill your page

1. **Draw the Body of the Mouse**
2. **Draw the Head of the Mouse (notice the angle of the mouse head as it tilts downward)**
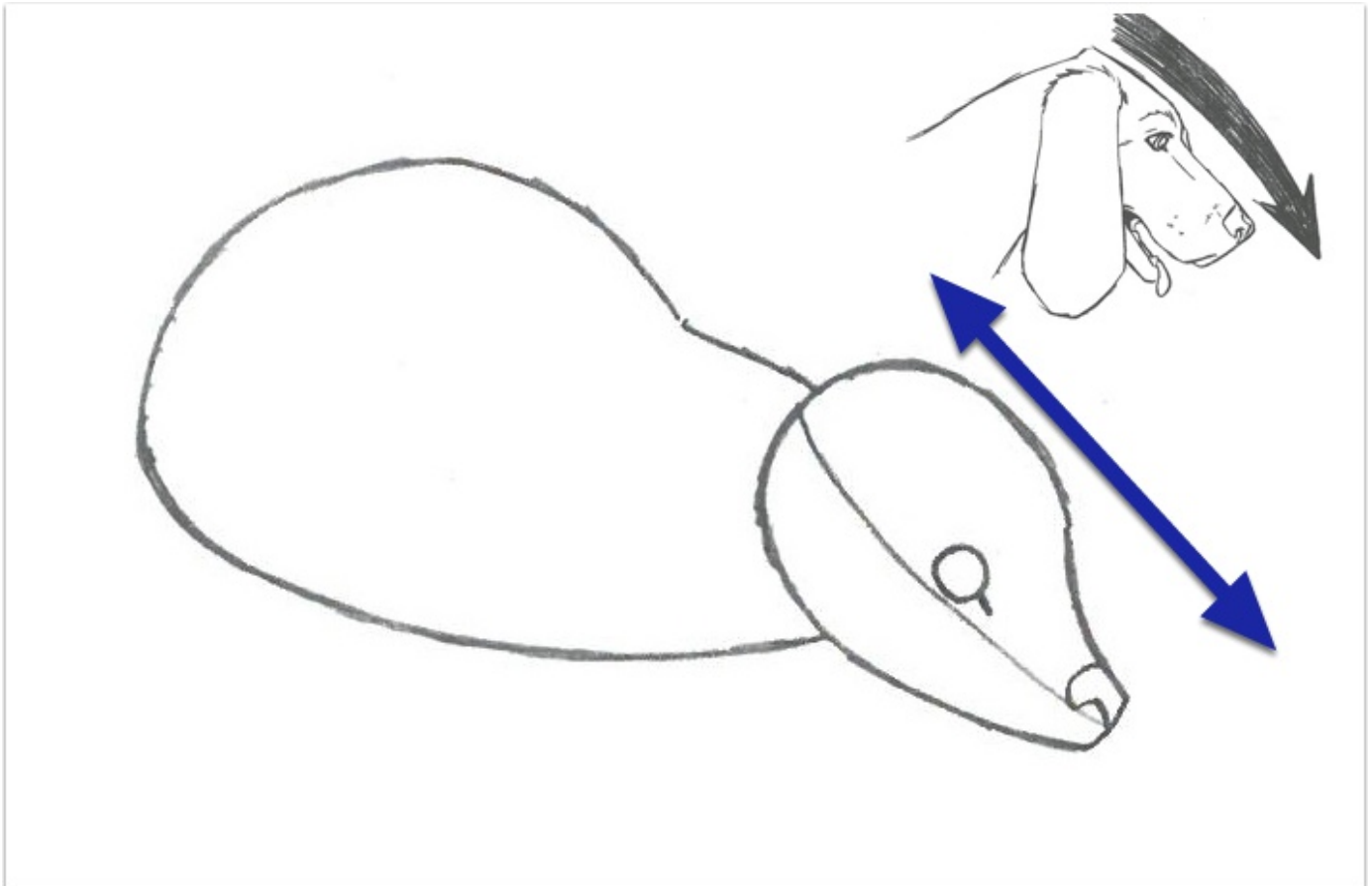
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Note: Drawing the Head of an Animal

Head of Animals

- **Most animals head tilts down slightly, for instance the head of a dog.**
- **The more massive an animal's head is the lower it hangs. Thus, it is also no coincidence that the larger an animal's head is the thicker its neck will be.**
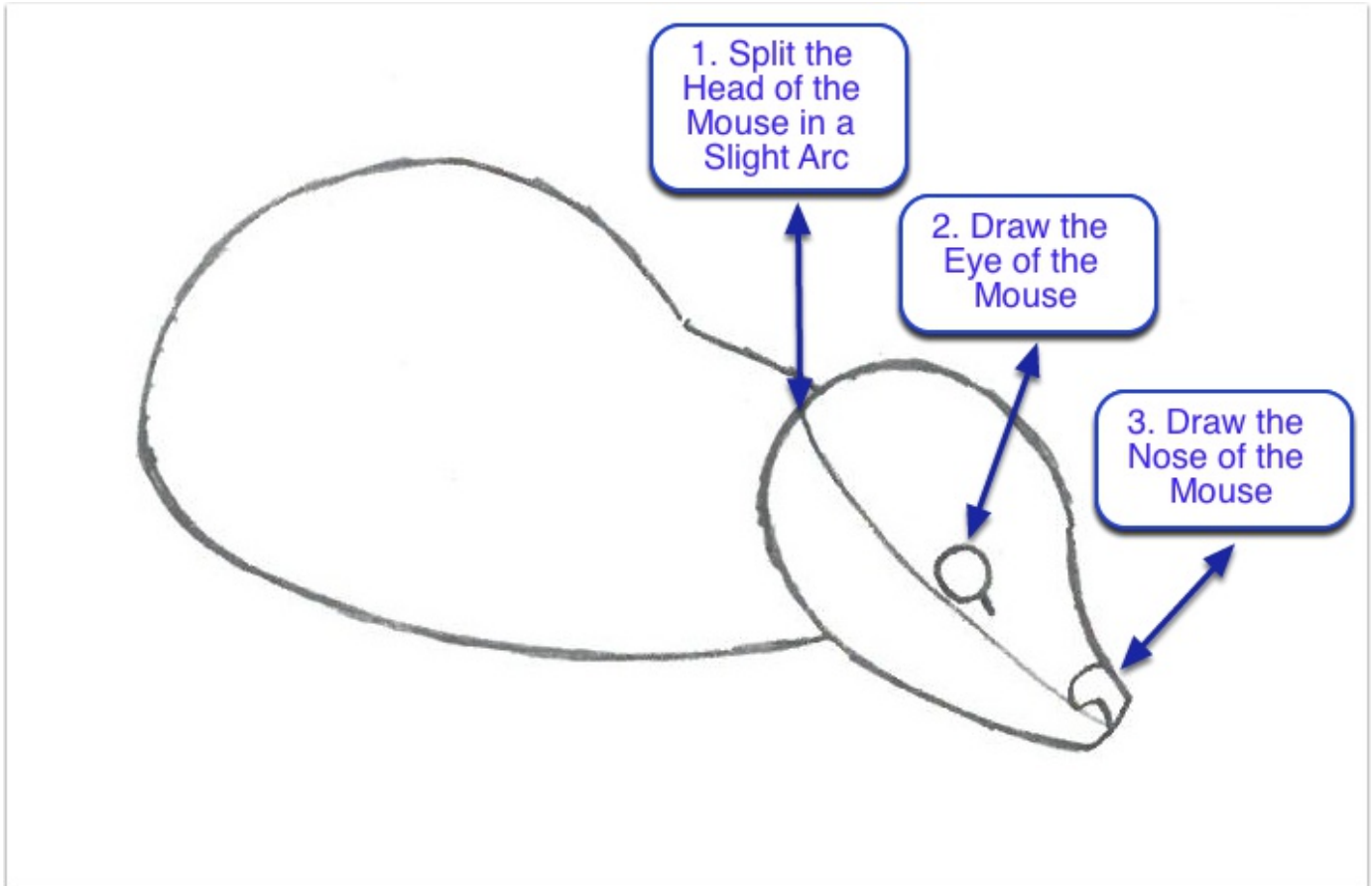

Next Draw the Eye and Nose of the Mouse

Split the head long ways to get the correct positioning of the eye and nose
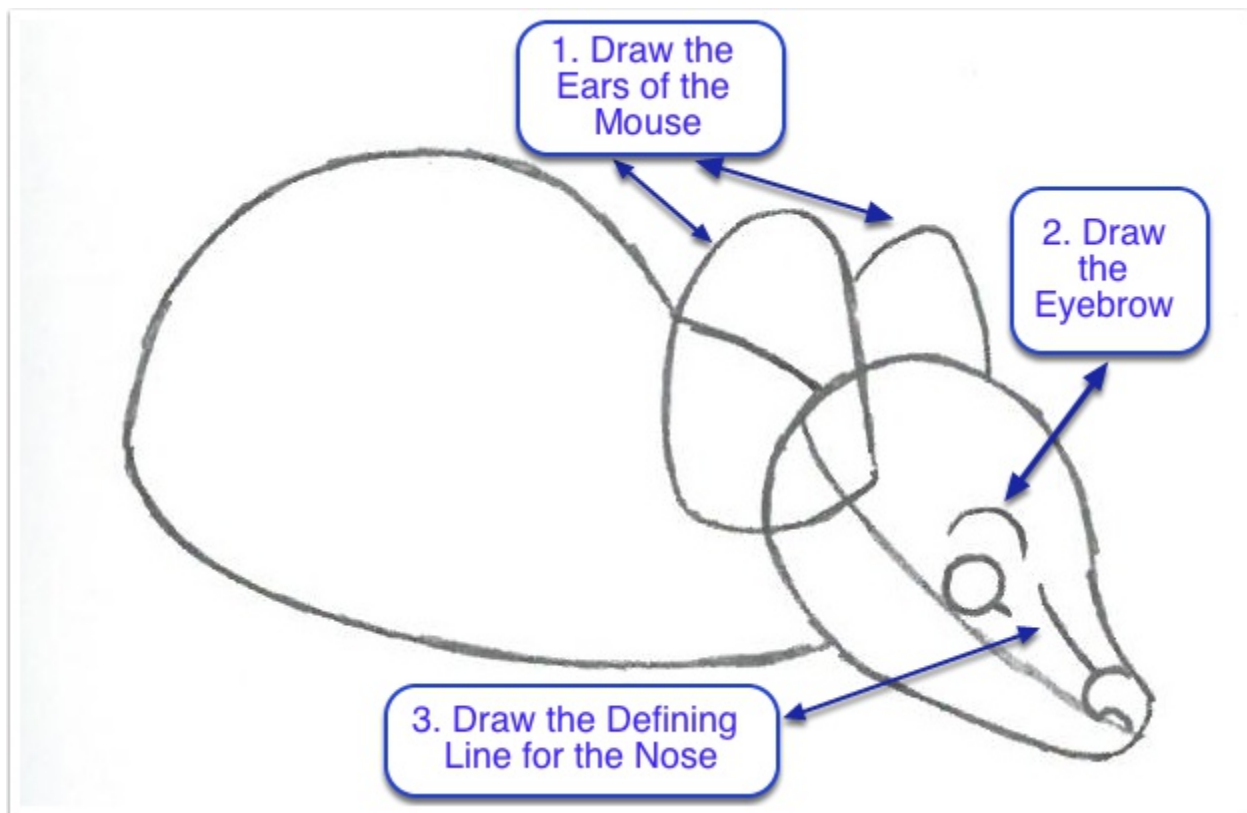
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1. **Split the Head of the Mouse in a Slight Arc (draw lightly!)**
2. **Draw the Eye**
3. **Draw the Nose**

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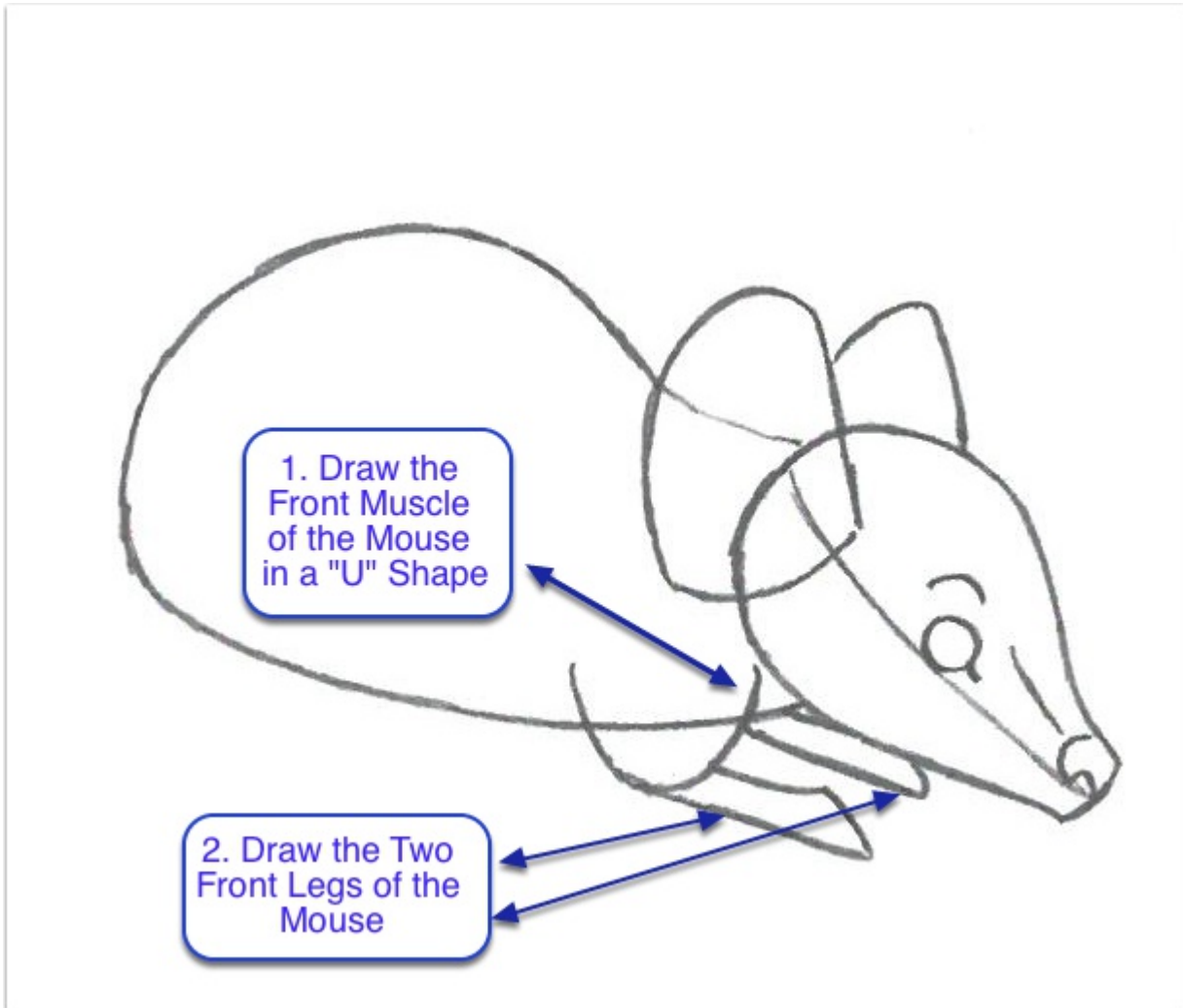## Draw the Ears, Eyebrow and Defining Line for the Nose of the Mouse

1. **Draw the Ears of the Mouse**
2. **Draw the Eyebrow of the Mouse**
3. **Draw the Defining Line for the Nose of the Mouse**

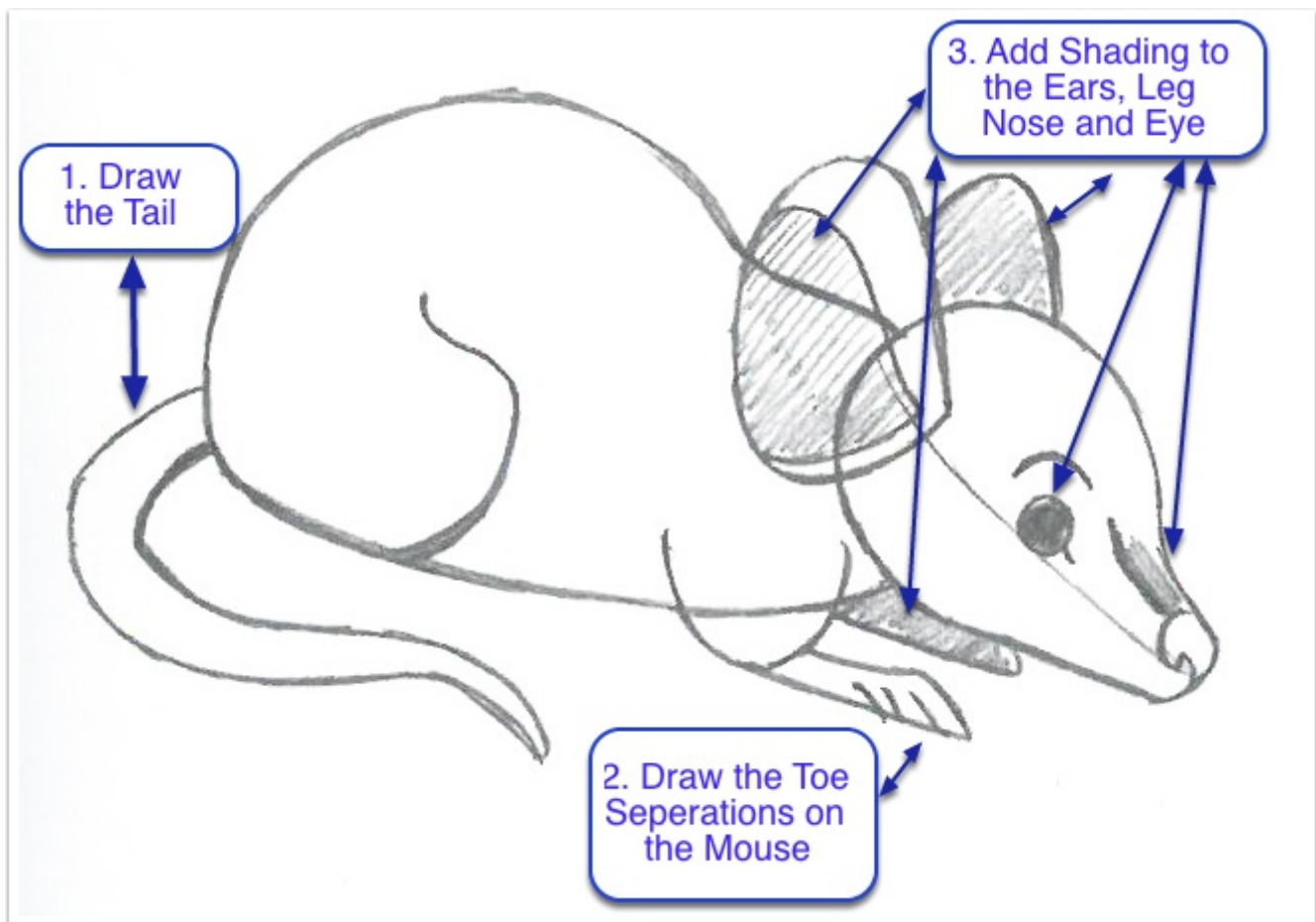# Tutorial on How to Draw a Mouse

Draw Front Legs of Mouse

1. Draw the front muscle of the mouse in a "U" shape as shown.
2. Draw the two front legs of the mouse.
3. Draw the lines for the toes seperations of the mouse.

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Draw the tail and add some details and shading to the drawing

1. **Draw the tail of the mouse.**
2. **Draw the toe seperations on the mouse.**
3. **Add shading to the ears, leg, top of nose, and the eye. Note the five places below:**

Finish Off Drawing of Mouse

1. **Add whiskers to the mouse.**

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2. **Erase line that splits the head and body line that front muscle covered.**
3. **Add hair to body of the mouse.**
4. **Add shading to the mouse.**
5. **Redefine eye and add slight line under eye.**

3. Add hair to the body

5. Redefine eye and add line slightly underneath

2. Erase the Lines

4. Add shading

1. Draw the Whiskers on the Mouse