Draw the Tower of London walls

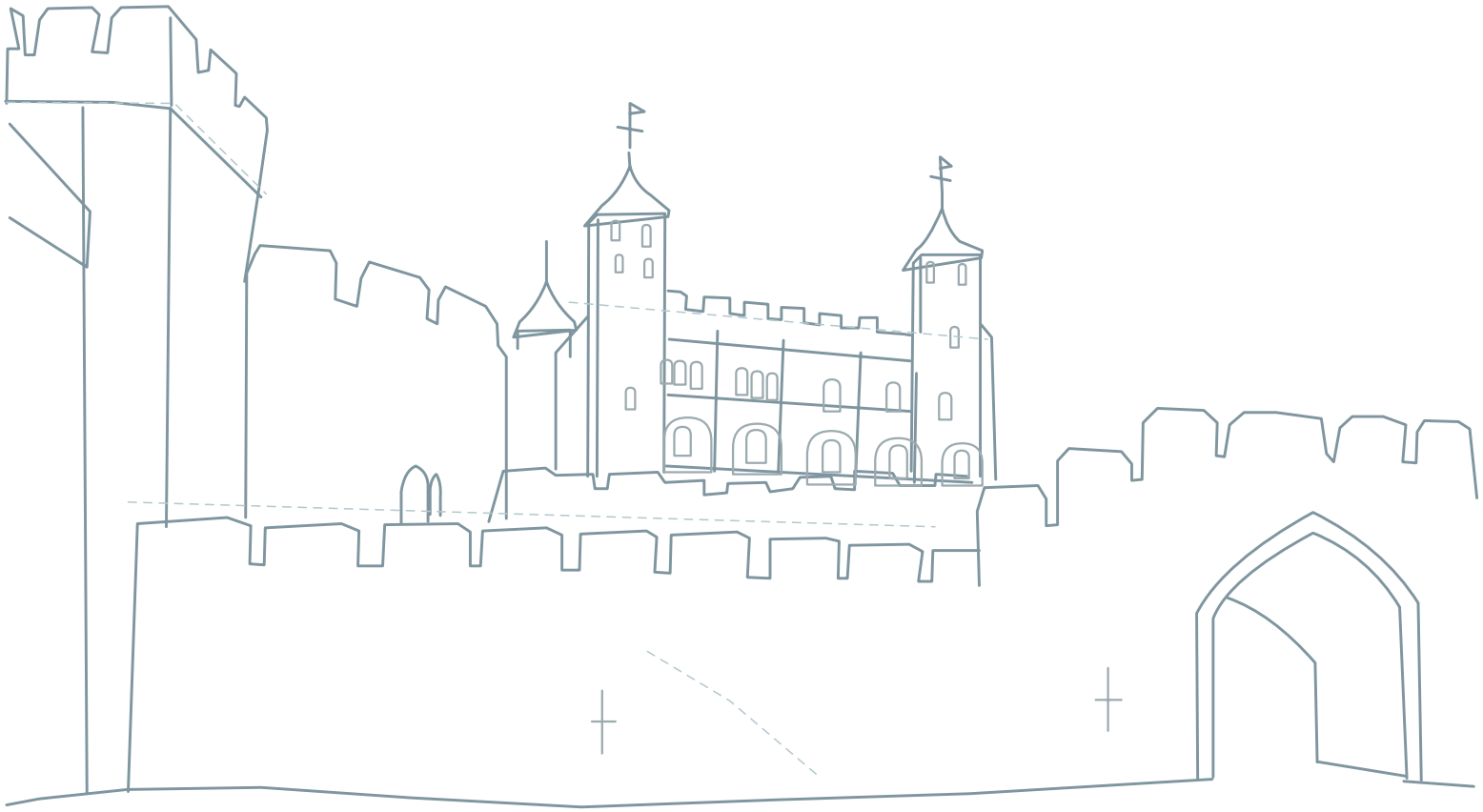
Intermediate

Guided drawing

Receding wall planes, overlapping towers and four values

DRAW HERE

Draw over the pale lines.



FINISHED REFERENCE



PENCIL PRACTICE

1. Follow the near wall to its corner. Compare the slopes of its top and base.
2. Set the White Tower behind the lower wall. Add the battlements and pointed gateway.
3. Use four values for the lit stone, turned faces, cast shadow and deep gateway.

PENCIL TONES

Shade from light to dark.

Light | Mid-light | Mid-dark | Dark

BEFORE YOU FINISH

Check the upright corners, receding angles and clear overlaps.

Draw the Tower of London walls

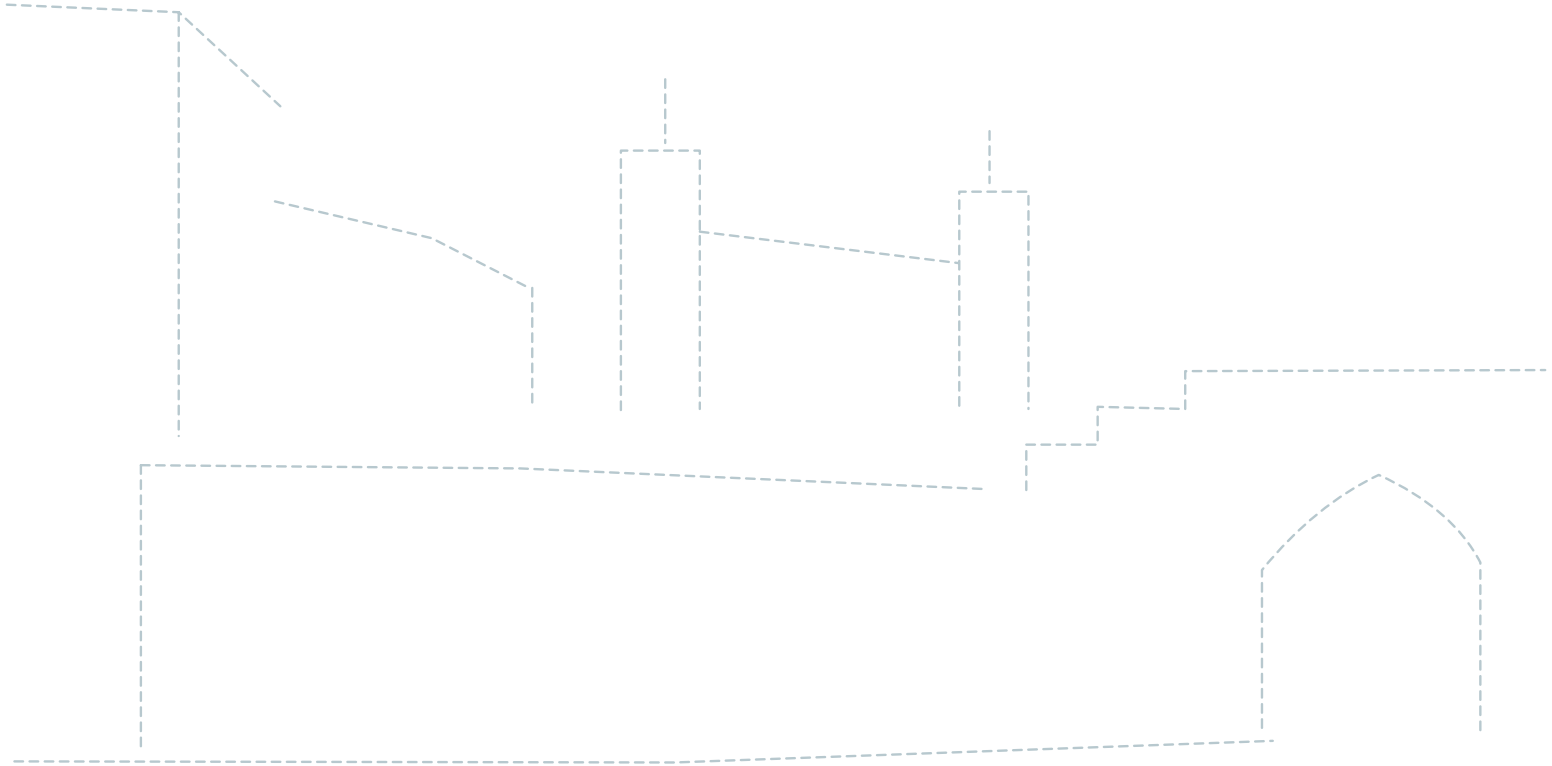
Intermediate

Draw with fewer guides

Receding wall planes, overlapping towers and four values

DRAW HERE

Start with the pale marks.



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PENCIL PRACTICE

1. Block in the near wall first. Draw the White Tower rising above it.
2. Work out the nearest corner. Let the battlements appear smaller farther away.
3. Add just a few stone joints. Use stronger contrast on the nearer wall.

PENCIL TONES

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Light | Mid-light | Mid-dark | Dark

BEFORE YOU FINISH

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