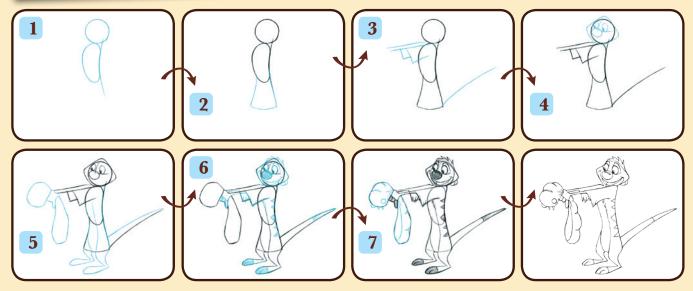






Learn to draw one of your favorite characters from THE LION KING with celebrated Disney Animator, Michael Surrey.

Follow these seven basic steps and you'll be drawing like a true Disney Animator!



Step 1:

- Start with a circle the starting point of his head
- Draw a curved peanut shape underneath the circle to define his body
- From his back, draw a line down to define his frame

Step 2:

• From the front of his body, draw a line down to define the rest of his frame

Step 3:

- To define Timon's arms and body, draw a line straight out from between the circle and peanut shape.
- Add a line to define the other arm along side your first arm
- Draw a small box underneath to define the hair under Timon's front arm. Do the same on his back arm, but offset it slightly.
- Move down to create his tail, by drawing a long arched line out from the lowest corner of his body frame.

Step 4:

- To define Timon's head, squash the shape of the circle slightly by giving it a gentle diamond shape.
- Draw a big circle for his nose in the lower left portion of the gentle diamond shape
- Add the smile lines for Timon's mouth
- Create Timon's eyes by drawing two oval shapes above the nose. Don't forget to add his pupils.

Step 5:

- To add Timon's hand, create a small angled box at the end of the lines for his arms.
- Don't forget to add Timon's fingers at the end of the box, but remember he's got a big Grub in his hands.
- To add the Grub, draw a big round, squishy shape with the head above Timon's hand and the round body extending below.
- Add Timon's feet but starting at the lower corner of his body frame and add a curved line for his leg and a straight line for the bottom of his foot. Repeat this on the other side of his body frame.
- Fill in his legs by drawing a line off of the tummy area and connect down to the bottom of his feet.
- Add long triangle shapes to define his feet!

Step 6:

- To define Timon's face, add his eyebrows by working off of the eye circles
- Soften the shape of Timon's face by adding a slight cheek line to the left side of his face.
- Fill in his nose and don't forget the bit of glare to his shiny nose.
- Add 3 or 4 hairs along the upper right side of his head, making the shapes different lengths.
- Add his ears by following along your original circle line, dropping down below his head in half circles on both sides. Don't forget to draw the inside part.
- Define his arms by adding hanging hair lines to the lower portion
- Define Timon's toes and give a bit more volume to his back.

Step 7:

- Add the stripes to his back just a few
- Define his tail a bit more buy shading-in the upper tip
- Shade-in Timon's toes
- Finish off Timon's tasty Grub by adding in the eyes & fangs for the mouth then add a line down the lower portion to define its body.

My Drawing of TIMON





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