Practical Exercise 4

Objectives:

1. To develop understanding of the importance of **style-lines** while illustrating *croquis*.

Material Required:

- 1. White Cartridge sheet (size A3).
- 2. Gateway Tracing paper/Tracing paper.
- 3. Clutch pencil, eraser, ruler, scissor, tape.

Procedure:

- 1. Select any *croqui* provided in Chapter 1.
- 2. Paste the photocopy of the same on an A3 size cartridge sheet.
- 3. Attach a tracing paper over the cartridge sheet (Use the tape only at the top leaving the paper free on 3 sides).
- 4. Trace the entire figure marking the following style-lines correctly:

i. Centre front line ii. Princess seams

iii. Neckline iv. Armholes

v. Across bust line vi. Waistline

- vii. Hipline (at the fullest part)
- viii. Crease line (where the legs join the torso)
- 5. Vertical Plumb-line from the neck to the floor (ensure that it is parallel to the edge of the sheet).
- 6. Draw the face and hair.
- 7. Draw shoes on her feet.

Observation and Discussion:

- 1. What is the role of fashion *croquis* in the fashion industry?
- 2. Why is it important to accurately place style-lines on *croquis*?