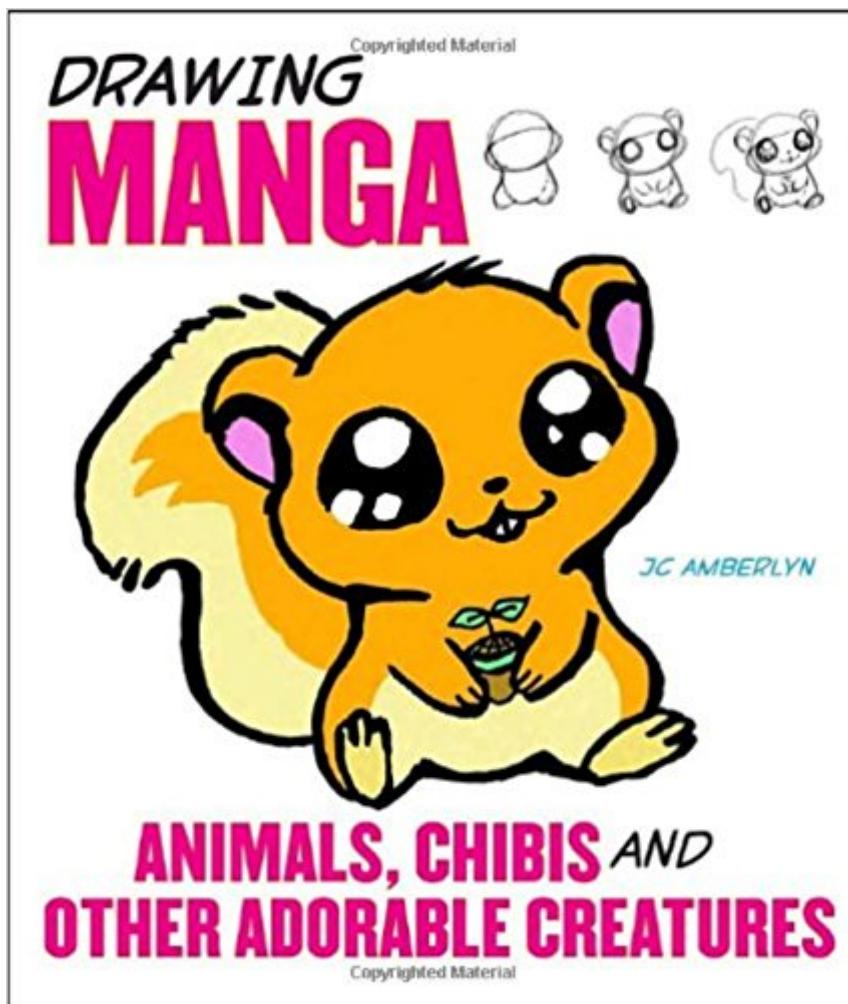


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Drawing Manga Animals, Chibis, And Other Adorable Creatures



Synopsis

Learn the Tricks of the Trade for Drawing Irresistibly Cute Manga-Style Animals and Chibis! The world of manga is filled with strange creatures and adorable sidekicks. Just about every manga hero and heroine has an animal mascot, and all the most popular ones have a cute "chibi" form. This book teaches aspiring manga artists how to create the funny critters that populate girls' manga and the more gritty, gothic creatures found in boys' manga. It starts with the basics of creating manga-style characters—everything from drawing heads and faces to eyes and expressions, to creating incredibly cute chibis. Part two features a valuable reference section on the mythological and real animals that have shaped Japanese artwork and stories. The final section has step-by-step demonstrations on using computer programs such as Photoshop and Corel Painter to create manga art and comics. So whether you're just starting out and want to draw a cute, simple mascot, or would like to try something more complex like an Asian dragon, or are ready to create your own otherworldly adventure, this book has something for you no matter what your skill level.

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Customer Reviews

J.C. AMBERLYN is an award-winning artist, animator, graphic novelist, photographer, and naturalist. She is the author of the bestselling *Drawing Wildlife*.

Cats, like dogs, have a long and storied history in Japanese culture. Whether an ordinary house cat or a supernatural youkai spirit, cats always know how to leave an impression. The Maneki Neko (welcoming cat) is a good example of the feline's place in Japanese popular culture. Many

Japanese shops display a statue of a calico cat with one paw raised in the air, which is the Japanese gesture for "Come here." This cat is believed to bring good luck to its owner. The lucky cat is usually depicted with a collar, bell, and some kind of decorative bib.

Bought it for my granddaughter for Christmas and she has mentioned several times how helpful it's been. She's shared it with her sister and cousins -- and one of the cousins recently won an art award from skills she learned from this book.

Illustrations for all sorts of animals? Yes. Fantasy, normal, even full-size despite being a book on chibis. You cannot, on any platform, fault this book for lack of illustration. The only things to really complain about are probably incredibly common complaints--lack of instruction. The diagrams are simple to follow and understand, but diagrams alone can't tell you all you need to know (unless you fly that way, in which case I would be jealous.) The written instructions are lacking enough to leave a bit of a roadblock, so if you're not confident in your ability to "Look, copy, draw", then I don't really recommend this. If you are confident however, this is a great reference piece; aside from normal animals, instead of going for the typical western creatures, we have the eastern demons--includes the eastern Dragon, Kirin, Phoenix, Bakeneko, Kitsune, Tengu, and lots of other animals and creatures related to Japan and its mythology. If you compare content with instruction, its slightly off-balance; still, this book receives a minimum of 3 stars from me.

Got for a gift for a 12 year old. She loved it.

This book is not just a drawing book, but also has a lot of Japanese folklore, and information in it. This is the second time I've purchased it, as the first book was stolen from my classroom.

Overall there was a lot of information in the book. I would of preferred to see a lot more picture illustrating the steps. The pictures that are there are rather small even when enlarged in my kindle. as I said there was a great deal of useful information and I'm sure that using it in conjunction with other books I have bought will help immensely.

This item arrived before Xmas, as the seller promised. Good customer service & prompt shipment. The book is well-made, with many detailed instructions & tips for learning how to draw manga. My tweens are having fun making art with it. I recommend this seller & product.

Adorable creatures to draw. I hope to master the technique so I can put my own spin on the method. Great for bulletin boards and kids art.

Purchased for my 11 year old niece as a part of her Christmas gift and she loved it! I like how the lessons start easy and build so that she can "grow" with the book.

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