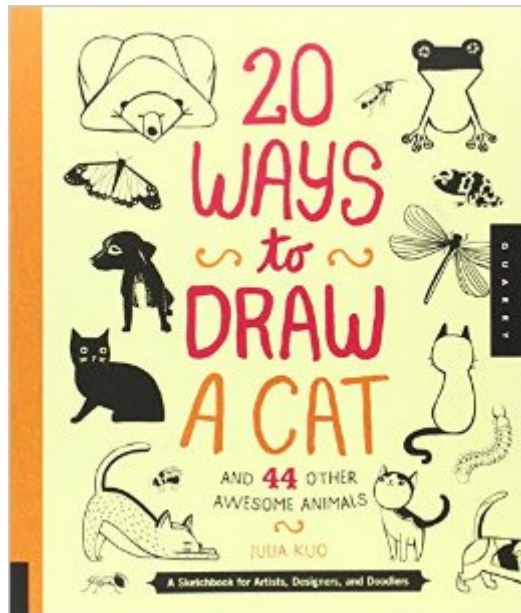


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# 20 Ways To Draw A Cat And 44 Other Awesome Animals: A Sketchbook For Artists, Designers, And Doodlers



## Synopsis

This inspiring sketchbook is part of the new 20 Ways series from Quarry Books, designed to offer artists, designers, and doodlers a fun and sophisticated collection of illustration fun. Each spread features 20 inspiring illustrated examples of 45 themes—cat, giraffe, seal, elephant, whale—and much, much more—over 900 drawings, with blank space for you to draw your take on 20 Ways to Draw a Cat. This is not a step-by-step technique book—rather, the stylized animals are simplified, modernized, and reduced to the most basic elements, showing you how simple abstract shapes and forms meld to create the building blocks of any item that you want to draw. Each of the 20 interpretations provides a different, interesting approach to drawing a single item, providing loads of inspiration for your own drawing. Presented in the author's uniquely creative style, this engaging and motivational practice book provides a new take on the world of sketching, doodling, and designing.

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20 Ways to Draw a Cat is a fun animal drawing book. Besides cats, there are also a lot of other animals you can draw, such as giraffes, tigers, frogs, snails, whales and many more. For each animal, there are 20 illustrated examples and empty space left on the pages to draw on. The

artworks are really nice and aimed at kids. They are a mixture of black and white line art, line art with colours, and full coloured drawings. They are nothing too complicated and anyone can just look at them and draw, either follow in style or come up with one from imagination. There are a total of 900 drawings. The book comes with a special binding allows it to be laid down perfectly flat for drawing. It's a fun activity book for kids. I read on there's a teacher who bought the book for ideas on drawing also.

I bought this book because of our recently adopted kittens. My granddaughter and I love to color and draw and I thought it would be helpful to have some easy images to work from. I can recommend this book if you want to encourage your creative side.

I love to doodle and draw but I often need inspiration. This book provides the perfect assortment of adorable creatures for me to sketch and have fun with.

My grown up daughter, who is a professional artist, loved these books that I gave her for Christmas - giving her ideas on other ways to design and draw things.

This would be a good book if it was actually a "How to draw" these things book. This is a "Here's my pictures, figure out how I did it." book. Hopefully I can get \*some\* "inspiration" from it.

If you are an artist looking for animal designs and tend toward a cute, illustrative style, then I would highly recommend this book. With basic lines and shapes and using only 2 or 3 colors (predominately black and white), Kuo shows 20 ways to convey a myriad of animals in simple, pleasing styles. Please note that this is a sourcebook of illustrations and not a step-by-step guide on drawing. The "Look Inside" feature pretty much shows what you're going to get in this book - a page or two of various illustrations of one type of animal with some blank space to draw your own interpretations. If you want a step-by-step, learn how to draw guide, then you'll find this book frustrating and inadequate for that purpose. This is a great book if you are looking for inspiration and visual ideas and not so much a how-to.

Good idea, very simple - exactly what it says it is. It will be helpful for people wanting to expand their ideas of what drawing can be, IF they have the initiative to look, think and practice. For my adolescent psych patients, it has not been as interesting or inspirational as I had hoped - yet. They

might need to see someone model ways to use the ideas, which I haven't tried yet.

This is not a "how to" book, but rather an idea book. The author uses a variety of styles in her examples, so it's a good reference to flip through.

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