

Synopsis

An exciting book perfect for artists, drawers, doodlers and scribblers, filled with an astonishing selection of activities, from wonderfully wild pictures to colour in to doodle-starters from which drawings can grow and grow until they cover the whole page. Doodlers can complete the scenes however they want and the craft paper quality pages are ideal for drawing on. Book Details: Format: Paperback Publication Date: 6/1/2010 Pages: 126 Reading Level: Age 9 and Up

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Age Range: 9 and up

Grade Level: 4 and up

Customer Reviews

This wonderful book is perfect for the artist among us who just needs that extra bit of inspiration to get started. The book is jam packed full of doodles and part-drawn illustrations on a theme (from monsters to butterflies!), each with a handy little direction "draw monsters around the eyes!" to get the creative juices flowing. High quality colored images on every page, printed on nice thick paper - definitely thick enough to withstand crayons and colored pencils (I haven't tried markers on there yet!) - Usborne books does it again! I'll be buying a few of these for adults and kids alike this holiday season for a unique and fun creative gift!

This drawing, doodle, coloring book is wonderful for young adolescent children who are interested in

art but who maybe feel they are not talented. The book gives you starters for pictures to draw and plenty of opportunities to color artistically. It is very well illustrated.

The Usbourne color and doodle books are so great! Look on [uk](#) to see inside the book. Pictures are gorgeous colors and fun to color. My girls (10 and 6) love them and so do I. Perfect for older kids that enjoy coloring as well. Stick them in the car and your bag to take them with you to places you need to pass time. Can't recommend enough, my new favorite gift for everyone! Worth every cent!

I'm not the best artist out there, especially not with paper and pencil! (I'm a graphic artist) but this book is lovely! I adore my copy! :) It gives you half finished images and Some pages that just need some colors and fun shapes to fill in, and although many other doodle books offer these same things, i had NEVER seen some of these designs before! these aren't typical houses or clothing that just need details, it's a blank spot in a page of monsters so you can fill in your own. it's a bunch of owls that you can make any color you want, it's a page of swirls that makes you feel giddy as you fill in stars and extend the rainbows! It makes me feel full of creativity. It's a cross between a sketch book and a coloring book and i think that's awesome! I'd recommend it for kids and adults alike! especially if you're the type that still loves the smell of crayola crayons fresh out of the box! :) I would also recommend making photo copies of the pages you love the most so that you have extra copies (that's what i do) and when your pages become worn and the binding is breaking, fill in the pages for real and then buy a new copy! hehe :) (or just keep photo copying, whichever hehe!)

This is such a FUN book. I have 3 girls ages 2, 2, and 4. I'll tell you.....we have a blast together creating all kinds of hilarious and pretty things!! I highly recommend this book, love how thick the pages are, and all the variety!!

Though recommended for ages 9+ this book works well for our recipient - a 6 yr old boy with a great interest in art (and definitely not too feminine for his tastes either). There is more to this than just coloring - it is thinking about the exercise presented on each double page spread. The dimensions of this book should be noted as larger than most common coloring books. The paper quality is good but it has yet to be tested by me with an "adult" alcohol based marker (Copic) or water based marker (Tombow) - or the student/kid quality of marker - for bleed through. My recipient has been watching adults "ZENTANGLE" in the past months and this book contains opportunities to work on a Zentangle type patterning/design type project(s). This DEFINITELY would make an economical

b-day gift with makers/pens/crayons attached. HINT: the SAKURA brand METALLIC Gelly Roll pens run smoothly and work well on this paper - plus all ages seem to enjoy them.

After taking a look inside online I decided to purchase this book for myself! :) I'm a graphic designer and illustrator, always doodling and drawing, and sometimes it's nice to have someone else hint at what you should doodle. This coloring book has beautiful artwork that you can color or add to when you'd otherwise be scratching away on a napkin. I like to leave it out on the coffee table with some bright markers when guests come over so that they can play around with it too. Of course if someone brings a child over they can see that coloring can be enjoyed by all ages. If you're looking for a gift for a child or crafty adult this one will cross over to both - it's whimsical and fun while also classy in it's layout and imagery. Well done Usborne!

Got this for a friend who loves to doodle and was recovering from back surgery with heavy meds. This way, she can doodle and continue what the book suggests or do her own doodles, and neither requires a lot of thought or effort. She said it was the best present she had ever received! The book is gorgeous and substantial, and I wanted to get another one for myself, even though I'm not much of a doodler!N.B. I bought this with the Mr. Sketch thin markers, and the receiver of this gift is a lady in her 50's.

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