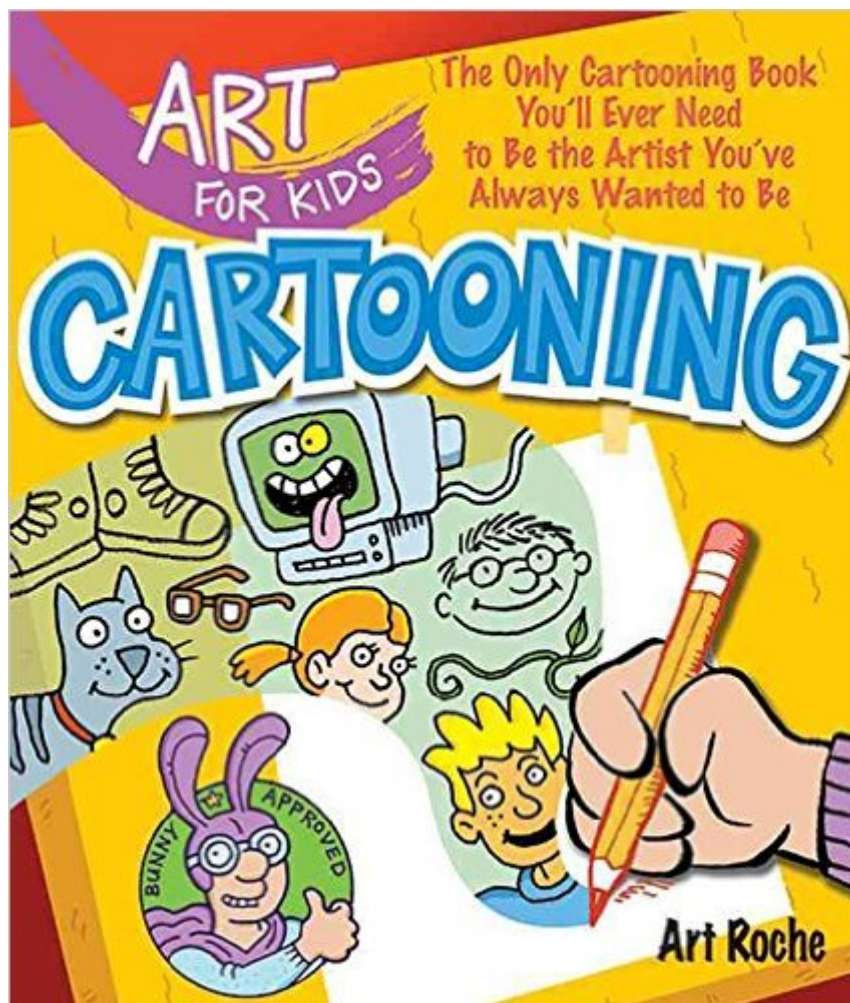


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# Art For Kids: Cartooning: The Only Cartooning Book You'll Ever Need To Be The Artist You've Always Wanted To Be



## Synopsis

Any child who can make a stick figure can learn to create funny cartoons—and this enjoyably illustrated guide tells them exactly how. Written by professional cartoonist Art Roche, it gives kids lots of hands-on opportunities to turn their creative ideas into delightfully drawn reality. Roche encourages budding artists to develop a personal vision, rather than trace or copy someone else's style; he also includes plenty of information that other children's how-to books overlook, including advice on writing jokes, composing panels, and getting published.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 8 and up

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## Customer Reviews

This is unlike any other cartooning book past or present. Too many books of this genre show you the standard "draw an oval and a triangle and now you have a duck!" or "draw like I do!" instructions. Art Roche's book teaches kids to think, to imagine, to be funny. Art gives readers the tools to pursue their styles, not his. It's an easy read, full of great illustrations, and humorous examples. Art Roche makes anyone from 4 to 84 want to pick up a pencil and have fun! Great gift for any kid or kid at heart.

My 12-year-old picked up this book and devoured it in one sitting, reporting it helped him conquer some of the problems he had encountered as a recreational cartoonist. He especially enjoyed the

section devoted to writing. This is a gorgeous book - hardcover with color on every page. Great art, lively text, and very inspiring - it works as both a "how-to" and personal cartooning cheerleader.

Beautiful Book. Purchased for my 9 year old granddaughter as a Christmas Present. She loves to draw and wants to be a cartoonist. I know she will love this book. So easy to understand!

My daughter absolutely loves this book and it improved her cartoons right away! I like the variety of different possible features presented. This is a beautiful, very well done book. Christine Mitchell, author and illustrator of: Welcome Home, Forever Child: A Celebration of Children Adopted as Toddlers, Preschoolers, and Beyond

Very nice quality book. When I ordered this book it was for a 8 year old grandson for Christmas. But after receiving it I think it is too advanced for that age. I am giving it to a 11 year old grandson that loves to draw so think this will be a better match.

I got this as a gift for a kid, but wished I could just keep it. It has all sorts of practical tips, including info about what sorts of pencils, erasers & pens to use, and it's full of great illustrations. (The kid really seemed to like it.)

I bought this book for my kids, but it makes me want to sit down and doodle!

My nine-year-old grandson loves this book. He carries it with him when he gets in the car to keep himself busy. He's learning bone fide drawing techniques. He'd like to write graphic novels, and he's well on his way.

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