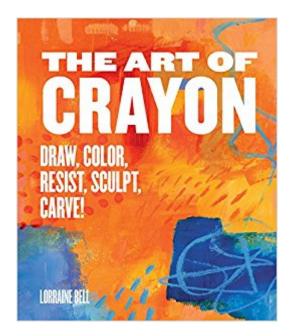
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# The Art Of Crayon: Draw, Color, Resist, Sculpt, Carve!





## Synopsis

Create astonishing artwork with crayons!Crayons aren't just for kids anymore!Sculptors use them whole, bundling thousands of crayons to create environmental and installation-size sculptures. Carvers pierce and reshape crayons with scalpels, turning them into mini totems, helixes, and portrait busts. Landscape and still-life artists layer crayon shades in works on paper that rival paintings in their subtlety and depth. What will you do?!The Art of Crayon will guide you through a gallery of works by contemporary artists who use crayons as a diverse and dynamic medium. Each chapter includes a specific style of crayon artwork, complete with engaging projects from author Lorraine Bell to help you learn different techniques. From sculpture, to carving, to melted wax and drawing, you'll soon become a master crayon artist!

### **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

this book is a 5 star book if you are looking for a book on artist who use crayon in their work, lots of great images and different ways of using crayon. it is a 1 star book if you are looking for lessons and ways you can use crayon, there are 5 lessons total, one per chapter and only one of them seemed mildly interesting (personal taste, maybe you will love them all). Also I think the author/printer did a dis-service by printing on matte paper instead of gloss, it diminishes the awesome photographs of work throughout.

Awesome. Never knew crayons had such a beautiful history. I can remember doing all different things with crayons when I was a little girl - and that was 70 years ago. The author has such a beautiful way with words. She made crayons come alive again for me.

I thought crayons were only good for a rainy day with the kids or to pass the time in a restaurant waiting for dinner. This book is unbelievable!!! I've never see anything this creative and technically savvy. Kudos to the author!! Cannot wait to see volume 2!!!

Incredible and imaginative concept! Every page is filled with original works that truly spurred my creative side. Can't wait to see what this author dreams up next!

Really great ideas and tips for artists of all levels. Such a thorough look at different uses of crayons. Enjoyable read and great gift idea

This book is illustrated very well, the artist are represented very well, will recommend it to anyone who loves to push the limits of artistic ways.

#### An excellent book! Who knew so many artists use crayons!

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