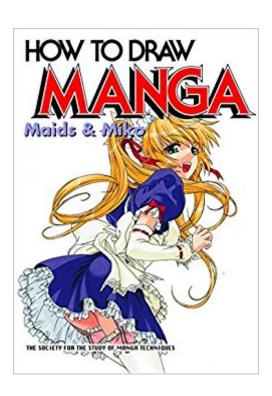# How To Draw Manga: Maids & Miko

Synopsis

In this volume, which targets all levels of manga artists, from those first starting out to the highly advanced, explanations of techniques in drawing maid uniforms and the traditional dress of miko (maiden in the service of a Shinto shrine) are provided along with copious amounts of images. Examples of explanations are those provided on the pieces making up the uniform most commonly used in illustrations. This is a unique publication, focusing on maids and miko, a topic previously attempted.

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Customer Reviews

I actually enjoyed the book. It gives you an idea on the ruffles and how the clothing drapes the body. Really helpful if you are creating a character with frilly clothing. This book also has some poses that will be very helpful if you get stuck on a certain pose. It has posing in chairs with the legs crossed (one that I say can be very difficult!), reclining,kneeling on one leg, bowing, and so on. If you are looking to draw characters from the feudal era (like inuyasha) or a shrine maiden/ or maid, then this is definately a book for you. It isn't for beginners though, I think it may be more for those along the levels of intermediate and above. For those who are weary of nudity, then this is also a book for you, It doesn't contain any nudity at all.

This book is especially good for those looking to improve their knowledge of how fabric hangs on the body, and/or if one wants to understand how traditional miko outfits actually work. Not just for

maid outfits, but for any girl character who may wear a frilly dress, it is very helpful.. with views from all directions...and detailed information on areas that may be the most difficult, such as ruffles, sleeves, back views, etc. It's not for beginners, but it's a great addition to any "How To Draw Manga" collection. I loved it!

The pictures in this book were clear and adorable! It made a great gift for our friend, and will for anyone who is a fan of manga/anime, and happens to love art!. It includes a variety of different poses, outfits, and textures to practice with, but if you are a beginner you'll need patients! If you're looking for a simple walk through you might want to look somewhere else, as this focuses more on small details than the basic style of manga. That being said, it's a great item to have simply for the novelty.

The picture on this book is misleading the actual contents are way more reserved than that, which i was happy about, and it was filled with loads of models and different perspectives and poses that can really help,although its not a traditional step by step HTD (how to draw) book we see in america its more of a guide for those who are experienced...all in all i liked it and it was sent fast and in great condition thank you

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