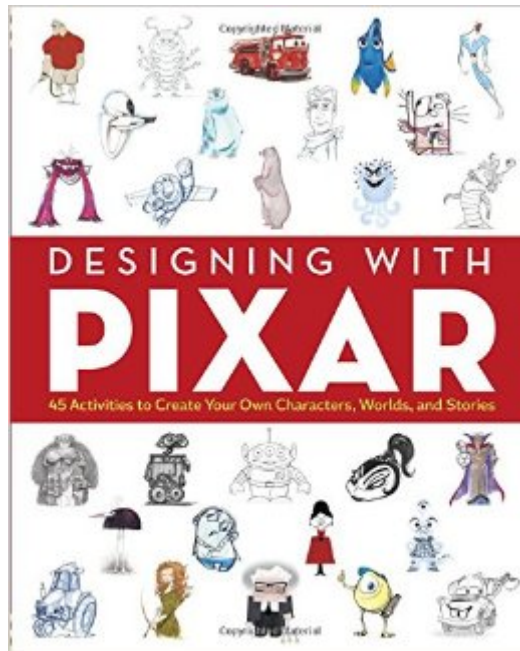# Designing With Pixar: 45 Activities To Create Your Own Characters, Worlds, And Stories

Synopsis

Creativity abounds in this one-of-a-kind activity book from Pixar Animation Studios. Inspired by behind-the-scenes work of Pixar's animators, it encourages fans and artists to explore their own imaginations through Pixar's favorite characters and iconic scenes. Prompts from films such as Toy Story, Cars, Brave, Inside Out, and more invite discoveries about color, shape, character design, and scene settingâ "and how all of these interact to tell a visual story. This is a dynamic and inventive activity book like no other!

Book Information

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Average Customer Review: 3.8 out of 5 starsÂ Â See all reviewsÂ (11 customer reviews)

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

Grade Level: 1 - 7

Customer Reviews

I feel like a d-bag for writing this review, but buyers need to know that this is a glorified coloring book for kids. I was expecting higher instructional learning for students trying to get into the industry. A kid would probably really like it, though.

This book is fraught with activities, for sure. But the book's big type, plain-spoken language, and very basic activities - most of which are coloring - makes me think that this is not for the self-learning person or professional. It comes off as a child's activity book, and I wish it were advertised as such. This is less about design thinking, theory, and activities for practice, and more about completing basic activities like, "Draw 4 versions of Merida's curly hair."The reason why I gave it 3 stars instead of 2 or 1 was because, though it feels geared toward middle-school children, some of the activities

could be repurposed as actual design prompts depending on how you frame them. It costs $10 for a reason; you've been warned.

Really disappointing book, its way to boring for kids and totally uninspired for adults. I cant imagine who thought this was a good execution of what should have been a very exciting studio to pull are sketches, ideas, art to make a creative activity art book. Skip it, instead grab a Doodle Idea coloring book youll have more fun. Or the Disney Sketchbook if you want to see some great pencil art of Disney Pixar movies.Id return it but damn, i colored the first few pages before i realized it was rotten.

Not quite what I was expecting. It's a children's activity booklet. I had anticipated something a little more in depth, but I suppose it was my own fault for not reading the description a bit more.If you're looking for something for a younger child who likes to draw and loves pixar this is the item for you, otherwise it's mildly disappointing.

Terrific for a creative middle schooler, or even a bit younger. Especially if they are a Pixar fan. Fun for them to draw on their knowledge of the film for some of the activities, and then branch out and create their own designs and stories. A+

Thought it was an art book, it's a children's activity book. Would love it if it were an adult activity book or if I was a child.

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