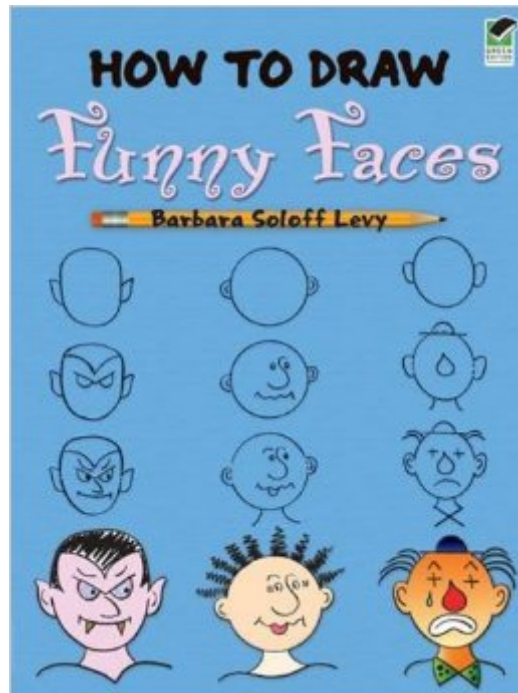


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# How To Draw Funny Faces (Dover How To Draw)



## Synopsis

Beginning artists will find it a snap to create humorous portraits with this simple drawing guide. Step-by-step lessons show how to draw little girls with unusual ponytails, a bearded leprechaun, a balding man, a lady with a funny hat, and other odd faces by combining ovals and circles and adding curvy lines and squiggles. 116 black-and-white illustrations plus blank practice pages.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 5 - 10 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 5

## Customer Reviews

In the heat of the day  
With the breeze of a fan  
When your child wants to draw  
And you say that he can  
And he wants to draw faces  
Yes, faces so funny  
So you take out this book (Which costs so little money)  
And he opens the book  
And he flips through the pages  
With cartoony sketches  
In various stages  
Then his little brow furrows  
With pencil in hand  
As he tries to find faces  
Not ugly or bland  
"Mummy," says he, "These are all rather cheesy  
Some are quite hard  
And some are too easy  
The clown is too sad  
And the vampire sucks  
I think that I'd rather  
Go draw me some Trucks"  
I looked at the book  
And I saw what he meant  
Although younger children  
Might well be content  
I'd hoped it would show  
Faces happy and sad  
Or laughing or yelling  
Or angry or mad  
It lacks inspiration  
The drawings aren't nice  
You get what you pay for  
At such a low price  
Amanda Richards, July 10, 2008

This does not have the most interesting cartoon characters but it is a book that kids can pick up on their own & do very basic cartoon faces without any help.

Even the little one is sitting down to try and draw the funny faces . The parents are having fun too.

When my grand daughter comes to visit, I like to create a fun environment for her. I bought "How To Draw Funny Faces" for her, and she loved it. Usually she spends no more than 10 minutes on a project or game, but she spent close to an hour drawing the various faces in the book and then hung them on my refrigerator. Great for kids to learn to draw and fun.

I was expecting much more from this book. It rehashes the same expressions over and over again. No directions on how to actually make a funny face, such as changing the expressions of features i.e. raised eyebrows, crossed eyes, dimples at mouth, funny ears. I was disappointed and wouldn't buy this book again.

No bodies in this book. For each face you are given 3-4 steps. Each step adds different elements of the face. Dashed lines indicate lines to be erased. A practice page is adjacent to the instruction page. However, the practice page has the next project on the other side. I would suggest a drawing pad for practice and tracing paper for more challenging projects. I plan on sitting down with my grandson to do the first drawing, show him how some of the features look like letters(O,S,D,C,W, J) explain the dashes and have him use the tracing paper for the faces he feels are difficult. I would have given it 5 stars if it had a practice page which could be removed.

I ordered this book for my 5 year old and it is a lot of fun. The steps are very easy to follow, something I have found not to be the case in other "how to draw" books. Enjoy.

entertained my 10 year old nephew for hours as made faces for everyone he knew...

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