



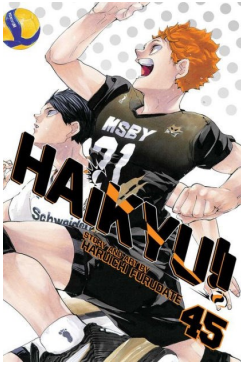
Manga for Teens

A selection of manga for teens

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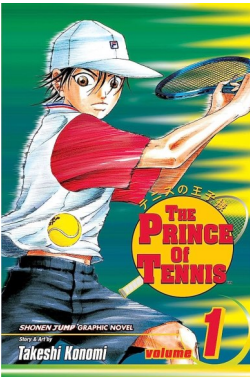
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Sports Reads



Furudate, Haruichi
Haikyu!

After losing his first and last volleyball match against Tobio Kageyama, “the King of the Court,” Shoyo Hinata swears to become his rival after graduating middle school. But what happens when the guy he wants to defeat ends up being his teammate?!



Konomi, Takeshi
The Prince of Tennis

Ryoma's father was destined for greatness until he injured himself during a match, ending his career forever. His talent was passed to his son, who is determined to be the best tennis player in the world. Can a twelve-year-old gain the respect of his teammates despite his small size and young age?

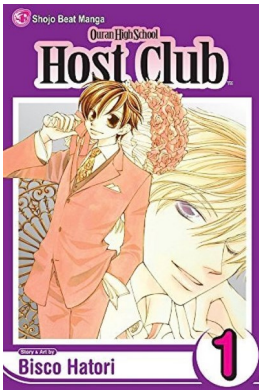
Romantic Comedy



Kawahara, Kazune
My Love Story!

Takeo can hardly believe it when he crosses paths with Yamato again, and he finds himself falling in love with her... But with handsome Sunakawa around, does Takeo even stand a chance?

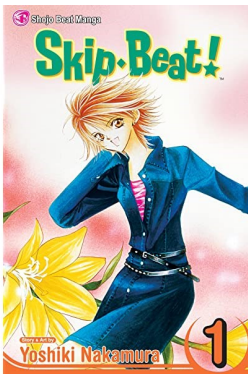
Classic Shojo



Hatori, Bisco

Ouran High School Host Club

One day, Haruhi, a scholarship student at exclusive Ouran High School, breaks an \$80,000 vase that belongs to the "Host Club," a mysterious campus group consisting of six super-rich (and gorgeous) guys. To pay back the damages, she is forced to work for the club, and it's there that she discovers just how wealthy the boys are and how different they are from everybody else.



Nakamura, Yoshiki

Skip Beat!

Kyoko followed her true love, Sho, to Tokyo and supported him while he made it big as an idol. Now, he says she means nothing to him, so Kyoko sets out to become even bigger than Sho, but finds that her bitter heart may be her undoing.



Takaya, Natsuki

Fruits Basket

Tohru Honda was an orphan with no place to go until the mysterious Sohma family offered her a place to call home. Now her ordinary high school life is turned upside down as she's introduced to the Sohma's world of magical curses and family secrets.

Slice of Life



Azuma, Kiyohiko

Yotsuba&!

With no knowledge of the world around her, Yotsuba has her new neighbors' heads spinning. Join the hilarious exploits of an out-of-this-world schoolgirl as her befuddled friends attempt to uncover the secrets behind this strange child!

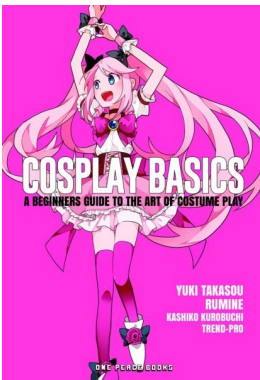


Oda, Tomohito

Komi Can't Communicate

Socially anxious high school student Shoko Komi would love to make friends, but her shyness is interpreted as reserve, and the other students keep her at a distance. Only timid Tadano realizes the truth, and despite his own desire to blend in, he decides to help her achieve her goal of making 100 friends.

Cosplay



Takasou, Yuki

Cosplay Basics: A Beginner's Guide to the Art of Costume Play

Learn the basics of cosplay with original designs and patterns, lists of cosplay events, photography tips and more.

Popular Action



Gotouge, Koyoharu

Demon Slayer

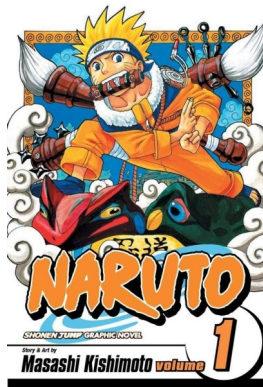
In Taisho-era Japan, Tanjiro Kamado is a kindhearted boy who makes a living selling charcoal until his peaceful life is shattered when a demon slaughters his family and turns his sister into another demon, forcing Tanjiro on a dangerous journey to destroy the demon and save his sister.



Horikoshi, Kohei

My Hero Academia

Without any special power, middle school student Izuku Midoriya has no chance of getting into the prestigious U.A. High School for budding heroes, but an encounter with the great hero All Might gives him an opportunity to change his destiny.

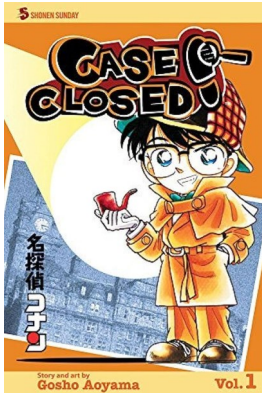


Kishimoto, Masashi

Naruto

Twelve years ago Konohagakure was attacked by a fearsome threat--a nine-tailed fox demon which claimed the life of the Hokage. Today, peace has returned, and a troublemaking orphan named Uzumaki Naruto is struggling to graduate from the ninja Academy. His goal: to become the next Hokage. But unknown to Naruto, within him is a terrifying force...

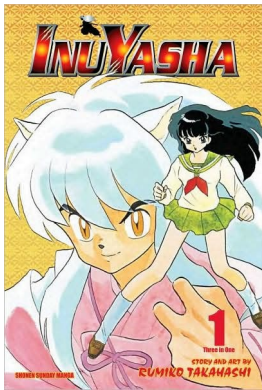
Classic Shonen



Aoyama, Gosho

Case Closed

Precocious high school student Jimmy Kudo uses his keen powers of observation and astute intuition to solve mysteries that have left law enforcement officials baffled. After being fed a strange chemical which physically transforms him into a grade schooler, Jimmy goes by Conan Edogawa and continues to help the police solve their toughest cases.



Takahashi, Rumiko

Inuyasha

After falling into an old well and into ancient Japan, Kagome discovers that her destiny is linked to the dog-like half demon called Inuyasha! As Kagome learns more about her connection to the past and to Inuyasha, she comes into conflict with the terrible demons that are drawn to the Shikon Jewel. Finding the shards of the Shikon Jewel is going to require powerful magic, strange allies, and a strong heart.

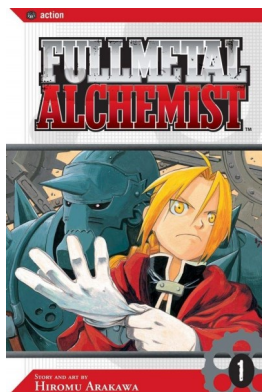


Toriyama, Akira

Dragon Ball Z

Son Goku is the greatest hero on Earth. Five years after defeating the demon king Piccolo--he's married, and he has a child, Son Gohan. But what is the real reason for Goku's incredible strength? A visitor from outer space arrives bearing terrible news--Goku is an alien! Goku must fight his incredibly strong brother to save his family and the entire human race.

More Shonen



Arakawa, Hiromu

Fullmetal Alchemist

When Edward and Alphonse Elric tried to use alchemy to resurrect their mother, one of them lost an arm and a leg...and the other became a soul locked in a suit of armor. Now Ed is an agent of the government, using his unique powers to obey orders. While trying to restore their bodies, the brothers will face some of the world's most ruthless alchemists.



Takahashi, Kazuki

Yu-Gi-Oh!

Duel Monsters is the world's most popular collectible card game--but to Yugi Mutou, whose body contains the spirit of an ancient pharaoh, it may be the most dangerous game he's ever played! Yugi and his friends are sent to Duelist Kingdom, the island home of game designer Maximillion Pegasus. Yugi must compete with the world's greatest Duel Monsters players for the fate of Yugi's grandfather.



Togashi, Yoshihiro

Hunter x Hunter

Gon might be a country boy, but he has high aspirations. Despite his Aunt Mito's protests, Gon decides to follow in his father's footsteps and become a legendary Hunter. The Hunter hopefuls begin their journey by storm-tossed ship, where Gon meets Leorio and Kurapika, the only other applicants who aren't devastated by bouts of sea-sickness.

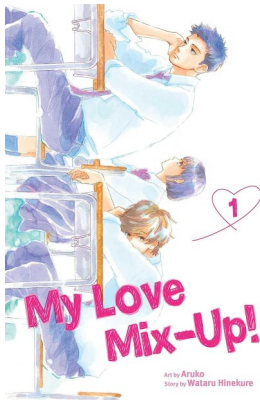
LGBTQ+



Gaku, Keito

Boys Run the Riot

High schooler Ryo knows he's transgender, but he doesn't have anyone to confide in. The only time Ryo feels at ease is when he's wearing his favorite clothes. One day, while out shopping, Ryo runs into the new kid. The guy who looked so tough in class has the same taste in fashion as him! Ryo now has someone he can open up to—and a way to express himself to the world.



Hinekure, Wataru

My Love Mix-Up!

Aoki has a crush on Hashimoto, the girl in the seat next to him in class. But he despairs when he borrows her eraser and sees she's written the name of another boy—Ida—on it. To make matters more confusing, Ida sees Aoki holding that very eraser and thinks Aoki has a crush on him!

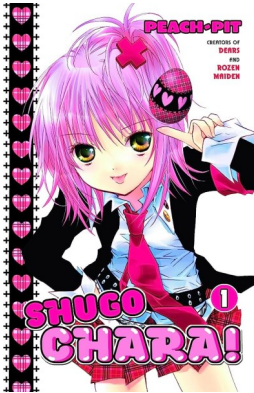


Sorai, Mone

Our Not-So-Lonely Planet Travel Guide

Asahi tells his boyfriend Mitsuki that he'll marry him if they go on a trip around the world together first. Though Asahi's cautious nature often clashes with Mitsuki's carefree ways, the two grow steadily closer as they sightsee and eat their way through the first three countries on their world tour: Thailand, India, and Georgia. The people they meet and places they see will forever change their lives.

Magical Girls



Peach-Pit

Shugo Chara!

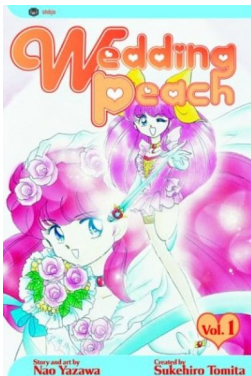
Amu has three Guardian Characters, reflections of her true self. But now a fourth egg has shown up at the start of a new school year. Everything has gone wrong, and Amu has no idea who she truly wants to be. Meanwhile, her rival Utau has rejected one of her own Guardian characters. Is it time for the two to trade Guardians? Is that even possible?



Takeuchi, Naoko

Sailor Moon

Usagi Tsukino is a normal girl until she meets up with Luna, a talking cat, who tells her that she is Sailor Moon. Sailor Moon must fight evils and enforce justice, in the name of the Moon and the Moon Princess. She meets other girls destined to be Sailor guardians, and together, they fight the forces of evil!

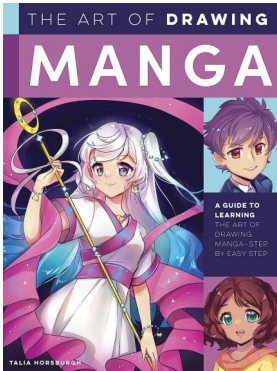


Yazawa, Nao

Wedding Peach

In a world where the wedding chapel has become a battlefield between good and evil, three young girls transform themselves into warriors of love. The angelic Wedding Peach and her pals Angel Lily and Angel Daisy unite to battle the wicked Rain DeVilla.

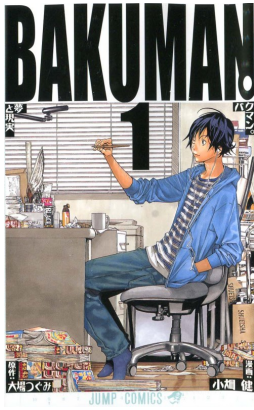
For Artists



Horsburgh, Talia

The Art of Drawing Manga

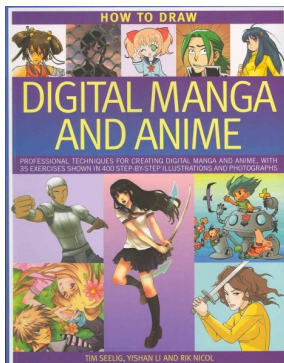
With 35 step-by-step how-tos and more than 100 additional tips and tricks, this book is your guide to creating characters and developing original manga stories.



Ohba, Tsugumi

Bakuman

Average student Moritaka Mashiro enjoys drawing for fun. When his classmate and aspiring writer Akito Takagi discovers his talent, he begs Moritaka to team up with him as a manga-creating duo. But what exactly does it take to make it in the manga-publishing world?



Seelig, Tim, Yishan Li, and Rik Nicol

How to Draw Digital Manga and Anime

Professional techniques for creating your own digital manga and anime, with practical exercises and projects.

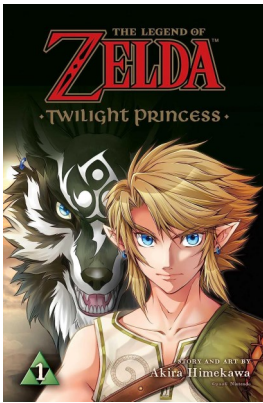
For Gamers



Amano, Shiro

Kingdom Hearts Final Mix

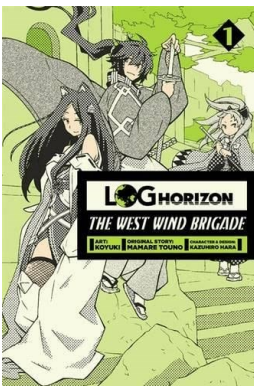
After a terrible storm shatters the peace of his tropical island home, a young boy named Sora is set adrift from his world and his friends, Riku and Kairi. Meanwhile, Court Wizard Donald and Captain Goofy are in search of King Mickey. When the three cross paths, their fateful encounter will change the destiny of the universe forever!



Himekawa, Akira

The Legend of Zelda: Twilight Princess

Once upon a time, wizards tried to conquer the Sacred Realm of Hyrule. The Spirits of Light sealed the wizards' power within the Shadow Crystal and banished them to the Twilight Realm beyond the Mirror of Twilight. Now, an evil menace is trying to find Midna, princess of the Twilight Realm, and the fragments of the Shadow Crystal to gain the power to rule over both realms.



Touno, Mamare

Log Horizon: The West Wind Brigade

A disastrous expansion of the online RPG Elder Tales has trapped thousands of players inside the game world--among them, the members of a guild known as the West Wind Brigade. Amid the chaos and confusion, danger stalks the guild's girls! Will Soujirou, the guild master, be able to protect them? The West Wind Brigade's struggles are just beginning!



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