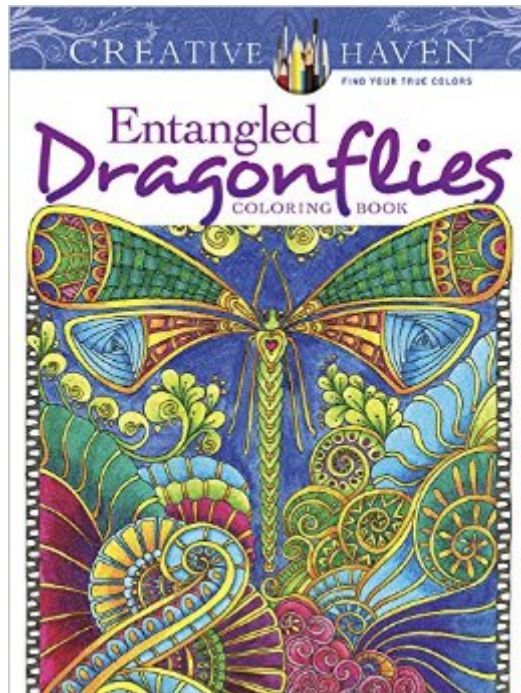


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# Creative Haven Entangled Dragonflies Coloring Book (Adult Coloring)



## Synopsis

Thirty-one exuberant full-page illustrations to color feature dragonflies in imaginative renditions of natural settings. Inspired by Zentangle, a mode of repetitive patterns, the sweeping designs incorporate a dazzling array of flowers, leaves, and swirling interlocking shapes. Pages are perforated and printed on one side only for easy removal and display. Specially designed for experienced colorists, Entangled Dragonflies and other Creative Haven® adult coloring books offer an escape to a world of inspiration and artistic fulfillment. Each title is also an effective and fun-filled way to relax and reduce stress.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

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I love coloring Angela Porter's designs. I have them in another Creative Haven book "Entangled" and in several others by another publisher. Her designs are always beautiful and involved and a real pleasure to color. As I also love to color dragonflies, this book was a must have for me. There are 31 different dragonfly designs. I like them all so it was hard to decide which one to color for my first project. Once I made my decision, I knew that I wanted to use a variety of alcohol-based markers to get a big pop of color. I'll include a picture of the finished project along with the two colored samples from the book as well. I'll add more photos as I finish projects in the future. This is what I found in going through this coloring book: 31 Detailed and Intricate Dragonfly

Designs Printed on one side of white page Page is white, slightly rough, and perforated Glue Bound Designs stop before the perforation Alcohol and water based markers bleed through to some degree Gel pens and India ink pens leave shadows of color on the back of the page Coloring pencils work well with this standard Creative Haven paper. Soft lead lays down good color, layers and blends well. Hard lead pencils leave dents on the back of the page. I recommend either removing the coloring page from the book to color it or if you are keeping the book together, the use of a blotter page under the page you are working on, regardless of coloring medium you use. That way you can keep the pages below free from seeping ink or marring dents.

31 dragonflies flutter through the pages in a tangle of lines, flowers, and nature imagery. Very pretty! I'm a huge fan of dragonflies so this book will get a lot of use. The paper is medium to thick and the images are printed on one side only. Pages are also perforated for easy removal. I got some marker bleed through but very little. The quality of the Dover books is always excellent and I would never have a complaint about paper or the way the books are put together. There are some very tiny details in here that will require a keen eye and fine-tip coloring instruments, but overall this book gets a big thumbs up!

PERFECT!! I love coloring and this book is wonderful!! One sided designs and on nice thick paper that wont let the pens bleed through!! The designs are wonderful...some VERY detailed and some with some open space. The best thing, they are not all the SAME! Often the coloring books pages all look like they are just 'tweeked' a little bit, but these are all original designs and they are beautiful!! I also love that each page is perforated so that it is easy to tear out. I will easily be able to frame these if I wanted to when they are done! Here is a working page! ~KM

I always get excited when I see a dragonfly, they are rare to see in our slightly dry climate. I'm loving working this coloring book by Angela Porter and dedicated to the elegant dragonfly. I'm not a huge fan of entangled designs in general, but some of these pages I am enjoying coloring because there are also some fanciful backgrounds that include flowers. The particulars us colorists are looking for:~ 31 pages of entangle type designs~ 8.5" x 11" pages~ perforated pages for easy tear out if you want to share around the coloring table~ each design has it's dedicated page, though the paper is absorbent and alcohol and gel markers will likely bleed through; I usually personal use copy onto 80lb. cover stock type paper~ This also helps keep undue ink absorption occurring when using alcohol markers. I happen to use a combination of Copic, Bic and Mark-It alcohol markers and

Prismacolor or Holbein pencils for shading, plus the occasional gel marker.~ good quality paper for particular for colored pencils~ excellent printing resolution with thin lines~ each design has a borderFor me coloring is a relaxing, creative and enjoyable process to produce a completely unique coloring. I'm working on using a combination and layering of Copic markers and colored pencil shading to capture the colorful transparency of the dragonfly wings.

This book is absolutely lovely! The pictures are gorgeous, and I love that they are single sided and able to be torn out to color. My only disappointment was that the perforation on some of the pages wasn't complete. I ended up ripping one of my favorite pictures when I took it out of the book because I didn't realize the perforation ended 3/4 down the page :( But that just made me pay more attention to the other pages to double check before tearing! The book is still beautiful and a must have for those that like to color!

I have just finished my 2nd page from this book and I love it!!! I have Entangled and loved it so when I saw this one, I had to buy it and am not disappointed at all. The dragonflies are beautiful and the entangled backgrounds range from medium to very detailed so depending on your mood you will find that just right picture to color. I was immediately drawn to a very detailed picture and I had a ball coloring it and used colored pencils, gel pens and markers to color the page. It took me a while but I loved the finished picture! The pages are good quality and are one sided and perforated for very easy removal. This is a delightful book which will provide hours of fun and enjoyment. One of my favorite books!

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