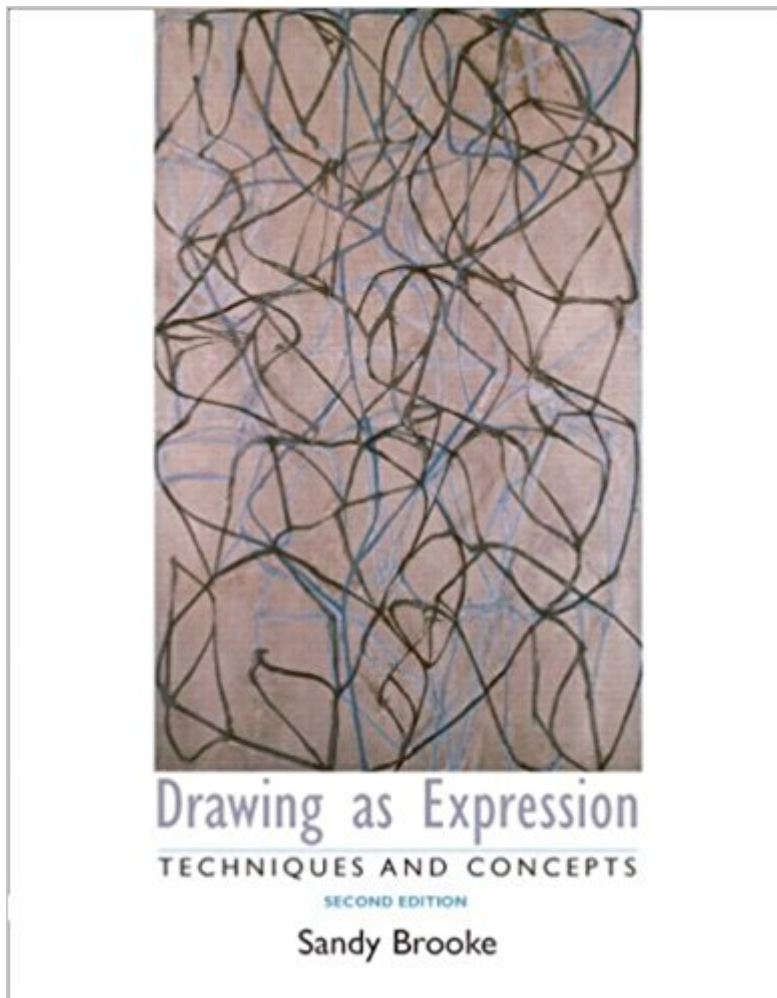




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Perfect for my Drawing 1 class. I purchased the book for another professor but transferred to another who did not have this book required for her class. Her class has been very difficult for me- this book is truly amazing. Has helped me tremendously in understanding how to "see" better/understand drawing.

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