



Painting with Yohaku

- ① Edo artists painted these herons, Mt. Fuji, and this waterfall not by drawing outlines around them but by defining them against their surroundings using *yohaku*, empty space.
- ② [Read this article](#) about *yohaku*, the Japanese artistic concept of empty space, to understand how it was used in Edo artworks.
- ③ Draw your own favorite animal by defining or coloring the space around it to depict the animal using empty space.