




Satoshi Kamiya (神谷哲史, born on June 6, 1981, in Nagoya, Japan) is one of the best origami artists in the world. He began the art at age two and made his works far more excellent in 1995. He has made hundreds of origami models. He has got inspiration for his art from Manga, nature, and both eastern and western stories. Many of his works are quite **complex**. One of his most famous works is Ryuujin 3.5, an amazing dragon. It uses up 50 cm² of thin paper, needs around 275 steps and takes up to one month to fold perfectly.

Kamiya has written three books. The most famous one is “Works of Satoshi Kamiya”, 1995-2003, with his diagrams of nineteen models inside. His third book came out in 2012. It includes 16 models. Most of **these** showed in some books and magazines before, or he had taught some of them in class. However, the book also includes new diagrams for the famous long-tailed phoenix.

What will he create to surprise us this year? Let’s wait and see!

 inspiration 靈感 Manga 日本連環漫畫冊 diagram 圖解 include 包含

- How old is Satoshi Kamiya now?
(A) 16 (B) 19 (C) 31 (D) 33
- What does “**complex**” mean in the reading?
(A) Difficult. (B) Easy. (C) Beautiful. (D) Rare.
- What does “**these**” refer to? (refer to 意指)
(A) Satoshi Kamiya’s three books about origami.
(B) Satoshi Kamiya’s most famous works of origami.
(C) The 16 models of origami in the third book of Satoshi Kamiya’s.
(D) Satoshi Kamiya’s works of origami in some other books and magazines.
- Which is true about Satoshi Kamiya?
(A) He is only famous in Japan.
(B) His newest work of origami this year is a phoenix.
(C) His works show the culture of Japan.
(D) He has started his interest in origami at his early age.
- How did Satoshi Kamiya make his success in art of origami?
(A) He borrowed ideas from different culture around the world to create his works.
(B) He went to art classes for further studying.
(C) He tried hard to take more steps and use up more paper to fold large works.
(D) He learned a lot from books about origami.

Teacher's Note

Answer: D A C C A

1. 配合佳音翰林版課文提及 Satoshi Kamiya，介紹其生平。
2. 參考多個網頁改編：
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