

Art -Colour Mixing Knowledge Organiser- Reception

In **Reception** children will learn the following:

Colour Mixing

By the end of this topic, we want the children to have an embedded knowledge of the following:

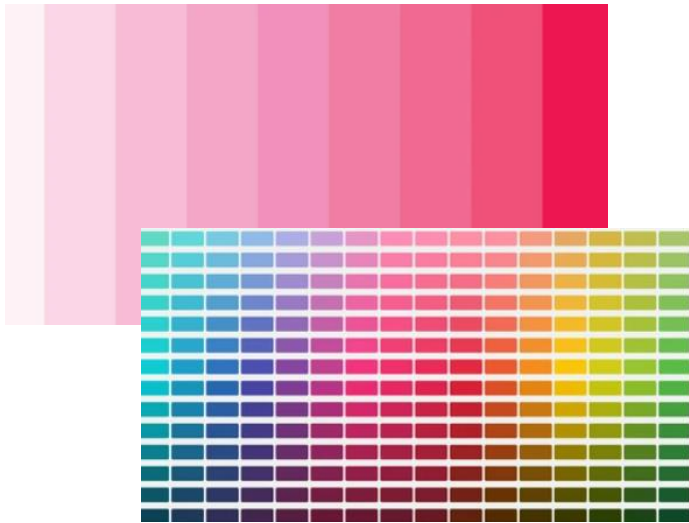
- Red, blue and yellow are Primary colours.
- Two primary colours mixed makes a secondary colour.
- Purple, Orange and green are Secondary colours.
- White paint lightens other coloured paints.
- Black paint darkens other coloured paints.
- Each colour can have different shades (lighter to darker).



Primary Colors



Primary and Secondary Colors



Key vocabulary your child will learn and can define are:

Primary Colours

A group of colours which when mixed can obtain (make) all other colours.

Secondary Colours

A colour made by mixing 2 primary colours.

Shades

When a colour is lightened by using white paint

Colour Wheel

A colour wheel demonstrates the relationship between Primary and Secondary colours.