



## Color Theory – Avery Liell-Kok

### Materials List

- Strathmore 400 Series Acrylic Pad, 9" x 12", or similar heavyweight paper pad suitable for paint application (10-15\$)
- Any old HB or mechanical pencil
- A drawing compass and a straight edge at least 12" in length (8-15\$)
- Two kneadable art erasers (2-3\$)
- One pencil hand-held pencil sharpener, preferably with a well to catch shavings (2-12\$)
- A plastic palette that has at least 8 divots to hold paints and some room for mixing (5-10\$)
- A pack of non-expensive, student grade brushes like the Blick Essentials Brown Nylon Value Pack.
- Look for a set that has a range of sizes from small to medium, with round and flat tips. You don't need anything huge! (6-15\$)
- One bottle of acrylic matte medium, 4-8 oz (8-15\$)
- The following colors in student-grade or better acrylic paint, liquid or heavy body, in .7 to 4 oz tubes:
  - Quinacridone Magenta (9\$)\*
  - Cadmium Red Medium (6\$)\*
  - Cadmium Yellow Medium (9\$)\*
  - Lemon Yellow (or Cadmium yellow light, if lemon is not available) (6\$)\*
  - Cerulean Blue (9\$)\*
  - Ultramarine Blue (6\$)\*
  - Titanium White (6\$)\*
  - Ivory Black (6\$)\*

\*Prices on acrylic paints vary wildly according to hue, brand, thickness of paint, grade, and the market.

\*Blick studio acrylics are a good set for beginners. The prices above are indicative of the price for this brand, in a 4 oz tube, at the time of writing. Paints labeled with Hue (as in "Cadmium Red Medium Hue") tend to be cheaper, but trade that off with less pigment. While non-hue colors are preferable, get what you can find and, more importantly, what you can afford.

## Additional Information

- All materials (unless otherwise noted) may be purchased at any supply and craft store, including Michaels, Blick, or off Amazon. The teacher encourages students or guardians to shop locally when possible (but I ain't judging).
- is FLAX, locally owned and operated, with locations in Oakland and San Francisco. They also ship locally: [Flax Art](#)

\* Please let me know if you have any trouble