



Grade Level: 3rd-5th	Project Title: Found Object Color Wheel	Sessions: 1
Element/Principle: Color Shapes	Objective: Students will show an understanding of the color wheel by arranging the primary and secondary colors in their correct location.	Vocabulary: Color Wheel Radial design Primary Secondary Tertiary
V.A. Benchmark: VA.4. S.2.1 Organize the structural elements of art to achieve an artistic objective.	Essential question: How much variety can we find in each single color?	
Materials: Found objects around the home	Resources: <i>Getty Museum: elements of art</i> <i>Color Wheel worksheets</i>	
<p>Introduction: This introductory at home lesson will focus on getting familiar with the color wheel. No art supplies needed, instead students will focus on creating the color wheel using found objects around the home.</p> <p>If you are unfamiliar with the arrangement of colors on the color wheel, then a good starting point would be the coloring wheel worksheet. I have included two. One includes the basic primary and secondary colors and the other worksheet is the challenge color wheel: primary, secondary, AND tertiary colors.</p> <p>Vocabulary: <i>Color Wheel</i> — a chart that shows the relationship of different colors to each other. <i>Radial design</i> — visual materials organized around a central point. <i>Primary colors</i> — colors from which all other colors are made (red, blue, and yellow) <i>Secondary colors</i> — colors that are created from equal amounts of a pair of primary colors (green, orange, violet) <i>Tertiary colors</i> — colors made from equal amounts of a pair of primary and secondary colors (red-violet, blue-violet, blue-green, yellow-green, yellow-orange, red-orange)</p> <p>Procedure: Found Object Color Wheel instructions: 1st: Look for objects that are red, yellow, or blue (primary colors) and arrange them in a triangle. 2nd: Look for objects that are green, orange, or purple (secondary colors) and arrange them between the primary colors. 3rd: Fill in the gaps between primary colors and secondary colors. One option is to find more objects of the same color, primary and secondary objects. Challenge option is to fill in the space with tertiary colors.</p>		



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