

UNIT 2 - MEMORY & FANTASY

EXERCISE 4: TALKING COLOR

Supplies:

- Paint
- Palette / Palette Knife
- Paint Brush (1/2" flat)
- Water Dish
- Color Wheel
- Sketchbook
- Assorted Color Swatches from Exercise #1

Process:

Students should find a partner. One student will mix a color based on directions provided from the other student. The student providing directions will select a color swatch from Exercise #2. The person mixing color, should NOT see this swatch.

The student with the swatch then begins to describe the color on the swatch, while the other student attempts to match this color by mixing paint. The student describing the color may only employ clues pertaining to HUE, SATURATION, & VALUE. Acceptable hints include: "The Hue is Blue-Green", "No, it is less green and darker in value", or " You're in the value range, now make it less saturated".

Students should continue until they have matched the color on the swatch (starting over if necessary). When the goal is met, switch roles. Do this until 5 accurate swatches are matched from by each student.

Output:

5 color swatches, painted in sketchbook / process-folio.

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