

Color Wheel

If you're like Saige, you enjoy experimenting with different color combinations. Use the color wheel on this sheet to choose fun color combinations for your canvas. Paint Picasso in monochromatic (mah-noh-kro-MAT-ick) shades of your favorite color. Or use another color scheme described below for an even more colorful effect. What combinations will you choose?

Analogous

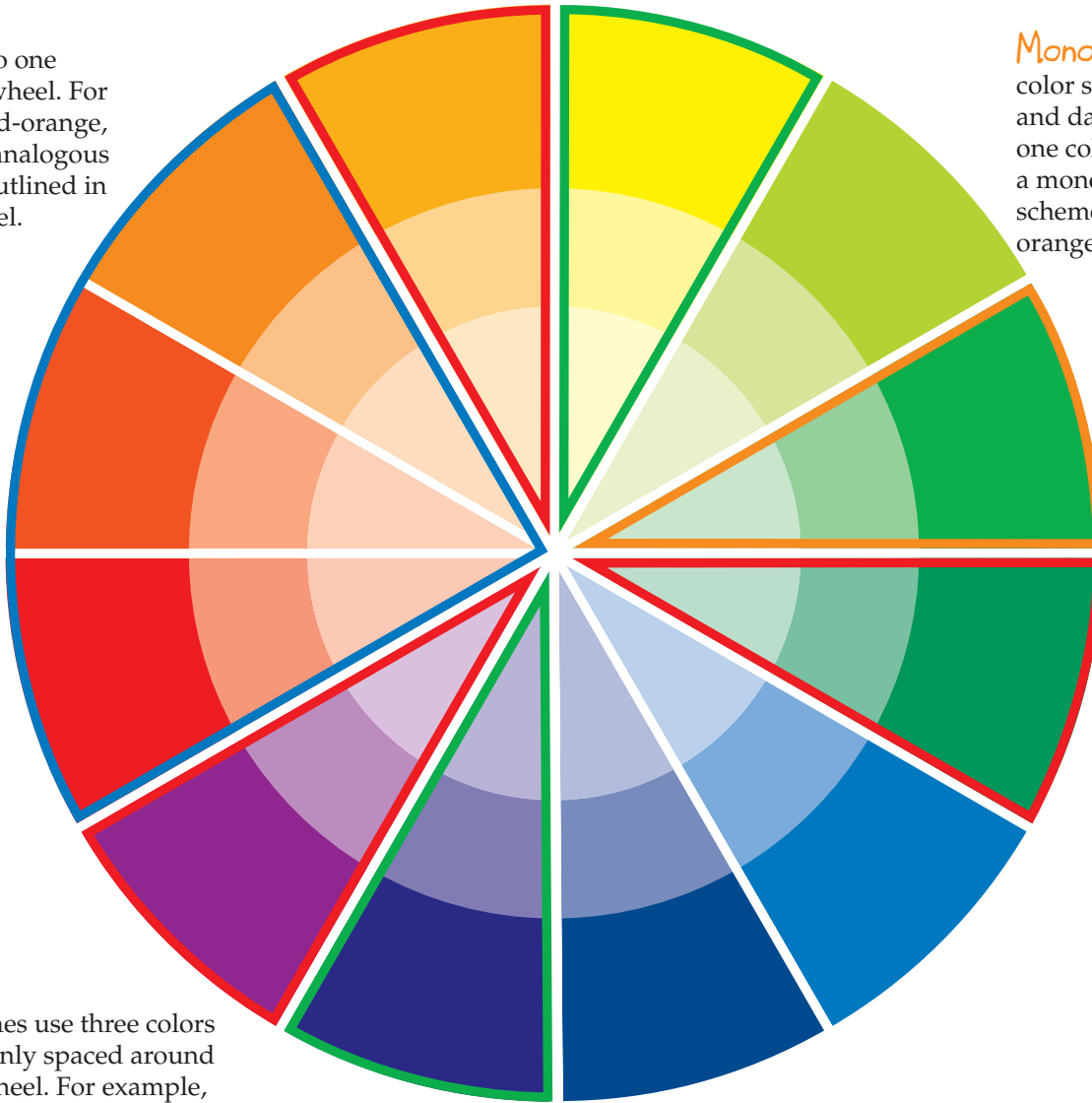
colors are next to one another on the wheel. For example, red, red-orange, and orange are analogous colors and are outlined in blue on the wheel.

Complementary

colors are opposite each other on the wheel. For example, yellow and violet are complementary colors and are outlined in green on the wheel.

Monochromatic

color schemes use lighter and darker shades of just one color. An example of a monochromatic color scheme is outlined in orange on the wheel.



Triadic

color schemes use three colors that are evenly spaced around the color wheel. For example, orange-yellow, blue-green, and red-violet form a triadic color scheme and are outlined in red on the wheel.

