

## Zara's Colour Theory Flashcards

*Learning objective: To understand the colour wheel, primary, secondary, and complementary colours as part of Class 4 Art and Design.*

Review these cards to help Zara the zebra sort her art supplies. Use them to test your knowledge of how colours are mixed and how they work together.

**What are the three primary colours?**

Red, yellow, and blue. These colours cannot be made by mixing other colours together.

**How do you create a secondary colour?**

By mixing two primary colours together (for example, red + yellow = orange).

**What are the three secondary colours?**

Green, orange, and purple.

**Which colour is made by mixing blue and yellow?**

Green.

**Which colour is made by mixing red and blue?**

Purple.

**Which colour is made by mixing red and yellow?**

Orange.

**What does the term 'complementary colours' mean?**

Colours that are opposite each other on the colour wheel, such as blue and orange.

**Give an example of a warm colour.**

Red, orange, or yellow.

**Give an example of a cool colour.**

Blue, green, or purple.

**What is a 'tint' in painting?**

A colour mixed with white to make it lighter.

**What is a 'shade' in painting?**

A colour mixed with black to make it darker.

**What is the name of the tool that displays the relationship between colours?**

The colour wheel.