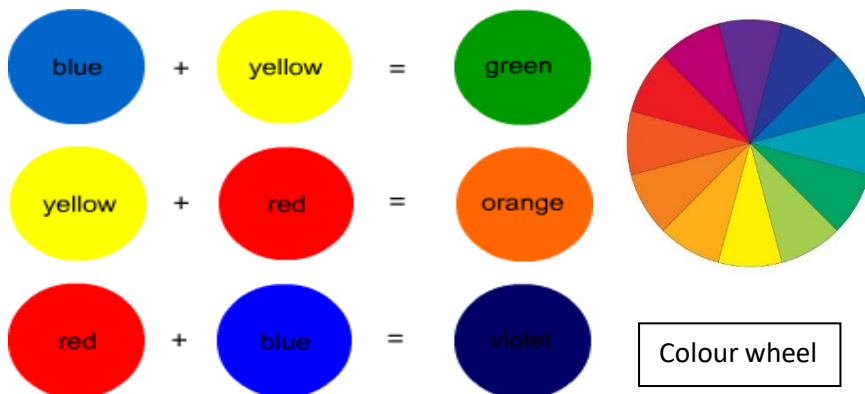


# Colour Theory - Wassily Kandinsky

## Objectives:

- To name the 3 primary colours
- To know how to make the 3 secondary colours
- To understand complementary and harmonious colours
- To show good control when mixing colours
- To develop brush techniques when painting
- To develop painting techniques
- To recognise characteristics of Kandinsky's work

Colour mixing

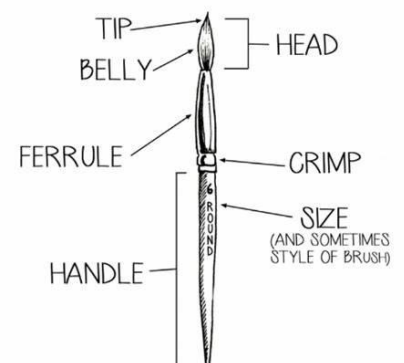


Wassily Kandinsky (1866 - 1944) was a Russian, expressionist painter and art theorist. He taught at the Bauhaus School of Art and he is credited with painting one of the first recognised purely abstract works. He often painted to music and it often influenced Kandinsky's work.

| Key Vocabulary    |                                                                        |
|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Primary colours   | Red, blue and yellow (colours that cannot be made)                     |
| Secondary colours | Purple, green and orange (primary colours mixed together)              |
| Complementary     | Opposite colours on the colour wheel                                   |
| Harmonious        | Colours which are side by side on the colour wheel                     |
| Graduate          | Gradually transitioning from one hue to another or one tone to another |



## ANATOMY OF A BRUSH



Useful

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