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NATURE'S COLOR WHEEL

Collect the last leaves of the season to create a beautiful color wheel.

MATERIALS

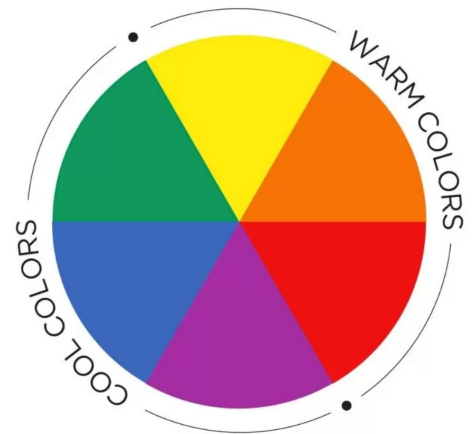
- Basket or bag to collect leaves
- Leaves of many colors (or other vegetation)
- Optional: color wheel printout (included)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Go for a walk in the park or in your own backyard to collect colorful leaves.
2. Create a color wheel by organizing your leaves into a circle. Keep warm colors on one side and cool colors on the other.

Continue the conversation:

- Print out the color wheel (included) and color it in with crayons or paint using only primary colors: red, yellow, and blue.
- Discuss how primary colors mix together to make secondary colors.
- Talk about the difference between warm and cool colors. What is the color of the warm sun? What is the color of the cool ocean?

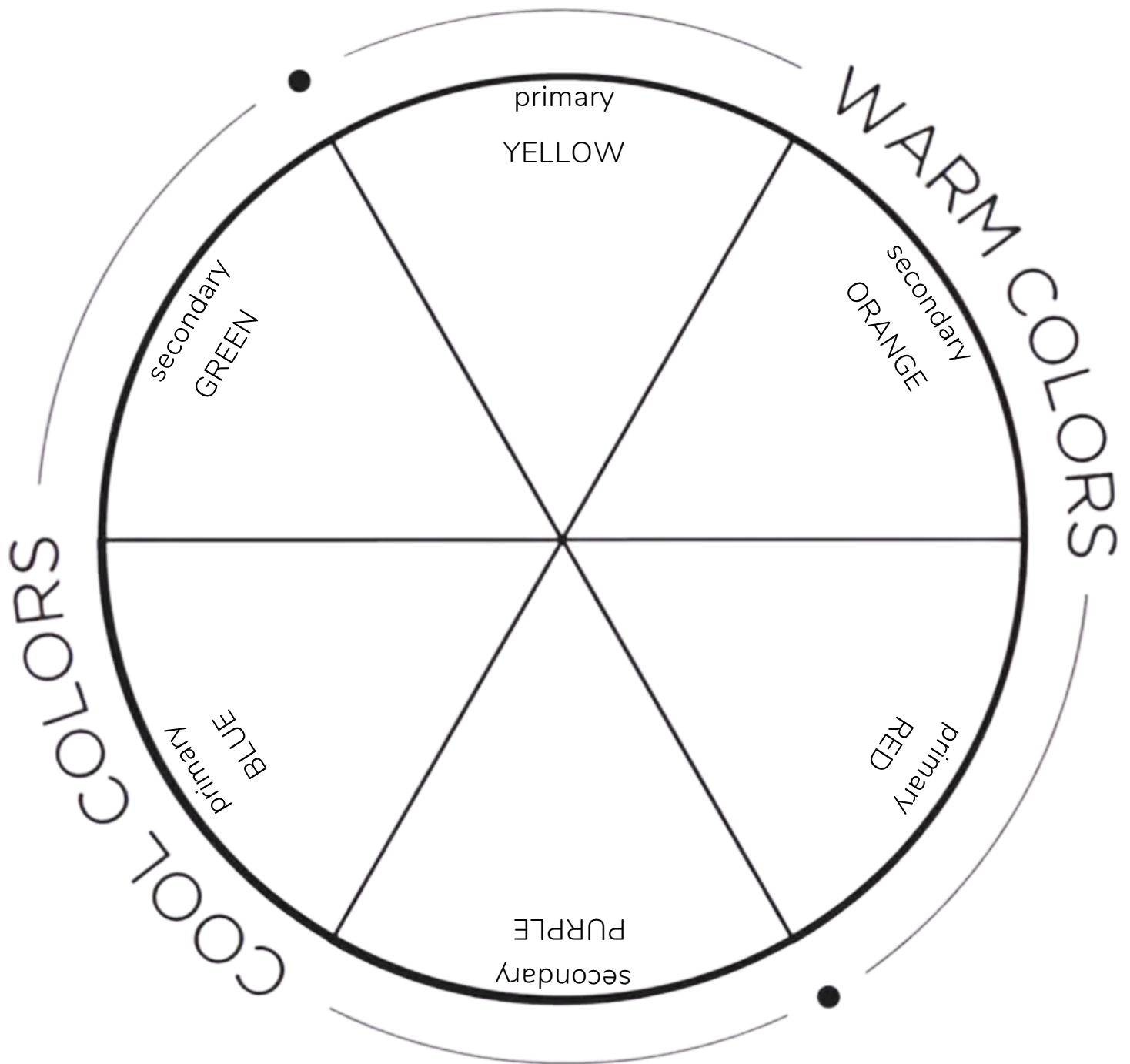


Make your own color wheel using primary colors red, yellow, and blue.

Use red and yellow to make orange.

Use red and blue to make purple.

Use blue and yellow to make green.



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