

COLOR THESAURUS

Shades of Pink

shell
blush
baby pink
salmon
carnation
coral
rose
dusty rose
bubblegum
cotton candy
peppermint stick
watermelon
flamingo
punch
magenta
hot pink
cerise
fuchsia
raspberry
rosewood

Shades of Orange

peach
apricot
melon
cantaloupe
coral
mango
carrot
ginger
copper
pumpkin
bittersweet
tangerine
tiger
mandarin
sunset
spice
rust
terra cotta
auburn

Shades of Red

strawberry
fire
tomato
ketchup
candy apple
neon
vermillion
scarlet
poppy
ruby
cardinal
fire engine
crimson
candy cane
blood red
barn red
cinnabar
cherry
garnet
pomegranate
brick
cranberry
bordeaux
claret
wine
burgundy

Shades of Bluish-Green

robin's egg
ocean
aquamarine
aqua
cyan
teal
turquoise
azure
peacock

Shades of Yellow

custard
primrose
butter
citrine
banana
blond
citrus
pineapple
lemon
canary
egg yolk
corn
saffron
sunshine
dandelion
daffodil
sunflower
mustard
amber
honey
marigold
goldenrod
gold
topaz
brass
butterscotch
ochre

Shades of Green

seafoam
kiwi
spring green
peridot
lime
sea green
pear
mint
apple green
celery
sage
verdigris
pistachio
chartreuse
grass
olive
jade
spearmint
pea
parsley
moss
leaf
viridian
kelly
ivy
spinach
emerald
army green
vomit
forest
hunter

NAME: _____

Keep this sheet to use
as a writing resource!

Shades of Blue

ice blue
 powder
 baby blue
 sky
 cornflower
 denim
 cerulean
 blueberry
 royal blue
 electric blue
 cobalt
 ultramarine
 sapphire
 prussia
 lapis
 indigo
 marine
 navy
 midnight

Shades of Brown

tan
 beige
 sand
 nude
 taupe
 wheat
 buckskin
 mushroom
 fawn
 almond
 camel
 caramel
 oak
 cappuccino
 hazel
 khaki
 nutmeg
 bronze
 tortoiseshell
 auburn
 raw/burnt umber
 rust
 cork
 dirt
 chocolate
 mud
 tiger's eye
 brandy
 cocoa
 bark
 pecan
 mocha
 coffee
 maple
 sienna
 chestnut
 mahogany
 cinnamon
 walnut

Shades of Grey & Black

ash
 fog
 dove
 silver
 smoke
 chrome
 dolphin grey
 platinum
 heather
 nickel
 putty
 steel
 iron
 slate
 graphite
 stone
 lead
 pewter
 asphalt
 coal
 jet
 charcoal
 licorice
 ebony
 ink
 tar
 pitch
 onyx

Shades of White

pearl
 snow white
 chalk
 crystal
 marshmallow
 cotton
 diamond
 opal
 frost
 marble
 alabaster
 milky
 bleached
 cream
 eggshell
 bone
 champagne
 vanilla
 ivory
 linen
 parchment
 ecru

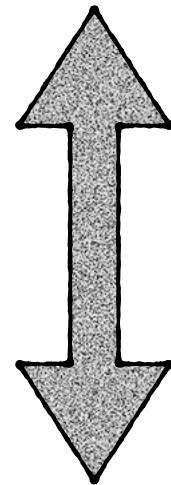
Shades of Purple

lilac
 lavender
 periwinkle
 orchid
 mauve
 amethyst
 puce
 violet
 fuchsia
 heliotrope
 (reddish purple)
 grape
 pansy
 plum
 magenta
 eggplant
 maroon
 raisin
 burgundy
 mulberry
 blackberry

COLORS are basically arranged in order of intensity.

Keep in mind that there are not clear lines between colors, but a gradual blend.

BRIGHTER
 LIGHTER



DULLER
 DARKER