



It's a big DEAL!

# Daily Elementary Art Lesson

## Day 12

### Overlapping Shapes

Adapted from KinderArt.Com

You will need:  
Paper  
Pen or Pencil  
Crayons or Markers

The elements of art are to art what the ABCs are to reading. This project uses the elements of **LINE, COLOR, and SHAPE**. There are three kinds of shapes:

- **GEOMETRIC:** Shapes made out of POINTS and LINES
- **ORGANIC:** Shapes that occur in NATURE
- **FREE FORM:** Shapes that are IRREGULAR and UNEVEN

**Art & Math Connection** **GEOMETRY** is the study of shape, size, relative position of figures, and the properties of space. Artists use geometry to learn how to draw shapes and figures.



#### Step 1.

Use a pencil or pen to draw a variety of shapes that overlap each other.

#### Step 2.

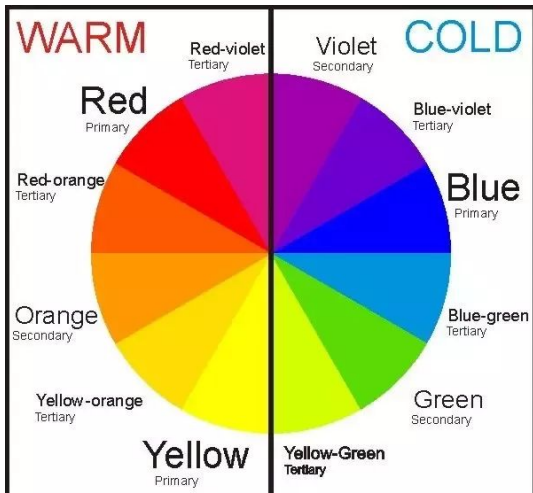
Color in your shapes:

- You must color the entire picture so that no white parts show.
- Each shape section must have a different color.
- Two connecting shapes have to be different colors.



#### Step 3.

When you have finished coloring, go over your lines to make your shapes POP!



#### TRY THIS:

- Use only WARM or COLD colors to fill in the shapes or background.
- Draw only geometric, organic, or freeform shapes.

Look at your picture. Can you find the **geometric** shapes?

What are they?

Can you think of a shape that is **geometric, organic AND freeform**?