Albrecht Dürer

Visual Arts

Response Activity

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A color mixing activity for acrylic paint

- *Print a copy of the 'Portrait of a Clergyman' activity sheet.*

- *Paint your picture in sections starting with the lightest colors first. (The face)*
- *Look at the original and mix the lightest color you can see in that section. Paint a thin layer of color.*
- *Gradually darken your paint and add layers of paint where needed to create the detail. You may need to allow a layer of paint to dry before adding another layer.*
- *Work your way from the next lightest color to the darkest color to finish your picture.*

<u>Tips</u>:

* *Change the shade of your paint by adding white to lighten and a tiny amount of black to darken.*

* *Use the color wheel and refer back to the original for color guidance.*