

Basic Oil Pastel Techniques

Heavy Pressure Blending

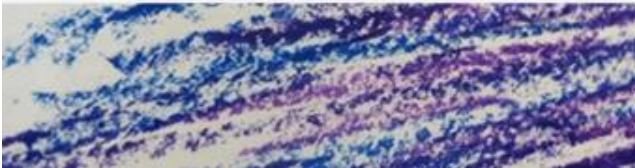
- Generously add pastel in one direction on paper.
- Layer colors to achieve a blended and rich look.



Box 1

Light Pressure Blending

- Lightly add pastel in one direction on paper.
- Layer colors to achieve various hues.



Box 2

Scumbling

- Apply controlled, scribbled marks of oil pastel to build up value and texture.



Box 3

Color Mixing

- Apply a layer of oil pastel and follow with a contrasting color over.
- Continue to blend/layer additional colors to get desired hue.



Box 4

Stippling

- Use small, choppy strokes to create stippled effect on paper. Layer with additional colors for depth.



Box 5

