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#### PLANT MATERIAL

You should now have a small collection of preserved plant material.

\*What dried/preserved is available to purchase?

\*What are advantages and disadvantages of using artificial plant material?

# **ELEMENTS OF DESIGN**

- \*Define SPACE as used in flower arranging.
- \*Why is SPACE important?
- \*Give 3 examples of SPACE in plant material
- \* Give 3 examples of SPACE in anything other than plant material

### **MECHANICS** - Test tubes

- \* Describe the types of test tubes
- \* Give brief details with sketches of how to fix tubes

### **ELEMENTS OF DESIGN - Colour**

We have already looked at foliage and the colours, now look at flowers.

The 3 PRIMARY colours are red, yellow, blue and with the addition of white or black these make up the colour wheel.

- \*List and give examples of flowers under each of these colours.
- e.g. RED, red + white = pink, red = black = maroon.
- e.g Yellow, yellow+ white = lemon, yellow + black = mustard
- e.g. Blue, blue+ white = sky blue, blue + black = navy

If you add both black and white (grey) you get all of the colours in between.

- There are many colours in between
- \*Put them in one column (for each of 3 colours) with palest colour(called TINTS) at the top and darkest at the bottom (called SHADES) The colours in between are called TONES

(Rough sketch below of how you could set it out - use chart of your own design if you prefer)

## STYLES

- \*Photos and relevant notes of your PRACTICAL Designs.
- \*Include 3 examples of Traditional Vertical designs
- \*Collect 3 examples if Contemporary/Modern Vertical Designs.

### LINE or LINEAR DESIGNS

- \* Sketch 6 ideas of your own
- \* Choose one of your sketches to do your practical

It doesn't matter if you think that you can't draw, they are only scribbles! Give it a go.

PRIMARY	/ Colode Sample		////
	RED	YELLOW	BLUE
TONE (ADDITION) OF WHITE  TONE (ADDITION OF BLACK AND WHITE)  SHADE (ADDITION OF BLACK)	CARMATION BABY PINK)  GERANIVM (CERISE)  WALLFLOWER (MAROON)		

