**Colour Pencils** [](https://www.google.com/url?url=https://brunelpccblog.wordpress.com/tag/skills/&rct=j&frm=1&q=&esrc=s&sa=U&ei=D_PlVMqRGpaxacCYgvgF&ved=0CBoQ9QEwAjgU&usg=AFQjCNEKiWQk7rNZEBUdNNGcHbhChR5s8A)

**Key Skills**

* Keep pencil sharp but don’t over-sharpen.
* **Never** PRESS ON HARD. To get a darker tone of a colour, add extra coats of colour.
* If using straight lines of colour, never change direction unless adding extra coats.
* If you don’t want graphite pencil to show up once drawn, rub out and go over with coloured pencil that will blend in picture.
* Small circular movements can create evenly spaced colour.
* Use a tissue to rub colour/blend in colour.
* **BACKGROUND FIRST AND WORK FORWARD.**  LIGHT **TO DARK**.
* Never throw your pencil on the floor as the lead will break.
* Remember - nothing is just one tone!