

SEASIDE PAINTING

Derwent Graphitint Pencils

Grade Level: 9-12

MATERIALS:

- Derwent Graphitint Pencils, Set of 12
- Derwent Line Maker Pens
- Derwent Waterbrushes, 4 Pack
- Derwent Graphite Pencil HB-2H
- Watercolour Paper
- Masking Tape
- Paper Towel or Rags

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

Capture the muted beauty of the New England coast with Derwent Graphitint. The unique formulation of watercolour pencil pigments and graphite is the perfect tool to explore a variety of techniques such as wash, layering, and texturing.





PROCEDURE:

Tape your paper to your workspace on all four sides and sketch your landscape with a graphite pencil.



2 Colour in the image using Graphitint pencils. Use the side of the lead for the water and sky so that your pigment will be easy to dissolve in the next step.



Add water to your painting with a waterbrush. To intensify an area, scribble dry colour on the masking tape and pick it up with the waterbrush like you would on a palette. Add colour to your painting. Let dry completely.



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Use sharp Graphitint pencils to add details and texture to buildings; add shadows to grass, rock, and water. Liquify as needed. (Pro Tip: Graphitint pencils can be used wet or dry. For the best outcome use them both ways in your artwork.)



Refine the design with a Line Maker. Use the finer nibs for tiny details on buildings, and larger nibs for cracks and shadows in rocks. Try the following techniques: outlining, hatching, crosshatching, stippling, or scribbling to get the look you want. If needed, a White paint pen can be used for highlighting.

