

Pastels 101

ACTION: BREAKING YOUR PASTELS

Supplies needed

Your box of pastels

Exercise

First remove the paper from the pastel stick (if it is wrapped) or at least part of the paper.

Then break the pastel as shown in the Skill Builder lesson.

Practice on the pastels you like the least. As you become more at ease with the breaking process, move to the rest of the box. Break them all!!

Now your all pastels are ready to use. This is great because now you don't have to take time out to break a pastel in the middle of creating!