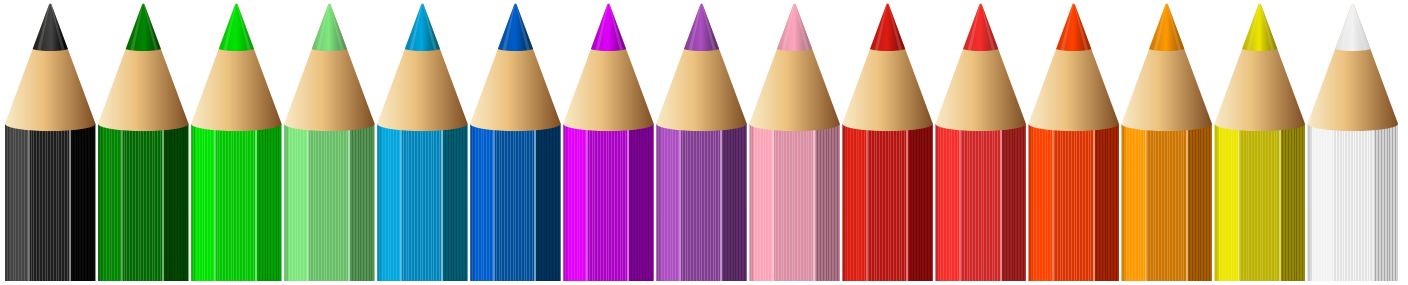


Colors Are Symbols, Too!

Sometimes people use colors to represent, or **symbolize**, ideas. Most people agree that yellow is the color of happiness, while gray is the color of sadness. Maybe pink tastes like cotton candy or blue smells like rain drops. Sure, colors don't have feelings, and they don't actually taste or smell like anything, but colors do bring up memories of how certain things feel, taste, or smell. Colors make great symbols!



Think of your favorite color. Why is it your favorite? What does it remind you of? How does it make you feel? Use the space below to write a poem about that color.

My favorite color is _____.

The color _____ feels like _____.

It smells like _____.

and tastes like _____.

The color _____ sounds like _____.

_____ (color) reminds me of _____.

_____.

Now draw a picture that goes with your poem.

