

Colors in English

Level: A1

Basic colours

red	□	My car is red .
orange	□	That pen is orange .
yellow	□	Her bike is yellow .
green	□	The trees are green .
blue	□	She's got blue eyes.
purple	□	Is your bag purple ?
brown	□	He's got brown hair.
black	●	My cat is black .
white	○	These shoes are white .

More colours

pink	a light red	Her room is pink .
grey	between black and white (US: gray)	My grandfather has got grey hair.
gold	□	That watch is gold .
silver	□	My phone is silver .

Light and dark colours

light blue	blue with a lot of white in it	The sky is light blue today.
dark blue	blue with a lot of black in it	His jacket is dark blue .
light brown	brown with a lot of white in it	My sister has got light brown hair.
dark green	green with a lot of black in it	Those doors are dark green .

The word colour

colour	red, blue and green are colours (US: color)	Red is my favourite colour .
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Exercise 1: Match the Colours

Match each word with its colour.

- red → _____
- yellow → _____
- green → _____
- blue → _____

5. purple → _____

6. brown → _____

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Exercise 2: Choose the Correct Answer

Choose the correct answer.

7. Milk is ____.

a) white b) black c) green

8. Bananas are ____.

a) blue b) yellow c) purple

9. The sky is ____ today. It's a sunny day.

a) green b) blue c) brown

10. He's got ____.

a) hair brown b) brown hair c) browns hair

11. The colour between black and white is ____.

a) grey b) gold c) pink

12. The American spelling of colour is ____.

a) colur b) color c) coulor

Exercise 3: Fill in the Blank

Type the colour. Look at the hint.

13. My grandmother has got ____ hair. (o)

14. She's got ____ eyes. (□□)

15. These pens are _____. (□□)

16. The sky is ____ today. It's cold and rainy. (between black and white)

17. His jacket is ____ blue, not light blue. (light or dark?)

18. Red is my favourite _____. (red, blue, green...)

Exercise 4: Put the Words in Order

Click the words in the correct order to build the sentence.

19. Put the words in the correct order: **eyes / got / she's / . / blue**

20. Put the words in the correct order: **dark / is / green / bag / my / .**

21. Put the words in the correct order: **grey / has / hair / got / grandfather / my / .**

Answer key

Exercise 1: Match the Colours

1. red → ☐
2. yellow → ☐
3. green → ☐
4. blue → ☐
5. purple → ☐
6. brown → ☐

Exercise 2: Choose the Correct Answer

7. a) white
8. b) yellow
9. b) blue
10. b) brown hair
11. a) grey
12. b) color

Exercise 3: Fill in the Blank

13. white
14. green
15. purple
16. grey / gray
17. dark
18. colour / color

Exercise 4: Put the Words in Order

19. She's got blue eyes.
20. My bag is dark green.
21. My grandfather has got grey hair.