



APS Adventures in Pastel D-1 "The Sky's the Limit"

Welcome to our NEW Adventure Series D which will run for the next six months. Our first Adventure in the series is all about the sky and outer space. Have you ever looked at the night sky and wondered what is out there? Have you ever dreamed of taking flight in order to see the many planets? I remember the first moon landing and how dreaming can sometimes become reality. Then along came Star Wars and gave us a glimpse of what galaxies far, far away might be like. The exciting part is that now with the phenomenal research being done in space we are seeing a bit of what is actually out there.

This Adventure asks you to paint something in out in space. You may either use your imagination or be more realistic and paint from some of the incredible pictures that are now available. (See examples below) Feel free to paint planets, stars, comets or even a galaxy. The choice is all yours!

<u>Step 1</u>: Select your surface, size and palette of your choice.

<u>Step 2</u>: Use your imagination or find an inspiring photo of space. Feel free to search out other artists and view their particular renditions of space for more inspiration and ideas.

Step 3: Take a photo of your painting and send it to Kay Gordon (jkaygordon364@gmail.com) by 6:00pm of Wednesday, July 26th. Be sure to send the title and size also. Please include any comments you would like to share as you faced this challenge.

Step 4: Remember this deadline is firm and nothing is posted that is received after 6:00pm on July 26th. Note that your artwork does not need to be in its final form. The Adventures are provided so we can explore painting with pastels together and share what we learn as we grow in our experience and expertise. So enjoy the process and jump in!

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Examples of References for D-1







