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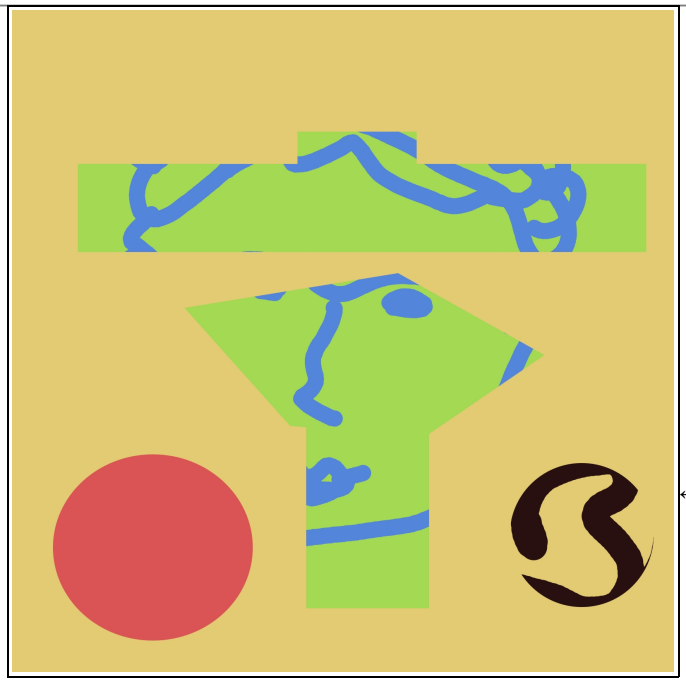
Digital Imaging with *Krita* software

Tutorial 3

(Filling; Selection areas)



Create a new empty canvas

>File >New

Fill background layer with a color

Choose a color
Choose the tiny bucket icon (middle of left column) for *Fill*

Click anywhere in the canvas
It fills with that color

Change colors & draw something with *Freehand Brush*

Selection Areas

Make a new layer
Fill it with a different color

Selection area icons are the dotted line icons
– at bottom of icons in left column

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Rectangle area + Delete
Choose the dotted-line rectangle icon
    Click and drag in the canvas
    Dotted lines show you the result

Hit the Delete key
The color inside that area is deleted
    This makes a hole through that layer

Circle area
Choose the dotted Circle icon
    Click and drag in the canvas

With Circle icon still selected,
    Hold down the Shift key
    Click and drag in the canvas
    This second circle area is added to the first

Freehand selection area
The wiggly dotted-line icon below the circle is for Freehand selection
Choose that wiggly icon
    Click in the canvas and draw
    This tool always closes the area
        (because it has to be an area)

In top menu...
>Select >Deselect

Selection Areas & Filling
In Layer menu (right side of screen)...
Hit the **+** icon to make a new Paint layer
    Make sure it is on top of your other layers

Make a selection area on this new layer

Change color with the color wheel (right side of screen)

Choose the bucket icon for *Fill*

Click inside your selection area
    It fills with the current color

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Draw in a Selection Area

Make a selection area (of any shape you want)
- Make sure it is still selected
- (The dotted lines will show)

Choose the Freehand Brush icon
- Draw inside the selection area
- Try to draw outside the selection area

- When an area is selected
  - you can only work within that area

Save your file

>File >Save As
- Use the default .kra format