Metallics

The creative all-rounder
One pen, many functions

Tips & tricks
From-smudge-proof to waterproof

6 colours
With shiny metallic effect

Creative Studio · Made in Germany
Climate protection starts with the product – global CO₂ neutrality is unique in the writing instrument industry.

TÜV Rheinland has certified that the company is CO₂ neutral worldwide. The company’s eco-forests in Brazil and Columbia actively contribute to protecting the environment. Instead of touting individual “green products”, Faber-Castell minimises its environmental footprint throughout the entire life cycle of its product range. Faber-Castell products are green because they are long-lasting, often refillable as well as pollutant-free, and come from CO₂-neutral production. The use of bio and recycled plastics also improves the “green footprint” of Faber-Castell.
Faber-Castell stands for quality

Faber-Castell is one of the world’s leading manufacturers and marketers of quality products for writing, drawing and creative design – the brand name is world-famous. In the core area of wood cased pencils, the group is the most important and oldest manufacturer in the world with an annual production capacity of more than 2 billion graphite and colour pencils.

Regardless of personal motivation and individual skill level – the new Creative Studio concept allows both beginner and hobby artists to express their creativity and offers them everything they need to do so: high-quality products for drawing and painting, a perfectly matched colour range, material that inspires and fosters, and an incomparable versatility in terms of use.
We want to inspire you – with our finest quality and rich colours.

When was the last time you drew something? Grab a coloured pen and forget the world around you. Even if what you’ve drawn doesn’t look perfect yet, doing creative work and concentrating on drawing can help you relax and reward you with a sense of delight.

In this brochure, we would like to tell you about the joy of drawing and decorating. With the help of many tips, tutorials and examples, we will show you how simple it is to create beautiful artwork using Metallics, regardless of the material you are drawing on.
The Creative Studio assortment

Oil pastels
- in 36 colours

Soft pastels
- in 70 colours

Pitt Artist Pen
- India ink pens in 66 colours

Metallics
- Metallics in 6 colours

Goldfaber
- Colour pencils in 48 colours

Goldfaber Aqua
- Watercolour pencils in 48 colours

Goldfaber
- Graphite pencils in 10 degrees of hardness

Good to know
Faber-Castell uses a standardised colour numbering system for its products. For example, this allows a certain colour from the Goldfaber Aqua range to be used with the same colour from the range of oil pastels or soft pastel crayons without any problem.
The creative all-rounder

Decorate light, dark or colourful paper or even smooth surfaces, such as plastic, foil, porcelain, glass and metal, with a premium metallic effect. You can even make wood or rocks look shiny. After drying, Metallics are resistant to both smudging and water splashes. They can even be made waterproof (not dish-washer safe) by setting them in an oven at 160°C for 30 minutes.

The special water-based metallic ink is odourless and doesn’t seep through paper. Furthermore, no pumping or shaking is required; the ink flows evenly through the 1.5 mm fibre tip. This allows you to start drawing immediately.
Get started immediately: without pumping or shaking

One pen, many functions
A shining career

Thanks to the versatility of Metallics, you will be able to add some shine to your dull office or to life at school. Decorate your daily companions, such as coffee mugs, smartphone cases and organisers, and kick-start your shining career in your own style.

Setting Metallics on plastic
Unfortunately, drawings on items such as smartphone cases made of plastic can’t be set in an oven to make them waterproof. To ensure that your design can withstand daily use despite this, we recommend you protect the colour with clear, fast-drying acrylic resin varnish. Try it out on an inconspicuous part of the item first.
Metallics are very visible even on bright surfaces.

They can even be used to add shine to leather.
Come on board

A sailing knot instead of a napkin ring completes your maritime table decorations

Create repeated patterns such as the anchors and paper boats shown here
Good to know
Before starting to paint on a smooth surface, you should thoroughly wash it with detergent to remove any grease residues, such as fingerprints.

The seaside cafe

From paper onto a cup
Most of the time, it is more difficult to draw on a three-dimensional object than on paper. To make things easier, simply use carbon paper to transfer a sketch of your design from paper to a three-dimensional object, such as a cup. If you don’t have carbon paper, you can also fully cover the reverse side of the piece of sketching paper featuring your drawing using a soft pencil.

At the end, you can easily remove the pencil residues using an art eraser.
Celebrate golden moments
The colour gold goes well with almost any occasion and highlights the festivity thanks to its premium look. Shiny gold accents can even give conventional party decorations, such as balloons, a more high-class look. Draw your own design and lettering using Metallics to tailor your decorations perfectly to any occasion. This lets you create unique party moments you can’t buy with money.

Make corrections easily

Good to know
You can very easily correct small mistakes on smooth surfaces using a moist cotton bud and a dab of soap.
Create your own shining Photobox accessories
Tropic like it's hot

You can draw on a wide range of surfaces using Metallics. This lets you create an entire set of table decorations in the same theme. Be creative and experiment with a whole host of surfaces! For example, how about using slate serving platters with handwriting or leaves instead of place cards made of paper?

From smudge-proof to waterproof
To ensure that water doesn’t dampen your summer party, you should set the painting on your art pieces by placing them in an oven at 160°C for 30 minutes. You should only wash your works of art by hand rather than in a dishwasher to keep them in good condition for a long time.

Good to know
Materials such as glass can break when the temperature changes too quickly! To set the colours, you should therefore place your art pieces in an unheated oven before turning it on. This will allow the material to adjust gradually to the temperature.

30 mins at 160°C

Play with material properties.
Combine foil with porcelain to create a fascinating layer effect.
Get creative! Try using leaves as place cards

Radiant colours for summer

Make even dark surfaces shine
Festive colours

Glittering accents for festive occasions

Make your own Christmas tree baubles

You can even decorate wood with shimmery details

Surprise – individually designed wrapping paper
Let's get festive

The pens are especially suitable for designing festive Christmas decorations thanks to their premium metallic effect. Warm, wintry colours, such as silver and copper, immediately create a cosy atmosphere.

**Mixed-media lantern**

The sky’s the limit for your creativity when you combine Metallics with other painting mediums. For example, use black acrylic paint to darken the glass and create a base layer on which Metallics can really come into their own. This is how you can turn a simple tea light holder into a decorative lantern that catches attention.

**Tip:**
Combine different painting mediums. For example, use black acrylic paint to darken the glass and Metallics to add shiny accents.

**Use a stencil to create clear outlines**

Apply craft glue to the surface and wrap string evenly around

**The finishing touch**
**Metallics**

6 colours

**Impressive effects with Metallics in 6 shiny colours**

For shiny decorations, lettering and drawings

- Suitable for bright, dark and colourful paper and smooth surfaces (plastic, foil, porcelain, glass, metal)
- Resistant to smudges and water splashes
- Waterproof after setting at 160° in an oven for 30 minutes (not dishwasher safe)
- 1.5 mm fibre tip
- Premium metallic effect
- Water-based ink
- Does not seep through paper
- Odourless and acid-free
- No pumping or shaking required

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