



incraftables™

palette knife

PRODUCT INSTRUCTIONS





The **Incraftables Palette Knife Set** includes 11 high-quality stainless steel painting knives, ideal for both beginner and professional artists. These knives are perfect for applying, spreading, and mixing paints, helping you create unique textures and effects in your artwork. The durable stainless steel blades resist corrosion and ensure longevity, while the comfortable wooden handles provide a secure, ergonomic grip.



WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- **11 Stainless Steel Palette Knives of various sizes:**
 - **Knife sizes:** 18.5cm, 19.5cm, 20cm, 20.5cm, 22.5cm, 23cm, 23.5cm
- **Total Pieces:** 11

TOOLS NEEDED:

- **Paint or Medium** (acrylic, oil, etc.)
- **Canvas or Painting Surface**
- **Optional:** A palette for mixing colors.



STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS:



1. Select a Knife

- Choose the knife size that fits your desired texture and paint application technique.

2. Load Paint

- Dip the blade in paint, picking up a generous amount for thicker applications or just a small amount for finer details.





STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS:

3. Apply Paint

- Use the edge, flat surface, or tip of the knife to spread, blend, or layer paint on your canvas.



4. Clean Knives

- Wipe off excess paint with a cloth or paper towel between colors to keep your colors clean.



TIPS FOR BEST RESULTS:

- **Experiment with Pressure:** Apply varying levels of pressure for different effects. Light pressure creates thin, delicate layers, while heavier pressure allows for thicker textures and bold strokes.
- **Angle the Knife:** Changing the angle of the knife can add dimension to your strokes. Holding the knife flat spreads the paint thinly, while using the edge creates fine lines and details.
- **Layer for Texture:** For a more dynamic look, allow one layer to dry slightly before adding another. This technique can create a raised, textured effect and add depth to your painting.
- **Use Different Knife Shapes:** Each knife shape can achieve a different result—use rounded tips for softer lines and pointed edges for precision. Flat edges are ideal for wide sweeps of color.
- **Mix Colors on Canvas:** Instead of mixing colors on a palette, try blending them directly on the canvas with your knife. This can create interesting color transitions and spontaneous effects.
- **Keep a Cloth Handy:** Wipe your knife after each stroke to keep colors vibrant and prevent them from muddying.
- **Scraping for Effects:** To create highlights or correct mistakes, use the knife to gently scrape off excess paint once it's semi-dry. This adds an extra level of control to your artwork.