

How to Properly Care for Your Unfinished New Wave™ Artist Palette

Thank you for your purchase. We have invested a great deal of time testing and evaluating numerous wood species. Your New Wave™ Artist Palette is handcrafted by a Mennonite woodshop in Lancaster County, PA and made of hard white maple; delicate grain lines, stiff, dense & remarkably resistant to abrasion. Before applying paint to your unfinished New Wave™ Artist Palette, you must apply a finish to both sides of your artist palette. If you do not, the longevity of your New Wave™ Artist Palette will be compromised, as the wood surface will absorb all oil paints, solvents, and mediums applied to its surface.

We recommend using New Wave Palette Finish™, which will help to create a rich patina over time without compromising durability. Our proprietary blend employs a renewable botanical citrus solvent, along with Tung Oil, the finest organic finish nature has to offer. Our Tung Oil is scrupulously cooked to its peak thermal threshold, minimizing the need for chemical driers, which reduces the toxicity levels of our Palette Finish significantly. Taking our time provides you with a stronger, more natural product.

- 99% botanical with the lowest toxicity levels possible
- Free of any petroleum distillates
- Quick to dry – 24 hours between coats
- Extremely hard and durable
- Resistant to water and most standard artist solvents and mediums
- Non-yellowing
- Resistant to mold
- Crack and chip proof amid standard aging
- Low-glare
- Smooth to the touch
- Wood stain may be applied prior to application
- Conforms to ASTM D-4236

Our New Wave Palette Finish Kit™ provides you with step by step application directions along with the items you will need to finish your artist palette quickly and start painting! If you would like to purchase our New Wave Palette Finish Kit™ please visit us on our website at www.NewWaveArt.com.

Applying Oil Paint & Cleaning Your New Wave™ Artist Palette

If your artist palette is finished with New Wave Palette Finish™ please refer to *How To Properly Care For Your Artist Palette When Finished With New Wave Palette Finish™*, which can be found in your New Wave Palette Finish Kit™.

For all other finishes we recommend speaking with your finish supplier for proper care.