



**“I don’t want to be that boy”**

**As Canada grows visibly  
more diverse**





**we need to start conversations...**

A person is shown from the chest down, wearing a dark green long-sleeved shirt and a black hijab. They are holding a large, dense bundle of wooden spoons of various shades (light, medium, and dark brown) in front of their chest. The person is wearing a silver necklace with large, ornate pendants, a silver bracelet on their left wrist, and several rings on their fingers. The background is a classroom or office setting with shelves, a whiteboard, and various supplies. The text "on diversity and identity." is overlaid in white, bold font across the center of the image.

**on diversity and identity.**



# All Together Now Canada

Similarities | Differences | Who is a Canadian?



**Primary colours make...**



A close-up photograph of a person's hands mixing paint in a white plastic palette. The palette is filled with a thick, rich brown paint, which is being stirred with several brushes. One brush has a yellow handle and a silver ferrule, while another has a white handle and a silver ferrule. The background is dark and out of focus, showing parts of other people's hands and clothing. The text "a rich brown 'melanin' tone." is overlaid in white, bold font across the center of the image.

**a rich brown “melanin” tone.**

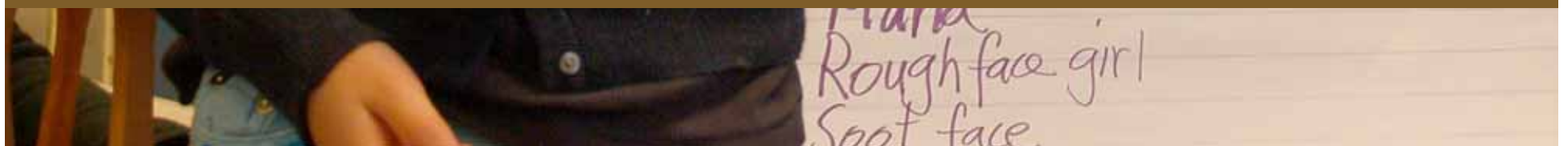
Fria was mixing colours  
Blue, red and yellow is in us all.





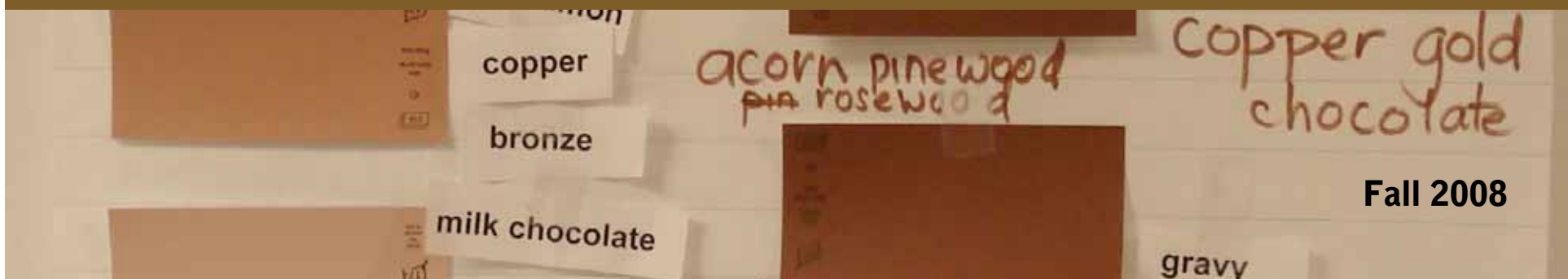
# Two projects that extend this visual arts analogy:

Beautiful Browns | Cinderella Around the World





# Beautiful Browns



Fall 2008





# Cinderella Around the World





Cinderella Story		Comparison				
The Irish Cinderlad	Becon Male	Stepmother and Step-	Bull	Bull's tail Boot	Becon and Princess	Becon saves Princess from Dragon
Cendrillon	Cendr' Female		Wand and Marnin the other women	Pink S... with... roses	Bul... bault	birthday party
The Persian Cinderella	Sella Female		Snake Jug (Pari → magic f...)	Diam... Anki... Bruce	... dad	No Ruz (New Year Festival)
The Golden Sandal	Maha Female	Stepmother and step-	Little Fish	Golden... talk	... (bride's brother)	
The Korean Cinderella	Pear Blossom	Stepmother and step-	Frog and...		... the village	
Yeh-Shen	Yeh-Shen Female				... of the	Spring Festival
The Egyptian Cinderella	Rhodopis				... of the	
The Rough-Face Girl	Rough-Face Girl				... ch	Pharaoh... court for... in Memphis... travel to... boy's wife and...
	Cinderella Character (Male)					

2003



2009









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a time  
a girl name  
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got ill. and +

pril 21<sup>st</sup>  
Candrella



Hair brown wool  
nose modeling  
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**Maintaining the conversation...**

**2003**



**on identity and diversity.**

2008