Color is an essential part of brand identity and reinforces who we are with consistency.
Use the bold core and secondary colors in your work to help support the Clarkson brand. The University takes great pride in its core colors, green and gold, taken from the goldenrod, Thomas S. Clarkson's favorite flower.

## CORE COLORS

Everything we design should be recognizable as a Clarkson communication through the dominant use of our green and gold.


```
CLARKSON GOLD
PMS }11
CMYK: 0/14/100/0
RGB: 255/205/0
HEX: ffcd00
```


## SECONDARY COLORS: BOLD

Adds vibrancy, intensity and youthfulness to communications for undergraduate and prospective undergraduate students. Use these colors sparingly.

| PMS 377 | PMS 173 | PMS 279 | PMS 288 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| CMYK: 50/1/100/20 | CMYK: 0/82/94/2 | CMYK: 68/34/0/0 | CMYK: 100/80/6/32 |
| RGB: 122/154/1 | RGB: 207/69/32 | RGB: 65/143/222 | RGB: 0/45/114 |
| HEX: 7a9a01 | HEX: cf4520 | HEX: 418fde | HEX:002d72 |

## SECONDARY COLORS: MATURE

A softened and mature palette for communications to alumni and professionals. Use these colors sparingly.

```
PMS 5777
CMYK: 26/9/56/20
RGB: 162/165/105
HEX: a2a569
```

PMS 7510 CMYK: 5/41/77/10 RGB: 198/137/63 HEX: c6893f

```
PMS 542
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CMYK: 60/19/1/4
RGB: 123/175/212
HEX: 7bafd4

PMS 7692
CMYK: 10045045
RGB: 0/85/135
HEX: 005587

NEUTRAL COLORS (for use with both bold and mature secondary palettes) Use tints of $30 \%, 50 \%$ and $75 \%$ of each of these colors to expand the neutral palette.

PMS WARM GRAY 1
CMYK: 3/3/6/7
RGB: 215/210/203
HEX: d7d2cb

PMS WARM GRAY 6 CMYK: 14/19/21/39 RGB: 165/156/148 HEX: a59c94

PMS WARM GRAY 11 CMYK: 26/36/38/68
RGB: 110/98/89
HEX: 6e6259

SAMPLE COLOR RATIOS


We are green and gold. Green is our base and gold is our accent. Think of white as a third primary color; white space in a design is important to allow the reader to focus on our message and photography.

