

Short course description

Background Painting in Wenns for Beginners in Wenns with Peter Riml

General course data

Course date:	8. - 11. 9. 2026
Location:	Krippenschule Peter Riml , Oberdorf 223/1, 6473 Wenns, A
Duration:	4 days, 30 hours
Days:	Tue. 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM / Wed. - Thu. from 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM / Fri. 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Start:	08.09.2026 - 1:00
Instructor:	Peter Riml - Tel: +43 664 2521 676 / e-mail: info@krippenschule.at
Objective:	Independent painting of an oriental or local nativity-scene background image
Requirements:	Please bring: 1 sample board 60x80 cm, painting boards as needed (prime all boards with matte exterior dispersion paint), painting cloths, templates of the nativity scene outlines, a good photo of the nativity scene; - Brushes and paints can be purchased during the course.
Included:	Course including teaching materials and full board at the mountain hut
Fee:	€ 690,- / for Tyrolean association members € 660,-
Lodging:	Accommodation is in a shared room at the inn or guesthouse

Special features and options

In the course "Background Painting for Beginners", we start with a theoretical introduction. We deal with the core topics of naturalistic landscape painting in general. We point out the essential differences from background painting and discuss image composition, color intensity, tonal values, lighting, depth effect and color theory. We begin with simple color exercises and build these up into specific painting exercises with trees, shrubs, walls, stones, etc. Subsequently, we learn and practice mixing sky colors and paint a simpler background image. As a rule, we work with powder paints in the beginner courses. However, it is also possible to paint with acrylic paints. Enjoy getting started with “background painting”!

Your instructor
Peter Riml