

January's Pigment of the Month:

Chocolate Mousse



On sale for \$22.00, regularly \$27.00

Face Inks Chocolate Mousse is a medium/dark, neutral brown and is a wonderful shade for so many complexions. It is excellent for both Micro-Blading and machine work.

For Micro-Blading, be sure to add additional warmth. For more auburn tones, Henna or Cocoa can be added and for more neutral golden tones, add Butterscotch.

Darker browns can tend to heal a bit cooler in the skin, especially if performing Micro-Blading or using small or single needles with a machine. Adding some warmth allows the color to heal true

Needle Selection:

Using a 1-Micro, 3-Micro, 3-5 Slope or Micro-Blading, your colors will tend to heal with more cool tones. Adding the warming shades, listed above, the color will heal more true.

The larger needle groups such as a 5-Shader or a 7-Liner will tend to heal warmer and only 1-3 drops of warmth will allow your selection to heal true.

Topicals:

Pre-numbing with 5% Microcaine or 5% Lidocaine for 15 minutes is recommended for all eyebrow procedures to assure comfort. Once the skin is broken, I apply a mixture of 1/2 and 1/2 of Magic and Duration Ultra. If I see my client requires a little more anesthetic, I apply Super Trio and follow it with a coat of Vaseline. This occlusive coating activates the topical anesthetics, quickly and I can wipe and proceed, immediately.

After Care:

Our post-procedure treatment is simple. Do not get eyebrows wet for 1 week and apply After Inked, once to twice, daily. Many post treatments work well. Avoiding A&D and topical antibiotics is best for color retention and reducing the risk of allergic reactions.

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