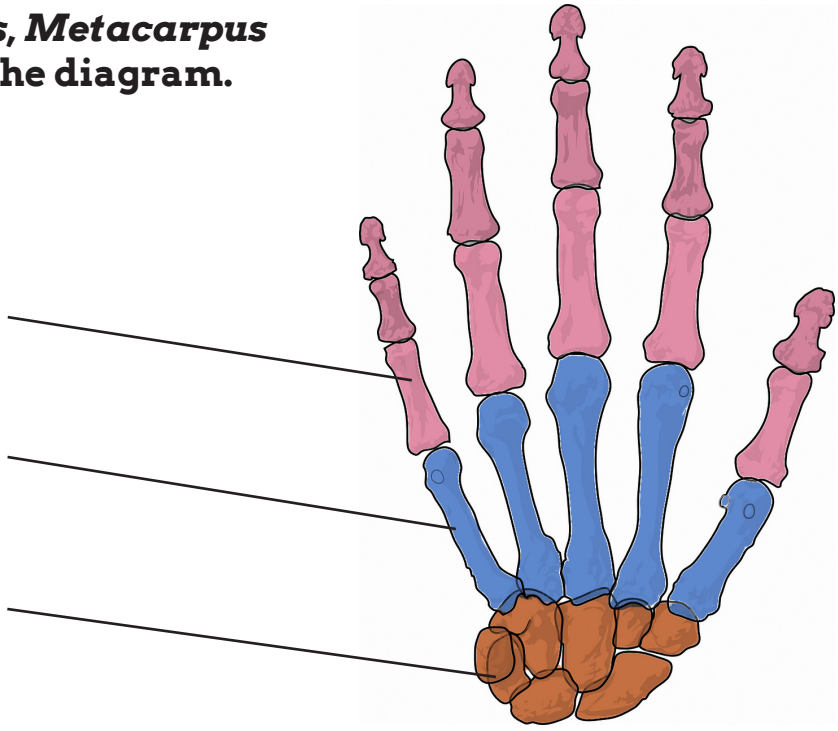
Art Fundamentals Class #22:
Drawing Hands

1. In your own words, why is it important to have at least a basic understanding of anatomy when drawing parts of the human body?

2. *True or false?:* Learning about the base/underlying structure of the human body (skeleton/bones) provides us an understanding of the length of different body parts, their positioning and their range of movement.

3. Label the *Phalanges*, *Metacarpus* and *Carpus* bones in the diagram.



4. What does the *Halving Method* tell us in regards to the proportions of our fingers and hands?

5. How many intrinsic muscles are there in our hands? What are their names and locations?

6. How are our thumbs different from our other fingers?

7. What are the main differences between the fronts and backs of our hands?

8. *Minor details* in our hands include: