

# RAINBOW COLORS - ROY G. BIV



Isaac Newton  
Born: January 4, 1643  
Died: March 20, 1726



Isaac Newton, the gravity guy  
Saw a rainbow in the sky  
With red on top and six below  
Seven colors – Here you go!

Roy

Red orange yellow

G.

Green

Biv

Blue indigo violet

Note: Roy G. Biv is a mnemonic for remembering the colors of the rainbow from top to bottom. Isaac Newton added indigo (a deep blue) to the spectrum because he liked the number seven.