

Materials List:

Introduction to Painting

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ART 40180

Resources: Blick Art Supply, Amazon, Artist & Craftsman, Michaels

Materials list for all Students:

- Apron or smock (both acrylic and oil paints won't come out of clothing) Suggested*
- Suggested: Sealable Masterson stay wet palette: (well worth the investment*)
<https://a.co/d/bM71tkx> / Can order a size down as well*
- Disposable paper palette insert for Masterson: <https://a.co/d/5GpqBhS>
- Or any disposable palette avail on Amazon or at Blick Art Supply
- Water containers
- Or for an easy palette coated paper plates from Target or Walmart, Larger size*
- Pencils, pens and/or charcoal
- Eraser
- Ruler*
- Canvas boards approx 3-4 or/and Stretched Canvases in Size of choice** 8x10, 11x14 can purchase in bulk from Blick, Amazon or Michaels*
- Paper towels or cotton rags or an old t-shirt
- Favorite photos* from travel, people, pets, garden from a magazine will be used for reference materials for some exercises and lessons. Invest some time finding images meaningful to you** We won't need these items until the second or 3rd class*.
- 3-5 Color images (postcard, calendar) of favorite paintings by master artists (Matisse, Picasso, Monet, *invest some time in sourcing these images*** from a bookstore or online) we won't need these items until the second class*
- Color wheel (any size, guide for mixing paints): <https://a.co/d/4Zoe3z4> Suggested*
- Canson Paper 9x12 for Oil or Acrylic: <https://a.co/d/heB762a> Suggested*
- Favorite Art Book by favorite artist(s). Suggested*

Materials list for Students working in Acrylic (Dries fast, non-toxic):

- Apron or smock
- Disposable paper palette, or paper plates [see above]
- Spray bottle with water* (a must to keep paints wet while working)
- Container for water
- Acrylic gel medium, Gloss or satin (liquidex or golden brands, makes paints more fluid and similar in blending to oils**) start with a small tube*
- Acrylic Brushes: Use brushes you have on hand * or Get a set with flats, filberts and rounds and one fan tail*, ¼", ½" and 1" or whatever else you may have on hand. (some sets come in a zippered pouch on Amazon)
- Acrylic paint: Use paints you have on hand, a mixed variety of hues* Or easiest to purchase a complete set online, 36-72 small/med size paints or Titanium white, black

- ivory, cadmium yellow med, cadmium yellow light, cadmium red med, cobalt blue, ultra-marine blue, payne's grey, burnt umber, raw umber, raw sienna,
- OR Purchase a Painting Set (brushes and paints included w/easel, not required but helpful if you don't have above paints and brushes on hand, cost effective as well*)
some suggested options
 - <https://a.co/d/hx0jr95>
 - <https://a.co/d/3Jlmae7>
 - <https://a.co/d/dTWMFqQ>

****Please utilize materials you already have on hand and supplement with the ones above or purchase a painting set or kit for class if you do not already own one. Please come to class prepared with materials as we will be painting the 1st day of class, but you won't need reference materials/images (see list above) until Class #2. I look forward to meeting you all and having some fun, creating art! – Susan Wickstrand***