

Fall Leaves Watercolor Workshop

Materials List

Paper: Tracing Paper: 9x12 (Canson Tracing Calque is good)

Watercolor Paper: 9x12 pad or block of Arches 140lb **Cold Press** Watercolor Paper. *It is strongly recommended that you work on this paper for class.* (the pads are available at Dick Blick)

And

5 X 7 Pad or block of lower grade watercolor paper, such as Strathmore or Canson Montvale. This is used for testing colors.

2 Pencils: One 4H and one HB graphite artists pencil and a sharpener

Colored Pencils: Set of 12 **Prismacolor Col-Erase Pencils**

1 Eraser: Kneaded eraser

Sharpener: Either handheld or battery operated

Sandpaper Block: (item# 21517-1000) This will give your pencils a good point.

Roll of Masking Tape

Board that is a bit larger than your watercolor paper for support. **It is important to tape your wc paper to a board to prevent buckling.**

3 Brushes:

1 Princeton Velvet Touch **3950LR #6 long round** watercolor brush
(Item #:06433-1004)

1 Princeton Velvet Touch **3950LR #4 long round** watercolor brush
(Item#:06435-1001)

1 Princeton Snap #4 Chisel Blender Brush. (Item #06382-1004)

2 Palettes

Paint Palette: 10 well plastic round palette with cover. (item #03068-1010)

Mixing Palette: 3 - 4" Ceramic round flower shaped 7 well porcelain palette Item #03071-1002)
(no plastic)

WC Paints: We will be using watercolor paints in *tubes*. *Paint will make a difference, so good quality is important.* I recommend 2 brands, Winsor and Newton Professional or M Graham.

The tubes come in 5ml and 14ml....either is fine. They are interchangeable; in other words, you can buy some of one brand and some of the other.

I find M. Graham to be superior and more reasonably priced; it is the paint I choose to work with. Up to you. Also, if you plan to take other one-day workshops, which I recommend, these are brands that are used.

Colors by brand:

Winsor and Newton

New Gamboge (I recommend you buy the M Graham brand....far better color)

Ultramarine Blue

Prussian Blue

Sap Green

Burnt Sienna

M Graham

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Additional Supplies

2 containers, 8-ounce capacity or more

Paper towels

Small Dropper (important supply to bring)