

## **Materials List for Botanical Drawing 1, 2, & 3**

### **Books:**

#### **Required:**

Botanical Illustration by Valerie Oxley  
The Crowood Press, ISBN 978 1 84797 051 0

#### **Others of Interest:**

Lessons in Classical Drawing by Juliette Aristides Watson Guptil Publications, ISBN 978 0 8230 0659 5

A Guide to Drawing, (4th to 7th Edition)

by Mendelowitz and Wakeham

Harcourt Brace Jovanovich

(expensive as it is used as a college text, but in many libraries and available used at very good prices)

### **SUPPLIES:**

**Pencils** (graphite drawing, artist quality):

Please purchase one of the following brands of pencils:

Derwent

Tombow

Staedtler Mars Lumograph

Please purchase 2 each of the three hardness's listed below (6 total):

2 – 4H

2 - 2H

2 – HB

2 - 2B

**Pencil Sharpener battery operated:** Look for a sharpener that has the spiral cutter not the blade cutter. [PowerMe is an excellent brand. Available on Amazon]

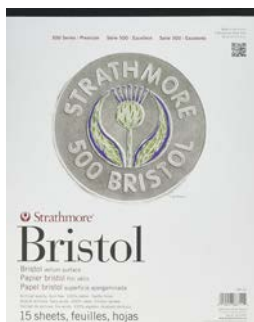
**1 Value Scale** (called Gray Scale & Value Finder™ made by The Color Wheel Company or a 9 to 10 value scale by another manufacturer)

**2 Erasers:** kneadable rubber eraser [Design] *and* white plastic eraser [Staedtler Mars] (optional)

**Drawing Paper:** Please purchase 1 pad:

Strathmore 500 Series Bristol - vellum 11" x 14" pad **OR**

Stonehenge vellum finish 11" x 14" pad (spiral bound optional)



or



Both available at Amazon

**Transfer Paper:** Kingart (9'x13" Graphite Transfer/25sheets -recommended)

**Tracing Paper** (1 pad): 11" x 14" [Canson Foundation Calque is preferred] or other very transparent brand.

**2 White Foam Core Boards:** 15 x 20 each.

**Mini Dusting Brush:** [Alvin #2340] Or a flight bird feather or a clean, large makeup brush works well too.

**Erasing Shield:** stainless steel [Alvin]

**Artist Tape** (1 roll): 3/4" white – low tack; *do not buy masking tape*

**Cutting Tools (2):** [X-Acto] Knife with # 11 blades and Scissors, small pair

**Divider Tool:** 5-1/2" or 6"; [Alvin #560, Staedtler Masterbow] looks like a compass but with 2 needle points

**Ruler (2):** 6" *and* 12" metal or plastic ruler with inches *and* centimeters

**11" x 14"** Plexiglas clear panel thickness: .091 (available at Home Depot and some hardware stores) **1** – fine point *wet or dry erase* black marker [Expo or Vis-à-vis] (not needed for first couple classes)

**Helping Hands Tool** – available online, and from Microcenter Computer Store, Harbor Freight, not needed for first class

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**Supply Sources:**

Dick Blick ~ [www.dickblick.com](http://www.dickblick.com) ~ (800)-828-4548

Jerry's Artarama [www.jerrysartarama.com](http://www.jerrysartarama.com) (800)-827-8478

Cheap Joe's ~ [www.cheapjoes.com](http://www.cheapjoes.com) ~ (800) 227-2788

Thompson's Art Supply in White Plains ~ (800)-287-4885

Amazon.com