Iris Flower in Watercolor Workshop: Materials List

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

Watercolor Paper: **9x12** or larger pad or block of **Arches 140lb Cold Press** Watercolor Paper. *It is strongly recommended that you work on this paper for class*.

AND

5 x 7 Small pad of lower quality wc paper for testing color, etc. **Strathmore 400 WC paper in a pad or Canson Montvale WC** Paper brand are fine.

Graphite Pencil: 4H and HB graphite artists pencil

Colored Pencils: 1 Ultramarine and 1 Violet **Prismacolor Verithin Pencils** or Box of 12

Sharpener: Either handheld or battery operated....be sure it gives a good point!

Eraser: Kneaded eraser

Roll of Masking Tape

Sheet of Foam Core Board that is several inches larger than your 9 x 12 watercolor paper. If you have any other type of board, bring that.

2 Brushes (Short Handles):

Brushes make a difference....good brand at a good price.

1 Princeton Velvet Touch 3950LR #2 long round watercolor brush (Item #:06433-1002)

And

1 Princeton Velvet Touch 3950LR #4 long round (Item #:06433-1004) watercolor brush

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

And

Mixing Palette: 7 well round porcelain palette (Item #03071-1002)

WC Paints:

We will be using watercolor paints in *tubes*, not cakes. It is worth buying better paints so below I recommend 2 brands. They come in 5ml or 14ml tubes....up to you which to purchase. I use M Graham as I find them superior and a better price.

Winsor and Newton Professional Watercolor Paints:

Lemon Yellow (do not buy Lemon Yellow which includes Nickel

Titanium in the name. or Cadmium Yellow Pale (pale only!)

Permanent Rose
French Ultramarine Blue
Prussian Blue
Sap Green
Paynes Gray
Titanium white

M Graham Professional Watercolor Paints:

Azo Yellow Quinacridone Rose French Ultramarine Blue Prussian Blue Sap Green Paynes Gray Titanium White

Additional Supplies

2 containers, 8 ounce capacity or more Paper towels or cotton cloth pieces (Viva is a good absorbent brand) Small Dropper