

Art in the Park: Watercolor in Plein Air Recommended Class Supply List

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SUGGESTED SUPPLIES

I will be instructing the class based on the following palette. I prefer tube paint found online through Cheap Joe's, ASW, Daniel Smith, or Hobby Lobby in Sheboygan Choose professional brands: Winsor Newton, DaVince, Daniel Smith. American Journey.

PALETTE

Plastic Palette with 17 Wells 9x12 Cheap Joe's Brand or Corel from Walmart
Smaller palettes with at least a dozen wells are ok.

WATERCOLOR PAINT

Alizarin Crimson
Aureolin
Burnt Sienna
Cerulean Blue
Cobalt Blue
Ultramarine Blue
Rose Madder
Quinacridone Gold
Viridian
Indigo

BRUSHES

I like to use synthetic nylon and sable brushes and advise at least the following sizes.
Flat 1"
Round # 10
Rigger # 3

PAPER

I recommend 100% rag watercolor paper 140 lb Cold Press.
9x12 (or quarter sheets of 11x15) Canson brand.
I also use Arches Bright White paper 140 Rough. Sold in blocks no need to mount.

Single sheets would need to be mounted on a board taped or stapled

BOARDS : Any backing board for mounting loose sheets of paper
I mount my paper on (Homosote) board from Menards. Soak paper in water for 10 mins and staple to the board.
Or tape paper to another type of board.

OTHER ITEMS

Easel to paint from
Sketch Book (size to 8 1/2x 11) or smaller

Sketching pencil, look for ebony brand, generals

Red eraser

Notebook and pencil

Water container (examples: pint size plastic food storage container, used plastic dip dish).

Paper towel (Viva, the best)

Staple Gun and box of 5/16"staples (if mounting loose sheets with stapling method)

A Tote bag to carry all your painting gear.

Most supplies can be purchased at the following; Hobby Lobby or ordering online

Contact me for recommendations.