

Materials List Watercolour Painting

Price estimates are taken from currys.com

Paper:

- Minimum of one piece will be needed for each week of class
- 9x12" 140 lb cold press
- Available at most big box stores as well as art supply stores. Usually works out to be \$1 per sheet. You can buy as a pad, or one full size sheet and then break down smaller.

Scrap paper or inexpensive sketch pad

Pencil, eraser and pencil sharpener

One charcoal or chalk pastel (for sketching and transferring images).

Paint brushes:

- Please bring at minimum: one 3/4" or 1" flat-tipped brush, and one round (*pointed*) brush suitable for painting detail.
- Many stores sell sets of 12 or so which include a nice variety of shapes and sizes for you to experiment with.
- Please make sure you have soft watercolour brushes (*not stiff oil/acrylic brushes*).
- Not required but a good example of brushes to get Curry's Cotman series brushes:
 - Round #1 \$5.29
 - Round #4 \$6.09
 - Round #8 \$10.29
 - 3/4" wash brush \$20.89

Paint

- Your kit would ideally contain these colours: Lemon Yellow, Cadmium Yellow, Vermilion Red, Alizarin/Crimson, Cerulean Blue, Ultramarine Blue, Black, Paynes Grey, Sap Green, Viridian Green, Yellow Ochre & Burnt Sienna
 - Individual tubes are about \$4.50 each at art supply stores.
 - Student quality tube or pan sets are available at big box stores for \$10 to \$30.
- ### Palette (A low budget option would be an empty muffin tray).
- ### Water spray bottle
- ### Hair blow dryer (*optional*) to speed drying time.
- ### Masonite board or foam core board (*optional*) 11x14" or larger, as a backing for your watercolour paper while you are working, along with masking tape to attach your paper to the board.