

FALL 2021 at OSA

Introduction to Painting: Supply List

ACRYLIC Supply list Jolyn Fry - 503.754.5530 text instructor with questions

Please note: The explanations here in regard to not buying hues and looking for specific brands and colors of paint are, because after 15 years of teaching, I've realized it's very easy to go to the art store and purchase materials that can work against you as a beginner painter. If you accidentally purchase something I don't recommend, it'll be ok!

Acrylic paints, 2 oz tubes

Suggested Brand name: **Golden**. If you buy another brand, please be sure pigments are artist grade.

Don't generally buy "hues"! Don't purchase Open Acrylics!

Must-have colors...

Cadmium yellow medium

Cadmium red light (*Do not! purchase paints labeled hue or academy.)*

Quinacridone crimson

Titanium white (buy the 8 oz. Tube if available)

Burnt umber

Ultramarine blue

Suggested colors to have in addition to above:

Cerulean blue deep (don't buy chromium)

Hansa yellow light or Benzimidazolone yellow

Burnt sienna

Quinacridone magenta

Indian yellow (this color is only available in hue, so buying the hue is ok)

Brushes

Size 6 bright bristle and Size 6 round bristle

I suggest also having two smaller brushes and two larger brushes. Decide based on your budget and how they feel in your hand. I would rather you come to class with two brushes, then go back and make an educated decision as to what you need, than to have you purchase brushes you do not like.

Also purchasing some inexpensive, smaller brushes with soft bristles is recommended (don't go expensive; packs of brushes should be \$20 or less. Columbia Art and Draft on Burnside, and Artist & Craftsman have them often).

Painting surfaces

Canvas paper tablets. You can paint on almost anything if you prime with **gesso** first. Canvas paper tablets are fairly inexpensive and come in a variety of sizes, usually already pre-gessoed.

Cardboard or other heavyweight scrap papers are appropriate too! Gesso is available at most art stores.

Approximate size suggestions for painting surfaces:

Painting surfaces may be as small as 11x14 inches. But please go as large in paper size as you feel comfortable!

Come to the first class prepared to start 3 or 4 paintings.

Palette and more

Disposable **paper palettes** available at most art stores, 11"x14" or larger

Pieces of tempered glass or acrylic are also suitable options

Wood palettes are great but can be hard to clean

Also please bring a **palette knife**.

In addition: cotton paint rags (cut up an old t-shirt), a glass jar/or large yogurt container. And **blue masking tape**.

Oil Supply list Jolyn Fry - 503.754.5530 text instructor with questions

Suggested Brand name: Winsor and Newton

Please be sure pigments are artist grade.

Note: avoid buying paints labeled with the word **hue**, academy, Winton, primary, 1980...

Must have colors:

Cadmium yellow medium
Cadmium red medium or light
Quinacridone crimson or Alizarin crimson
Titanium white *purchase the larger tube if available*
Burnt umber
Ultramarine blue

Suggested colors to have in addition to above:

Naphthol red
Cerulean blue deep
Burnt sienna
Indian yellow
Indigo blue or phthalo blue
Hansa yellow...sometimes called Winsor or azo yellow

Brushes

Must have...

Size 6 bright bristle

Size 6 round bristle

I suggest also having smaller brushes and larger brushes. Look around and decide based on your budget and how they feel in your hand. I would rather you come to class with two brushes and then go back and make an educated decision as to what you need than to have you purchase brushes you do not like, so if you only have a few to start, no worries.

Painting surfaces

You can paint on almost anything if you prime it with **gesso** first. If you are a beginning student I suggest using **CANVAS PAPER** tablets, which are fairly inexpensive and come in a variety of sizes. Pre-gessoed OR Heavy weight paper cut to size is also an appropriate option. Stretched canvases are certainly welcome but can sometimes be expensive. Canvas boards are fine too. Gesso is available at most art stores. Advanced students should consider painting on canvas.

Palette

Disposable wax paper palettes available at most art stores, 11" by 14" or larger. Pieces of tempered glass or acrylic are also suitable options. Wooden palettes are great but can be hard to clean.

In addition: cotton paint rags, a glass jar/with lid, and TURPENOID ODORLESS THINNER. Also please bring a **palette knife**. **Blue masking tape**.