# Supply List <br> <br> Watercolors: Materials, Compositions, and Techniques Ages 16+ <br> <br> Watercolors: Materials, Compositions, and Techniques Ages 16+ Michelle Kogan 

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## BRUSHES

Type: Sable, Ox hair, Squirrel and Sable synthetic
Flats: 1-2 Flats 1/2" \& 1" Brand: Richesan Professional \# 7010-England (or similar quality)
*Rounds: 1-3 Small and 1-2 Large. Small \#1-5, Large \#6, 8, 10 or 12
Brands: Isabey Petit Gris \& Isabey 6223 Martre Pure, Raphael Martre Kolinsky-France, Winsor \& Newton (Series 7); Rigger: Optional Scrubbers: or stiff acrylic brushes, toothbrush

## PAINTS/Pencils

Paints in Tubes: (Purchase * add more as desired) buy professional and light fast
Brands: Winsor Newton, Holbein, and Daniel Smith (order online if not available locally)
Light-fast Paints Coded- W\&N: I, II, A, AA; Holbein: ***, **; Daniel Smith: I, II
Sepia, Burnt Umber*, Raw Umber*, Raw Sienna*, Burnt Sienna*
Crimson Lake*, Permanent Rose, Rose Doré, Quinacridone red*
Sap Green*, Under Sea Green (Daniel Smith), Green Gold (Daniel Smith) Winsor Green (red shade) Winsor Green (Blue Shade)*
Cadmium Yellow Light*, Lemon Yellow*, Aureolin, Yellow Ochre, Jaune Brilliant \#1
French Ultramarine Blue*, Colbalt Blue Hue, Winsor Blue (Green Shade), Winsor Blue (Red Shade), Cerulean Blue*, Winsor Violet (Dioxazine) and other Violets
Additional: Cadmium Red Deep, Winsor Red Deep, Cadmium Orange, Paynes Grey, Titanium White, Brilliant Pink, Shell Pink, Cadmium Yellow Deep, Terre Verte, Gold, Silver

Watercolor Pencil(s): Soft, Caran D'Ache-*Bluish Pale \#37; other pencils optional: primary, secondary and earthtones (browns and ochres), or buy similar set: Derwent, Caran D'Ache.

## *WATERCOLOR PALETTE Select one

Plastic heavy duty with wells for paint and mixing area, or metal/plastic portable palette with lid

## Paper Select one Exercise Pad and one other type of paper 140 lb below- block or sheets <br> Brands: Fabriano (Artistico, Soft or Coldpress), Arches, Strathmore, Canson, Whatman, Lana *140 lb Coldpress Spiral Bound or Pad Watercolor Tablet 9" x 12" (for exercises)

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## CENTER

${ }^{*} 140 \mathrm{lb}$ Coldpress Watercolor Block (Approx. $9 \times 12$ inches) OR

* 140 lb or 300 lb Coldpress, and/or Soft (Fabriano Artistico) Watercolor sheets 22" x 30"


## Materials for Painting on Black Paper:

## Select one pad of PAPER or a couple of sheets:

-Legion Stonehenge Aqua Black Watercolor Paper Pad-
$8 " \times 10 "$ or $9 " \times 12 "-I$ have used this paper, and like it, also it's available in the Evanston Store.
-Richeson Black Art Paper Bulk Packs
$9 " \times 12 "-1$ have not used this paper yet.
-Shizen Black Watercolor Paper
Select a size. This paper has a deckle edge. I have not used this paper yet.

## Materials for Painting on Black Paper -continued:

Or the sheet of Black paper that comes in the Arches Watercolor blocks, protecting the block
Or any 140\# watercolor paper sheets available online. -2 Sakura Gelly Roll Opaque White Pens \#10 Bold Tip -GET THESE
-Dr. Ph. Martin's Bombay India Ink - 1 oz, White-you may need to order this online from Blick or Dr. Martin's- I ordered mine from Dr. Martin's website.
-Or White watercolor paint
Also other opaque watercolors, i.e. Cadmium Yellow, Cadmium Orange, Jaune Brilliant, Brilliant Pink, Cerulean Blue, etc. Use these base colors to mix with additional colors.
-Your Watercolor brushes.

## Miscellaneous Material

Distilled Water-convenient size or let tap water sit for 24 hours-optional
*Natural Sea Sponge

* Drafting Tape, Papers Tape \& or Bullnose clips (for attaching paper to board)
*Foam core, Gator board, Homasote board-White faced building board 3/8" (support for paper)
*Paper Towels, Tissues, Rags, 2 Containers for water
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Masking fluid- Dr. Martin's Frisket Mask Liquid-level 2, Daniel Smith, Daler-Rowney, "Masquepen, Natural rubber pick-up eraser to remove masking fluid,
*Sketch Book, Tracing paper, *Kneaded eraser, ${ }^{\text {* }}$ Drawing Pencils Staedtler Mars (soft 3B),
*Pencil Sharpener, smock or apron

For Plein Air Painting, or used in your home: Easel -Watercolor Painters Package Product \#: 20-03 from: SunEden Artist's Gear http://www.sun-eden.com

## Materials available at following art stores:

Dick Blick: https://www.dickblick.com/
DickBlick 1755 Maple Ave. Evanston,
Dick Blick 16 W Randolph Street, Chicago; Dick Blick 1574 N Kingsbury Street, Chicago
Daniel Smith www.http://www.danielsmith.com
Cheap Joe's www.cheapjoes.com
Sun-Eden Artists' Gear https://sun-eden.com/ (good plein air easel available)

## EXERCISES

## Beginning Exercises:

-Begin with a few thumbnail sketches in your sketchbook
-Construct your composition with large shapes filling up the space
-Exaggerate and make objects much larger
-Have some shapes run off your page
-Play with the scale of your shapes, marks and lines making a variety of sizes and thicknesses

## 1. Monochromatic Painting

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Object/Ground: -Use one hue (color) and light and dark values of this color Experiment working different ways, i.e. dry o n wet/wet on wet, allow color to dry and glaze over.
2. Mixing Compliments (Colors across from each other on the color wheel.)

Object/Ground: -Use 2 complimentary colors (red \& green /yellow \& violet/ blue \& orange). Experiment working different ways, i.e. dry on wet/wet on wet. Allow color to dry and glaze over
-Use 4 compliments
-Try one with all warm values
-Try one with all cool values
-Try one mixing warm and cool values

## 3. Saturated Color

Object/Ground: Use vivid and intense colors (All colors available)

## 4. Work Independently

On-going Projects/Charts:
Create a color wheel with:
Primary Colors: yellow, red, and blue
Secondary colors: orange, green, and violet
Create value studies with primary and secondary colors
Use 10 values: \#1 = white of the paper

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\# 10 \text { = darkest value }
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Create a color chart showing Transparent and opaque colors:
-Draw a vertical line with a black permanent marker
-Paint a square of each color over this line
Opaque colors will show a clouded area over the black line Transparent colors will show the black line below clearly

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