

Supply List  
Experimenting with Watercolor Basics  
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**Suggested places to shop:**

Blick Art Materials: [www.dickblick.com](http://www.dickblick.com)

847-425-9100 1755 Maple Ave. Evanston,

Cheap Joe's: [www.cheapjoes.com](http://www.cheapjoes.com) 1-800-227-2788

Jerry's: [www.jerrysartarama.com](http://www.jerrysartarama.com) 1-800-827-8478

**1 small set of watercolor paints:**

<https://www.dickblick.com/categories/painting/watercolor-paint/>

Winsor-Newton, Holbein, Daniel Smith, Grumbacher Finest, Rembrandt, Schmincke, or Van Gogh student grade (best deal for the price) are all good brands

**Recommended colors:**

Cadmium Yellow Pale or Winsor Yellow

Cadmium Red Light or Winsor Red

Bright Rose or Opera Rose

Ultramarine Blue

Cerulean Blue

Paynes Grey

**1 H drawing pencil**

<https://www.dickblick.com/categories/drawing/pencils/sketching/>

**1 kneaded eraser**

<https://www.dickblick.com/products/blick-kneaded-erasers/>

**Brushes:**

<https://www.dickblick.com/categories/brushes/watercolor/>

2-3 *round brushes*—#10 or #12 lg. and #6 or #8 small. Buy good quality sable, natural hair or soft synthetic brushes. A few good brushes can do the job for most paintings!!

1-2 *flat brushes*—1" or 1/2" for large wash areas. Sable or natural hair is the best, but good soft synthetics are also fine.

**Watercolor Paper:**

<https://www.dickblick.com/categories/canvas/painting-papers/watercolor/>

1 140 lb. cold press watercolor paper tablet is fine to get started. 9" x 12" works well, although many sizes are available.

**Watercolor Palette:**

<https://www.dickblick.com/categories/painting/palettes/watercolor/>

White plastic palette (John Pike or similar style is great), or white butcher tray will also work

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**Permanent ink pen:** Be sure to check the pen nib size before ordering!

<https://www.dickblick.com/products/marvy-uchida-lepen-technical-drawing-pens/>

**Plastic cups and paper towels:**

1-2 plastic containers needed for your water; a few paper towels, folded

**Table salt, crayons or old candle stubs, plastic wrap, a toothbrush, basic kitchen sponge, a few Q-tips**

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