

STRESS FREE- WATERCOLOR DOODLING

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PREPARING YOUR PAPER: Please prepare your paper and gather your supplies before the first class. Cut each 10"X14" sheet down to 10" high x11" wide. The 3" cutoff strip will be used for pigment and color testing. Place a strip of masking tape on each sheet on the left hand side of the watercolor paper on the 10" edge.

PREPARING YOUR PAINTS: If you already have a filled watercolor palette, feel free to use it. Just make sure you have the Holbein Jaune Brilliant #1, and Neutral Tint watercolors plus a good selection of other pigments.

For beginners, please fill your watercolor palette before class starts. You can fill them with about a tablespoon in each well. You want them to dry a little in the palette. Before class and each time you want to paint, spritz your pigments with water to soften them. I will show a diagram of how to fill your folding palette leaving spaces. By leaving spaces, it will give you an opportunity to add other pigments of the same hue.

Blick Folding Watercolor Palette with 20 wells

NEUTRAL TINT			JAUNE BRILLIANT			ULTRAMARINE BLUE			PHTHALO BLUE
<div>MIXING AREA</div>									
HANSA YELLOW			PERM ALIZARIN CRIMSON			RED LIGHT		BURNT SIENNA	
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MATERIALS

The numbers correspond with Blick Art Materials, which is online. There are Blick Stores that offer curbside pick-up. Blick stores are located in Fullerton, Los Angeles, Pasadena, Santa Monica, and West Los Angeles

- ☐ 10183-1009: Arches, 140# Cold Pressed, Watercolor Paper Pad, 10"x14", 12 sheets per pad
- ☐ 00067-1001 Folding Watercolor Palette, 8"x4"
- ☐ 01773-1019: QoR Watercolor Set of 6 tubes
 - (Hansa Yellow Light, Phthalo Blue Green Shade, Ultramarine Blue, Pyrolle Red Light, Permanent Alizarin Crimson)
- ☐ 01664-1009: Gansai Tambi Watercolor Starry Colors (metallic gold watercolor set)
- ☐ 00322-3912: Holbein Jaune Brilliant #1 Watercolor, 15 ml tube
- ☐ 00322-2552: Holbein Neutral Tint Watercolor, 15ml tube
- ☐ 20754-1010: 2 each, Uniball Signo White Acrylic Pen UM-153
- ☐ 20702-2010: Micron Pens set of 3- black, size 005 (if you are using other pens, make sure they are waterproof and not a felt marker, watercolor paper shreds markers)
- ☐ 24149-1012: Blick Masking Tape (1/2")
- ☐ 05459-1149: Princeton Neptune Watercolor Brush Set (4 brushes, ¼" Aquarelle, 2 Round, 6 Round, 10 Round)

- ☐ Corrugated Plastic Panels (Painting boards to tape your paper to) sheets available at Home Depot, can be cut with utility knife to 11"x15"
- ☐ Water container (I use a large yogurt cup)
- ☐ Paper towels
- ☐ Small terry cloth towel to lay your brushes on
- ☐ Adjustable Spray bottle to mist your watercolors
- ☐ Hair Dryer
- ☐ Sea or Kosher Salt
- ☐ 12" Ruler
- ☐ Pencil 2b, and Eraser (kneaded or white, not pink eraser or end of pencil eraser)

NOTES:

- We will be creating 2 projects each week, not all of them will be finished during class.
- We will have the option of binding these sheets into a journal. This can be done at an office supply store for about \$4.00. This is a way of capturing your learning and I have found a lot of joy looking back over my journals from past years.