

Supply List: Spontaneous Watercolor with Abstract Elements and Techniques



Instructor: Rocco Pisto

Below is the list of supplies you will need for the class. You can find these items at local art supply stores such as Blick, Michaels or Hobby Lobby, and online retailers like Amazon.com or DickBlick.com. Feel free to purchase them from any store you prefer. If you have any questions about the supplies, please email us at office@northvillearthouse.org.

Paper: Rocco recommends Arches Watercolor Block, cold press, 18" x 24". This is a pad of 20 sheets of paper. If you prefer to work with a different kind of watercolor paper, you will need at least six sheets of a decent size.

Paint: Rocco recommends tubes of watercolor paint. His preferred brands include Lukas, Winsor & Newton, and Holbein. If you are buying watercolor paints for the first time, squeeze the tube paint onto a palette to dry for a few days. You can purchase a metal or plastic palette, or Rocco suggests using egg cartons.

Brushes: When buying watercolor brushes, Rocco says that are three choices to consider: hair, size, and shape. He uses a Winsor & Newton goat Hair Brush - Wash, Size 3. He also recommends Princeton Aqua Elite Series 4850 Synthetic Brushes and Sets

Other Supplies:

- Scotch Blue Painter's Tape - 1.88" x 60 yards
- X-Acto #1 Knife



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