**MATERIAL LIST FOR OIL PAINTING**

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***\*\*\*You may wish to only purchase minimum supplies to begin with and add materials as you go along. Basic paint sets and brush sets are a good way to start. Also, make sure of art store return policy. \*\*\****

**Canvas pad or stretched canvas**

16-inch x 20-inch min. suggested

**Basic Paints are in BOLD**

Raw Umber Raw Sienna **Yellow Ochre**

Burnt Umber **Burnt Sienna** Cadmium Yellow

Cadmium Orange Alizarin Crimson Cobalt Blue

Cadmium Red Deep **Viridian Green** **Ultramarine Blue**

**Cadmium Red Light** Hooker Green Cerulean Blue

**Permanent Yellow Light**

Ivory Black or Mars Black or Indigo

**Titanium White** (Large 140-150 ml tube)

***(Colors that exceed the basic color palette are more expensive)***

**Palette:** disposable palette pad or finished palette

**Palette knife:** for mixing paint and as painting tool

**Sketchbook,** **Pens, Pencils**

**Brushes:**

Brush sets contain a combination of Flats, Filberts, and Rounds.

Rounds are important when starting a drawing for a painting, and Flats and Filberts are good for filling in larger areas. Filberts tend to blend strokes more than Flats. All brush types come in a variety of sizes. You will find which brushes best serve your method.

For oil paint: Hog bristle or synthetic

**Clean-up:**

Washing your brushes thoroughly after each use will prolong their lives. *Dawn* dish soap is perfect. If using hog bristle or other natural hair brushes, I suggest a final cleaning with any brush cleaner and preserver.

* Rags or paper towels are a necessity. Brown classroom paper towels are not effective
* Soap for cleaning brushes

***For Oil Painters only:***

* **Oil painters** need some type of premixed medium to improve flow and drying of oils such as Winsor & Newton Liquin or Gambin Galkyd
* **Solvents-** Must use only **odorless paint thinner** for thinning oil paint and clean-up of brushes
* Metal or glass jars with lids for solvents

**Additional supplies to consider:**

* A tool or tackle box for storage and transport
* Smooth cotton rags
* Apron or painter smock

*Please feel free to email me with any questions regarding oil painting supply list.*