

PAINT WITH KATO! MATERIAL LIST

I have some supplies that I am happy to share. But eventually you'll want your own...

PAINT: There are a slew of paints on the market, and I think Golden acrylics are the best. You get what you pay for, and because they have more concentrated pigment, you actually use less paint. Tri-art paints are good, and their cheaper brands **Rheotech** and **Art Noise** are also recommended (www.artnoise.ca 290 Princess St, Kingston, ON K7L 1B5-613-767-7860). One brand that I think is crappy is Art Loft from Michael's. Invest in the best if you can, but I know it's a big commitment. Recommended colours (name changes according to brand):

1. Hansa Yellow Light (Cadmium Yellow Light, Lemon Yellow)
2. Darker Yellow (Cadmium Yellow Deep)
3. Orangey-Red (Cadmium Red Light, or Medium, or Napthol Red Light))
4. Cool Red: Quinacridone Red or Magenta
5. Titanium White (you will probably go through a lot of this)
6. Raw Umber
7. Yellow Ochre
8. Ultramarine Blue
9. Alizarin Crimson
10. Phthalo Blue (green shade)
11. Burnt Umber

CANVASES: Canvas boards or wooden panels are inexpensive and easy to transport. I have some that you can buy from me at cost. You'll need about 6 to 12 over the weeks, and you can work on any size – 8 x10, 9 x 12, 11x 14, 12 x16. The Dollar Store has some in stock. Stretch canvases are also good!

OTHER STUFF

Wet Palette (large) – optional palette that keeps your paint wet week to week

https://www.currys.com/catalogpc.htm?Category=STA_WET_PALETTES&Source=Search

Gel Medium (small jar, gloss or matt, can be thick or thin)

Brushes: an assortment of sizes synthetic Flat or Brights size 4, 6, 8, 10 – see attached info sheet

Palette Knife (not too fat...I like the long skinny ones) – see attached info sheet

Palette: I like disposable palette pads (12 x 16), or a roll of parchment or freezer paper (not waxed)

Pencils (2B - 4B - 6B), White eraser

Sketch pad (any size – I like the hard covered ones but it doesn't matter)

Plastic sheet (white if possible) to cover your table. A white plastic shower curtain works great!

Plastic container for water (big yogurt container, not too small)

Paper Towels

Spritzer bottle (small one is good from drugstore)

OPTIONAL: A few water soluable pencil crayons, Green painter's tape, Xacto knife, Ruler, charcoal, Hair dryer, portable easel

What to store your supplies in: You'll figure out what is best for you, but those tool cases/boxes at hardware stores are great...about 3 feet long with a handle and two levels inside...some people use a market basket cart with wheels...

WHERE TO BUY:

www.currys.com (usually free delivery over \$50 or \$75), closest store is in Whitby

In Belleville/Kingston:

<http://canada.michaels.com> (if you sign up for their newsletter or app you get additional savings, and they sometime have good sales, but in general are overpriced. They sell Golden paints and have canvases. Avoid Arist Loft paints.

www.barrattsofficepro.com

www.artnoise.ca in Kingston (Tri-Art, Rheotech, and art noise paints)