

Get Ready to Paint Supply List

Local art supply stores:

San Rafael downtown Riley Art Supply and Aaron Bros; *San Anselmo* - Perry's; *Terra Linda*-Michael's or Ben Franklin, *Mill Valley*- Art & Paper, Michael's Arts & Crafts.

On-line: Art Supply Warehouse, Cheap Joe's, Blick's Art Supplies and Jerry's Artarama.

Acrylic Paints: *Note – student grade is OK but better grade has more color/pigment and less filler.*

- ___ Titanium White
- ___ Cadmium Yellow Med
- ___ Cadmium Red Med
- ___ Alizarin Crimson
- ___ Ultramarine Blue
- ___ *optional:* Mars Black, Cad. Yellow light/lemon

Brushes

___ One **#8 or #10 size 'Brite'** (square-top) – firm not sable or soft. Brush should be labeled **for acrylic paint...or for acrylic and oil paint**. Bring any other sizes you may have.

Palette Tray/board: i.e. a surface to mix paints on. *Larger* is better. Something with sides e.g. "Butcher Tray"-- sold at art stores & on-line, ask the clerk.

To see a "butcher tray": <http://www.dickblick.com/products/butcher-tray-palettes/>

or

___ A plastic tray **with sides** – something with a good open area to mix paint
Avoid the plastic trays with small spaces for paint (watercolor palettes), wood or paper.

Supports: i.e. what you paint on

___ **FOUR** inexpensive canvas panel boards: **three 9 x 12 ; one 11x14.**

See example on the right here. They look a little like this.

Don't have to be Fredric – any brand is fine.

This is a view of the back. The brand is not important.



Plus:

- ___ a container for water (eg. large plastic yogurt container or big fat jar).
- ___ spray water bottle (you will be 'misting' your paints)
- ___ rags to wipe brushes (old cut towels are good) or *thick paper towels (blue – at Orchard or auto store)*
- ___ paper & pen for taking notes

Optional

- ___ Apron/bib/old shirt

Food: We will take a short break for lunch -about 30 min. MAX. Best if you can brown bag; up to you. Questions? email m@maryvalente.com

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