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The Unique Image Materials List

Recommend Papers:

* Arches Aquarelle 140-300 lb

* Fabriano Artistico 140-300 lb

* Reaves BFK 140-300 lb

All of these papers come in both Hot Press for a smooth surface or Cold Press for a surface with some tooth.

Full sheet sizes of 22x30 are a good option for size flexibility.

Water color blocks and pads are also another great option.

Paint:

Acrylic Paint - Full Palette

There are many varieties and grades of acrylic paint. I recommend these two brands.

* Golden Heavy Body Acrylic

* Liquitex Heavy Body Acrylic

These work well with the mediums you will be working with.

Mediums:

Mediums come in a WIDE variety so keep it simple with these 2.

* Golden Acrylic Glazing Liquid Satin

* Golden Acrylic Glazing Liquid Gloss

Brushes and Palette knives:

Have on hand a variety of brush sizes. Small Medium and Large.

Look for soft synthetic brushes for smooth easy blending.

For a large brush Blicks Mega Golden Taklon Brushes are great. Soft flexible able to hold a good amount of paint.

Drawing Materials:

- * Colored Pencils

- * Water Soluble Crayons

- * Water Soluble graphite pencils. I recommend Derwent Graphite Water Soluble Pencils they come in a four degrees: 2B 4B 6B and 8B.

- * Viarco ArtGraf Carbon

This is an amazing little drawing medium. You can get it through Dick B Lick. I have described it as a pillow. The true description is a Carbon Disc.

Its not very big only (1-5/8 x 1-7/8 x 1/4) but is multi purpose both wet and dry.

Other Supplies:

- * Freezer Wrap Paper or Palette paper pad

- *Drafting low tac tape/ Painters tape

- *Ruler

- *Bone folder or scissors

- *Paper towels

- *Spritzer bottle of water