Oil Paints are best since they won't dry up so quickly which gives you the time you need to mix colors.

FOR EITHER OILS OR ACRYLICS:

* Canvas, canvas board, Masonite primed with gesso, even papers made for painting in oil or high quality paper sized with PVA. 9x12, 11x14, and 12x16 are good sizes. Bring at least 2 to each class.
* Cotton Rags (like old T-Shirts) and paper towels.
* Vine charcoal to draw with.
* Brushes (just a few high quality, long handled "flats" or "brights", either hogs hair or sable, but nothing smaller than ½ inch.)
* A good metal blade palette knife for mixing.
* Freezer paper or a disposable palette pad at least 12x16. It's good to cut your freezer paper in advance and staple it to a piece of cardboard. I'll show you how.
* Masking Tape

OIL COLORS AND SOLVENTS. Colors you have are probably fine but if you want a recommended palette to start with get the artists grade tubes of

* Titanium or Zinc white (or Permalba or Utrecht White) (large tube)
* Cadmium Rd Lt
* Alizarin Crimson Permanent or Alizarin Crimson
* Cadmium Yellow Lt
* Ultramarine Blue
* Viridian Green or Permanent Green Lt
* Raw Umber (or burnt umber or burnt sienna if you already have one of those colors)

 ---- optional but fun to have -----

* + Cobalt Teal
	+ Cadmium Orange
	+ Cadmium Green

Odorless mineral spirits (Gamsol) and a wide mouthed plastic or metal watertight container). You'll reuse the spirits over and over and besides, there is no place to dispose of it in the school. A container with a screen of some kind inside is very useful so the paint sediment settles. There is one at this link: https://www.amazon.com/Guerrilla-Painter-Brush-Washer-10-Ounce/dp/B00TV38PN6

HEAVY BODY ACRYLICS (if you aren't going to use oils) Golden, Liquitex, Blick or Utrecht brand paint. (Not Artist Loft or Reeves). Colors you already have are probably fine but if you want a recommended palette try the artist grade tubes of

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* Alizarin Crimson Permanent or Alizarin Crimson
* Cadmium Rd Lt
* Cadmium Yellow Lt
* Ultramarine Blue
* Raw Umber (or burnt umber or burnt sienna if you already have one of those colors)

 ---- optional but useful to have -----

* Viridian Green or Pthalo Green or Permanent Green Lt
* Cadmium Orange

Water and a large wide mouthed container. A very fine mist small spray bottle is extremely useful.