

Supply list for Acrylic Class with Melissa Gannon

Paints: (these are only suggested—You basically need red, yellow, blue and white) (the craft acrylic paints will work if you don't want to buy the more expensive acrylic paint. Look for a red, red, a blue, blue and a yellow, yellow.) If you're using quality acrylics—red, yellow and blue should be enough and white.

I use:

Titan Green Pale

Quinacridone Magenta

Quinacridone Crimson

Ultramarine Blue

Turquoise (Phthalo),

Hansa Yellow Medium

Indian Yellow

Transparent Pyrrole Orange

Titanium White

Pyrolle red

Quinacridone red

Quinacridone azo nickel gold

Teal

Neutral Gray

Any other colors that interest you. I'm wanting to work with a limited palette of 4 colors plus white. You can choose which colors you would like to work with. I want to make some color samples so you'll have a color guide for your painting.

Brushes:

half inch flat brush (I've been using the angled flats recently)

3/4" angled flat brush —optional

1" brush or larger if you want to work with a large brush

A small brush to sign your name

Rubber gloves if you want to paint with your fingers.

- Acrylic Glazing liquid (optional) (I'm actually using airbrush medium or high flow medium mixed with acrylic glazing liquid—but the glazing liquid by itself will work)
- Paper plates for a palette
- Paper or canvas (watercolor paper works for this as well, I gesso it first)
- Water containers —you need a jar with a lid to take your paint water home as we can't put it down the sink
- A piece of foamcore to use as a support for your paper or canvas which will also keep the table clean
- A rag or paper towels for wiping your brush and damp paper towels to take your brushes home as we can't use the sink
- Pencil (I've been using a pastel pencil lately because it disappears when I paint over it)
- sketchbook to make color swatches or small thumbnails

See my work at: www.melissagannon.com