

Tools for Painting **Nancy E. F. Halbert**

Basic Painting Supply List – Most items found on www.Blick.com, or Wayne Art Supply Store, or Merion Repro in Ardmore, you get a student discount!

For Either Medium

1. *LARGE rectangular plastic container with lid, necessary for bringing paints back and forth
2. Palette - palette sheets come in a pad
OR freezer paper and tape
3. small container of Gesso

2. 1 or 2 small or Medium size Palette Knife - Any number of styles can be used to mix paint even spatulas and other kitchen, or hardware supplies, can be used for painting on surfaces.

3. Brushes – 14, 12, 10, flats, round, cream color bristle brushes for oil and acrylic, a general pack with several will be fine.
Big ones for large surfaces, small for smaller surfaces

4. Bounty paper towels, cotton shirt cut up in small pieces. Plastic bag to take home your used rags.

7. Supports - gesso paper pad, a board to tape it on if you use gesso paper. Or re-gesso canvases you may already own. Or 2 new
11x14" to 18x24" canvases student grade .

8. Color Palette -
Warm Colors- Cadmium Yellow medium, cadmium red, ultramarine blue, Ivory black, Vermillion, Prussian blue, Terre Verte,
Cool Colors - Lemon Yellow, Alizarin Crimson, cobalt blue, cerulean Sap Green, Hookers Green

Earth Colors - Raw Sienna, Terra Rosa, Burnt Umber, Raw Umber, Yellow Ochre, Burnt Sienna
Titanium White and Ivory Black

For oil painters:

Containers- bring a glass container with a lid to transfer solvent for reuse, bring two washed out tuna fish or cat food cans for solvent and one for medium.
Winsor Newton – Artists Painting Medium or Galkyd Light, not Liquin
Turpenoid or mixing and cleaning brushes

For Acrylic Painters:

Liquitex gloss medium
Containers for water and medium