

Creativity through Watercolor

If you have some supplies of your own, please bring them.
Everything can be added after except items with a *

Must

*Paper: Strathmore 140 pound paper, minimum is 140pds under it will buckle too much.
(Not Canson) Cold press or hot press. Minimum size 11x15 or bigger.
(You can find a variety of watercolor papers suited to your budget I recommend basic medium quality, medium price items that gives good results. Colors especially, To cheap: bad results.)

*1 roll of masking tape

*1 paint brush # 8, 10, squirelettes are good; don't buy too small, bring what you have first.

*1 mounting board larger than your paper (2 inches bigger), masonite, corrugated plastic or mounted foam boards are good, try to keep it light as you will carry this to class.

*2 yogurt container, 3 is fantastic.

Colors:

I recommend Van Goth for price, DaVinci is great.

The better the quality the more pigment in your color, better to buy less at better quality.

*Ultramarine blue	* yellows	*Alizarin (red)
Cadmium red	Sap green	burnt sienna
No white	no black	

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As a starter:

For techniques:

Transparent plastic bags from grocery store or saran wrap

Old tooth brush

Transparent plastic egg carton

Ruler pickling salt or table salt

Drinking straw

Wax crayon, transparent is great, colored is good to

Dropper to pick up color or water, (baby dropper from pharmacy)

You can gather those has you will use them to create fun special effect

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