

## ABSTRACT MATERIALS

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Please bring the following:

140# paper – several pieces, quarter or half sheet, your preference

Watercolor paints in your usual colors

Brushes – large flat, mid-sized rounds, the usual

Water containers – please bring an extra water container for use with acrylic

Paper towels, tissues

Blue or masking tape

Masking fluid (optional)

Any other materials you usually use

**In addition, please bring protection for clothing (apron) and some kind of latex or other protective gloves to protect your hands during a few messier operations if desired.**

The following are additional materials that we will be using. I have some extra, but please bring your own if possible:

White gesso

Matte medium

Old credit card

Rubber brayer

Water soluble colored pencils and/or crayons

Older, not-so-nice brushes for use with acrylics

Fluid acrylics – red, yellow, blue, and black. *Bring other colors you like, if you have them.*

pen (such as used for line and wash), Pitt pens by Faber Castell are nice, or a Sharpie, 1 or 2 in different size tips

Bring a few photo references of things you like: flowers, animals, landscape, anything  
Also, bring an unsuccessful/old painting or two that can be turned into something new!

Old newspapers make a great palette for working with gesso and acrylics, also paper plates or butcher paper.