

Pastel Supply List

- Sanded Pastel Paper - 9" x 12" or larger
Examples: Uart, Art Spectrum Colourfix, Wallis
- Soft pastel set- Soft Pastels come in varying degrees of softness by each brand. Having a mix of hard and soft density pastels is best. A good basic set to start with is Rembrandt, which is available at local Michaels or Blick Art Supply in University City.
Some brands offer half-stick sets which give you more colors for the price. As you progress you can add to your supply of pastels. Other brands can be ordered online at Blick's Art Supplies, Jerry's Artarama, or Dakota Art Supplies.
Pastel brands I use: Hard density: Nupastels, Rembrandts, Faber-Castell
Medium-Soft density: Unison, Great American, Mount Vision, Terry Ludwig, Sennelier, Diane Townsend
- Pastel pencils- Recommended brands are Derwent, Stabilo Carb Othello (pastel pencils are not necessary right away)
- Kneaded eraser
- Charcoal pencils
- #2 Pencils
- Pencil sharpener- Stabilo Carb Othello Sharpener
- Tortillon/stumps med. Size
- Sketch tablet for composition sketches and thumbnail drawings
- Tracing Tablet 9" x 12" (or larger) for designing & layout and to protect finished work
- Drawing board for paper support
 - Tote clipboard with handle and clip OR
 - Similar support of Masonite or hard panel support
- Tabletop easel or support of some kind such as rolled terry towel under board to raise your work at an angle
- Alcohol
- Bristle brush-up to 1 inch
- 8" x 10" white ready-made mat
- Towel
- Wipes for hand & table clean-up
- Masking tape & scissors
- ½ in. – 1 in. 3-ring binder for Instructor's handouts

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