

## **WATERCOLOR SUPPLY LIST:**

**1. Watercolor paper sketchbook** –can be a pad of sheets or wirebound, it's your personal preference. Make sure you have at least 20 pages to work on for our 1 Mod class. It's very important you are painting on watercolor paper as normal drawing or printer paper is too thin to handle the water. Watercolor paper usually has a weight of 300 GSM (Grams per square meter). If you buy a sketchbook or pad labeled as watercolor paper, you should be fine!

Ideal watercolor paper size for sketchbook: 8.5 x 5.5 (small) OR 12"x 9"(slightly larger than standard sized printer paper)

<https://www.dickblick.com/items/09608-1023/>

**2. Portable watercolor paint palette-** For this introductory class, you do not need top grade professional watercolor paints. Purchase a student grade watercolor paint set. Many sets will have a lid that you can use as a small mixing palette. Most of the small sets come with about 8 colors.

<https://www.dickblick.com/items/01666-1169/>

### **3. Round watercolor brush**

I personally prefer a travel water brush when watercolor painting. I like the Sakura or Pentel brand for water brushes. But if you already have a standard round watercolor brush (size 6 or size 8), then go ahead and use what you already have. The important thing is making sure you have at least 1 round brush to properly hold water when painting.

Travel water brush

<https://www.dickblick.com/items/09094-1020/>

OR

Standard watercolor brush (must use with a cup of water to rinse your brush)

<https://www.dickblick.com/items/05838-1008/>

If you use a standard watercolor brush, make sure you have a old cup to use as your rinse cup.