The Contemporary Austin

Botanical Painting Workshop

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Students may use oil or acrylic paints. Some reliable brands are Gamblin, Lukas, Williamsburg, Windsor Newton, Golden, Grumbacher. "Student grade" paints are acceptable, and less expensive. Higher quality "artist grade" paints are more expensive, but worth it.

*Please make sure you wear "painting" clothes or bring an old T-shirt or apron to protect your clothes.

PAINTS (Oil or Acrylic)

- 1. Titanium white
- 2. Lemon yellow
- 3. Cadmium Yellow Medium
- 4. Cadmium Red Medium
- 5. Magenta
- 6. Burnt Sienna
- 7. Burnt Umber or Raw Umber
- 8. Phthalo blue
- 9. Ultramarine Blue
- 10. Viridian Green
- 11. Permanent Green Light or Sap Green

Optional colors: Dioxazine purple, Quinacridone Rose, Alizarin crimson, zinc or flake white

SUPPLIES cont.

- Assortment of synthetic and natural Bristle Brushes: At least three different sizes, in Flat (square tip), Bright (short square tip) or Filbert shape (rounded tip), or a mixture of these. The largest should be about 1" wide

Soft blending brush: about 1" wide, soft natural hair brush. Suggestions: Hamburg (Jerry's), Hake (Japanese, carried by most supply stores), or "mop" brushes (used for watercolor)

Painting Medium: Galkyd or Liquin for oils; Liquitex Slow dry or fluid Retarder for Acrylics

Pad of canvas paper or canvas sheets, 9" x 12" or larger, or small canvas boards

Disposable paper palette or reusable palette (about 9" x 12") or a roll of freezer paper

Solvent in a container with lid if using oils

Container for water if using acrylics

Water spray bottle if using acrylics

Scissors

Tape

Palette knife

Paper towels or old rags

Drawing pencil

Drawing paper or sketchbook

Eraser

SUPPLY SOURCES:

Other supplies may be added as the course progresses, as suggested by the instructor. **Keep all receipts in case you need to return something.**

Students will receive a 20% discount on full price items at Asel Art Supply if they bring in a printed copy of their current class confirmation page received via email and a copy of the supply list for the class. Note: This discount only applies to supplies required for classes taken at the Art School.

- Asel Art Supply 510 W. MLK Jr. Blvd. 512-477-1762
- Jerry's Artarama 6010 N IH 35 512-420-9359
- University Co-Op 2246 Guadalupe 512-476-7211 (Also Michaels and other craft store locations)

Online ordering: Texas Art Supply, www.texasart.com (in Houston, quick shipping); Dick Blick, www.dickblick.com; Utrecht, www.utrecht.com; Jerry's www.jerrysartarama.com; Cheap Joe's www.cheapjoes.com