

Quarter: Fall 2023

Class: Color Theory & Palette Forms
Time and Day: (8 weeks – TBD)

Instructor: Ryan Wurmser

MATERIALS LIST

DRAWING MATERIALS

Graphite pencils (B – 2B)
Vine charcoal (Soft to Medium grade—thin sticks)
Kneaded rubber eraser

PAINTING MATERIALS

NOTE: We will be using the QUILLER COLOR WHEEL as an educational resource throughout the class. Please order one online. The pigments listed below are consistent with Stephen Quiller's spectral breakdown of the color wheel into a list of 12 distinct colors (comprised of primaries, secondaries, and tertiaries). For an edited list (to cut back on cost) please refer to the two recommended LIMITED PALETTES below. I highly recommend investing in the twelve pigments listed immediately below, but if you decide to use one of the two LIMITED PALETTES suggested, you will also need Titanium White & Ivory black.

RECOMMENDED COLORS (based on the QUILLER COLOR WHEEL)

WHITE TITANIUM WHITE

YELLOW CAD YEL LT or CAD LEMON

YELLOW-ORANGE CAD ORANGE

ORANGE CAD RED LIGHT or CAD SCARLETT

RED-ORANGE CAD RED MED

RED QUINACRIDONE RED or ALIZARIN CRIMSON

RED-VIOLET MAGENTA

VIOLET ULTRAMARINE VIOLET
BLUE-VIOLET ULTRAMARINE BLUE

BLUE THALO BLUE

BLUE-GREEN TURQUOISE BLUE or COBALT TURQUOISE

GREEN THALO GREEN OF VIRIDIAN YELLOW-GREEN PERMANENT GREEN LT

BLACK IVORY BLACK

FOR A MORE LIMITED SELECTION OF COLORS (to cut back on supply costs) I recommend one of the two options below:

LIMITED PALETTE ONE

YELLOW CAD YEL LT OF CAD LEMON
ORANGE CAD RED LIGHT OF CAD SCARLETT

VIOLET ULTRAMARINE VIOLET

RED QUINACRIDONE RED or ALIZARIN CRIMSON

BLUE THALO BLUE

GREEN THALO GREEN or VIRIDIAN

LIMITED PALETTE 2

YELLOW-ORANGE CAD ORANGE
RED-ORANGE CAD RED MED
RED-VIOLET MAGENTA

BLUE-VIOLET ULTRAMARINE BLUE

BLUE-GREEN TURQUOISE BLUE or COBALT TURQUOISE

YELLOW-GREEN PERMANENT GREEN LT

PALETTE

12"x16" rectangular (or oval) wood or glass palette.

This size fits conveniently into a Masterson's Sta-Wet Palette Seal, a Tupperware-like box used for transportation and storage.

NO "disposable" paper—white wooden or plastic palettes please.

BRUSHES

A variety of brushes are recommended, both bristles & soft synthetics. Bring a selection of filberts & flats of your choice & any of your favorite and most useful brushes. *Trekell, Rosemary, & Robert Simmons* are reputable brands.

BRUSH RECOMMENDATIONS

Bring a selection of *hog bristle filberts* (2 – 10) (Rosemary & Co.—Silver—Trekell)

A selection of *natural hair filberts* & *flats* (2 – 10) (Rosemary & Co.)

A fan brush and a soft flattening brush (Rosemary & Co.)

SOLVENT & MEDIUM

Gamlin Gamsol

50/50 Alla Prima Medium

1 part Gamsol

1 part linseed oil

Oleogel (Rublev) is an amazing medium

CANVAS/SURFACE

YOUR CHOICE

- Primed linen that can be taped on board
- Primed linen pre-mounted on board
- Arches Oil Paper sheets 16"x20" (30x40cm) [works even better if primed with one layer of diluted gesso]
- Gessoed paper (directions for preparing the paper below)

PREPPING GESSOED PAPER

If you decide to use gessoed paper, prepare larger sheets of paper (Strathmore 500 series 3-ply cotton rag—or museum mounting board—or equivalent). These can be cut down to various sizes.

Use two layers of gesso on the back (to prevent buckling) and three on the front side, painted as flatly as possible. I use a smooth foam molding roller. I typically dilute the gesso with water to the consistency of honey. Don't forget to mark the backs of the surfaces.

Please **do not** use cheap *canvas board*. They are too absorbent. The paint should be able to move a bit on the surface. However, the surface should not be too slick.

RESOURCES

Canvas roll (oil primed linen): Claessens 13DP or 12DP

Canvas or linen boards/panels: Ampersand—ArtBoards—RayMar—SourceTek

Paper (gessoed): Strathmore 500 Series 3-ply or museum mounting board (cotton)

Oil paper: Arches Oil paper

ADDITIONAL PAINTING MATERIALS

Palette knife

Painting knife

Black or white ph neutral Artist Masking Tape (3/4" or 1")

Small jar/container with tight fitting lid for medium

Holbein air-tight brush washer, #1052-15S or #1052-15M, or comparable brush washer (or just a glass jar with a tight fitting lid)

Paper towels

QUILLER Color Wheel