

Basic Color for Oil Painting Intensive

with Christine Lafuente

Suggested Materials List

Notebook or small sketchbook to take notes

Viewfinder, any kind

REQUIRED: LARGE Palette: 12x16 or 16x20 Disposable white or grey paper palette pad with a **Board** to put underneath, and **clips** to attach the pad to the board

Palette Knives: 1 or 2, should be metal, tapered/pointy, with a “dog leg handle” like a spatula, good for mixing

Double Palette Cups, 2-inch diameter, can clip on palette

Brush-cleaning container preferably with interior porous cup or coil so that sludge can settle

Large glass Jar with Lid for used solvent

Rags: LOTS! Should be **absorbent** cotton and/or a Roll of Viva paper Towels or Shop Towels **Plastic bags** for used rags

Sharpie Marker for labelling paper palette exercises

Suggested Oil Colors, in order of importance.

USE ARTIST GRADE!

At the very least, have one of each primary (a red, a yellow, a blue, and a white)

Burnt Sienna

Ultramarine Blue

White: best is a Titanium/Zinc Blend- if not, Titanium White or Lead/Flake White

Yellow Ochre

Cadmium Red Medium or Light*

**AVOID “HUE”s, they are fakes!*

Cadmium Yellow Pale or Light*

Cobalt Blue*

Cerulean Blue*

Alizarin Crimson

Ivory Black

Raw Umber

Lemon Yellow

Cadmium Yellow Medium*

Raw Sienna

Rose (either Rose Madder or Permanent Rose)

Greens: Sap Green, Terre Verte, Viridian

Brushes

A decent range (at least 6) of mid-size to large (#4-#12) **Hog Bristle** brushes in a variety of shapes. I like flats and filberts. Use good quality, **good condition** brushes, preferable new. Synthetics can work, but make sure they are stiff bristle made for oil.

Basic Mediums (I will discuss others, but we won't need them)

Odorless Mineral Spirits such as “Turpenoid” or “Gamsol”

Cold-Pressed or Refined Linseed Oil (Artist Grade only)

Surfaces

At least 8 mid-size Surfaces: ex. 9x12, 12x12, 11x14, 12x16, 16x16, 14x18 WHITE GROUND. Cotton or Linen Canvas.

Must be adequately primed with either acrylic or oil ground.