

MATERIAL LIST FOR PAINTING WORKSHOP WITH BRUCE LIEBERMAN

Save money and buy online from Jerry's or Utrecht.....

<http://www.utrechtart.com/Paint.utrecht>

<http://www.jerrysartarama.com/>

Also consult the JSS link on packing.

<https://jssincivita.com/art-supplies-what-to-bring/>

I suggest and encourage you to use oil.

The SUPPORT- Something to paint on!

At least 10 pre-primed unstretched canvas, or heavy gessoed prepared paper nothing too big. Perhaps 16" – 24" in sizes rolled to fit into a suitcase.

From JSS site-

***Supports & Surfaces** – Stretched canvases and panels add weight and bulk to a traveling artist's baggage. For the sake of portability we recommend unstretched primed linen and/or sized or primed paper cut a few inches/centimeters under the width or length of the suitcase you will be taking with you. Lay the cut primed linen one on top of another in layers and roll it, priming side out, around a cardboard cylinder making sure the edges of the linen do not protrude beyond the cylinder's edge. Pack this cylinder into your suitcase. JSS in Civita provides plywood or masonite (compressed board) panels for those wishing to affix or tape their canvas or papers to them for support.*

***Solvents & Fluids** – Do not pack or bring solvents, sprays or for that matter, any fluids or oils including those with flash points of 140 degrees Fahrenheit (60 Celsius) or below. JSS in Civita supplies all its participants with turps and linseed oil. Cleaning products such as diaper wipes and paper towels are available in town – no need to pack such items. Sunblock too is easily available in Italy.*

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EASEL- French or Field easel. I think the best French easels around these days are Mabef.

PALETTE - For oil paint I like a wooden surface (mahogany or birch ply) to mix and organize. Some plein air easels come with a palette. For acrylic use plexi or plastic palettes work. Nothing fancy.

VEHICLE AND MEDIUM-

You should buy **Liquin, Linseed oil** and turp once at JSS.

SMALL JARS WITH A LIDS that hold liquid. (olive jars are great) for turp spirits, and oil.

The JSS will have available for purchase, Mineral Sprits, Linseed oil, Linquin, and Turps. Good quality Paper towels – Paper towels can be easily found in Civita, but you might want to pack a few to get started with. Backpack, art bin, or cart to carry materials, water, sunscreen, etc. “

For Acrylic: Water is the vehicle so I travel with an empty plastic water bottle that I can throw away before coming home. You can work hard at emptying a wine bottle to use for water. Matt medium is a good option to have.

PAPER TOWELS OR RAGS - for wiping brushes, general cleanup.

PALETTE KNIFE– A metal knife for scraping paint

HAT AND SUNSCREEN

SPRING CLAMP- Never can tell

SKETCHBOOK AND DRAWING MATERIAL - pencil/charcoal - please bring one.

PAINT- My basic palette.

I suggest Utrecht

Titanium white- A large tube!

*Cad yellow light

*Cad Red light

*Ultramarine Blue

Cerulean Blue optional

Cobalt blue optional

Thalo Blue -small tube

Thalo Green- small tube

Any earth colors – You should get at least one.

Although I will teach you how to mix brown, earth colors are inexpensive and permanent so I think you should have them. I use the following but the * indicates what I most recommend:

*Naples Yellow Lt.

*Burnt Siena,

*Raw Umber,

*Yellow Ochre

Burnt Umber optional

Raw Siena optional

BRUSHES - the more the merrier and bigger the better.

I have listed the most inexpensive I know of. But better brushes are absolutely better.

A selection of a few hog bristle brushes:

Filberts sizes 2-8

Rounds are good too.

Most important are (size 8 or 10) but my all time go to favorites are filberts.

2” cheap hardware store brush is handy

This links will get you inexpensive and pretty good.

<http://www.utrechtart.com/Utrecht-Studio-Series-203-Bristle-Brush--White-Hog--Filbert-MP-04610-001-i1005864.utrecht>

<http://www.utrechtart.com/Utrecht-Series-209-Pure-Natural-Chungking-Hog-Bristle-Brush--Filbert-MP-04616-003-i1006059.utrecht>

2” cheap hardware store bristle brush is a pretty good thing to have as well.

NOTE -You have to carry all this stuff since we will be hiking around so have an old knap sack or bag you are comfortable with. Comfy shoes too.

A word to the wise...Collect and/or buy your gear then try it out.

Let me know if you have any issues.

Any questions

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