



MATERIALS LIST

Julie Hop – Winter Greeting Cards

Paint: Any professional grade watercolor paint, you can get the small tubes. I prefer American Journey - Cheapjoes.com, Daniel Smith, Winsor Newton, etc. of if you are on a budget Prang watercolor kit, can be found at Walmart. If you purchase from scratch, all supplies will cost approximately \$50.00

Here are some of my favorite colors for this class:

Sap Green
Green Gold
Alizarin Crimson
Fire engine red
Cadmium red
Burnt Sienna
Magenta
Mineral Violet
Dioxazine Purple
Ultra-marine blue
Lemon Yellow

We can share colors too.

Brushes: some small rounds: #4, #6, #8.

Paper: Arches #140 lb. or Canson is inexpensive and easier to fold for cards. This is best if you want to send it as a handmade, one-of-a-kind card to someone.

If you won't be sending your work as cards or if you'd like to use a service to print many copies of paintings, I recommend the Arches; this will allow you to photograph a good quality painting and have it sent to a printing service. I use Vista Print or the local place in Eureka Springs, Wicker Walker.

Miscellaneous - removable masking tape, art palette, small misting bottle, regular kitchen sponge, pencil, white or kneadable eraser, Kleenex. These supplies are suggested. Use what you have. If possible, fill in the gap if you are missing something.

- 1) Paper is the #1 priority. Use good paper!
- 2) Next comes paints. Stay away from CHEAP student-grade stuff. It will frustrate you. Try to get the tubes. Winsor Newton Cotman and Grumbacher Academy are both excellent student grades. They are a bit cheaper than professional paints.
- 3) Least important are brushes. Not to dismiss their importance, but you can get away with a lot if you have good paper and paint.