

## Materials for Watercolor by Sally Meding

All products are available from Dick Blick.com

Basic supplies or the equivalent (that you already have) that we will be needing:

- Watercolor palette (with lid) of your choice with large mixing area. (I have Frank Webb Palette (only from Cheap Joes.com), but it is quite large.)
- **9x12" Arches cold press 140lb foldover pad of 100% cotton paper** (order#10183-1010) ~ **\$13** online. (This is the most important item)
- **#12 Black Velvet round brush** (Silver company) (order# 06196-1012), a size #8 and #4 is useful too)
- 1" **flat** wash brush (eg. Simply Simmons flat wash with **clear** beveled handle) from Post Road Art Center, Marlboro or AC Moore. I will also have some available ~\$5
- #2 Rigger or script liner brush (eg. order# 06714-1002).
- HB pencil (0.5mm mechanical),
- 12" ruler
- **kneaded** eraser (eg. order#G139)
- #2 Scrubber brush to lift any mistakes. (order#06711-1002-Dick Blick). Very Useful!

**WATERCOLOR PAINT TUBES: Either of these 2 choices: [\(first choice is the best option\)](#)**

- **1) Daniel Smith 6 essentials professional set** (order# 01767-1009) (~ \$34)
- **PLUS** Burnt sienna, **Pbr7** I like Holbein (order# 00322-8042)
- sap green (DS) (order# 01767-7085) my fave convenience green
- Neutral tint (DS) (order# 01767-1895) convenience to neutralize colors
- Ultramarine violet (Blockx) (order# 01706-6730) a completely lightfast transp blue-violet
- Indian yellow MGraham (order# 01705-4160) a warmer single pigment super transparent yellow (better than new gamboge)

**OR 2) Student-quality paints approx. equivalent to colors above:**

(Note: the color mixing will give different results as pigments are not so pure)

- a. Cadmium yellow medium hue, Grumbacher Academy (ord#00330-4191)
- b. Indian yellow, Grumbacher academy (ord# 00330-4161)
- c. Intense phthalo blue, Cotman (ord# 00325-5141-DickBlick)
- d. Ultramarine blue, Cotman (ord# 00325-5231-DickBlick)
- e. Permanent Rose , Cotman (ord# 00325-3261-DickBlick)
- f. Cadmium red deep Hue (Cotman) (ord#00325-3321-DickBlick)
- g. Burnt sienna Cotman (ord# 00325-8041-DickBlick)
- h. Sap Green (ord#00325-7091-DickBlick)
- i. Ivory black (order# 00325-2251)

**12 Incidentals-** probably you have most of these at home already.

- Roll of paper towels (really important)
- Masking tape, (1" wide, beige color)
- Masking fluid (Pebeo drawing gum, order# 00364-1045)
- 11x14" piece of cardboard to "stretch" paper (**2 pieces**) and to lean on.
- Small piece of styrofoam packing material to create a 15 degree slope (or piece of pool noodle, small sturdy cardboard box ~ 2x4x5". (Useful for large graded washes)
- 2-3 Water buckets -eg. old very large yogurt 32oz carton or ¼ gal container. (Whole foods-large containers at salad bar work well too)
- Brush holder and stand for watercolor brushes which protects the points of brushes when not in use/in transit. optional but really useful.
- Travel sized misting bottle (eg from Christmas tree shop)
- Teaspoon of regular &/or rock salt (in small baggie)
- Small sea sponge (useful to remove color from larger areas)