

Multi-Media Materials

We will explore many different materials in the class, and I encourage you to bring any artist materials you might be interested in working with.

Included in the class is a sample of each of the nonwovens. This is sufficient to execute all of the class projects, additional material will be available in class for purchase, depending on supply.

Also included is 1 yard of 8mm silk habotai.

Included in the class is the use of my fabric paint. Students may also bring their own including Dye-Na-Flow, SetaSilk, Lumiere, Setacolor, or other fabric paints.

Below are the items that will be necessary for the class-

Sharp scissors

pins

Cutting mat with small rotary cutter and optional xacto knife

Fusible of your choice – at least one yard- Misty Fuse recommended

Latex gloves for use when painting

Container for water to rinse brushes

Water sprayer

parchment paper or Teflon sheet (preferred)

at least 1 yard white cotton

Set of acrylic artist paints and brushes

At least 4 colors of Inktense pencils- no NOT buy them at Michael's – they're wildly overpriced- you can get them by the piece from Dick Blick or Artisan's in Santa Fe.

Recommended brushes are 1" chipping brushes, and large (size 8-10) round bristle brushes meant for acrylic paint. Find the chipping brushes in the hardware store, usually in the bottom bins- they are a dollar or so each.



OPTIONAL:

2-4 pieces of foam core, available at Target and most grocery stores.

Gallon ziplock bags to take home your treasures.

Apron- at least wear painting clothes.

Extra fabric to paint- some of the techniques work best on silk habotai, but you can bring cottons or even synthetics too

Other media to bring IF you have them and would like to explore are- Prismacolor colored pencils, fabric paints such as Lumiere, and markers.

I don't use or recommend regular watercolors or watercolor pencils, and water soluble, oil or regular pastels, and regular oil paint.

VENUE TO PROVIDE:

Iron(s), ironing area

Protective covering for work area.

Sink & running water for cleanup, and clean up supplies (paper towels)

A fan or 2 to help dry the fabric