

Oil Paints

Winsor & Newton artist grade colors are suitable, though Old Holland probably produces the finest pigments commercially available. Make sure to buy artist grade, not the student grade paints.

- Cremnitz white (If you prefer, titanium white is fine.) • Cadmium Yellow Medium
- Naples Yellow (Blockx or Holbein's Naples Yellow French)
- Cadmium Orange • Cadmium Red Medium
- Alizarin Crimson • Sap Green
- Green Earth (or Terra Verte) • Viridian
- Cobalt Blue • Ultramarine Blue
- Yellow Ochre • Raw Sienna (W&N)
- Transparent Oxide Red Lake or Burnt Sienna • Raw Umber
- Ivory Black



Old Holland
superior quality



Winsor & Newton
affordable and good quality



Blockx
superior quality

Medium – A mixture of one part stand oil to four or five parts of Gamsol, Turpenoid or another turpentine substitute. The addition of a small amount of Liquin (W&N) to the above mixture will facilitate drying.

- **Gamsol, or Turpenoid** or another turpentine substitute(odorless).
- **Stand oil** – made from linseed oil, stand oil is thicker, which improves paint flow. Stand oil is thickened by heating linseed oil under controlled, oxygen free condition that makes it non-yellowing. This oil leaves a glossy-like finish which does not show brush strokes. Stand oil is excellent when used in glazing mediums. It dries slowly.
- **Liquin original** – Semi gloss medium which speeds drying, improves flow and reduces brush stroke retention. Resists yellowing.
- **2 medium cups** – one for medium, the other for Gamsol or Turpenoid.
- **Any glass jar** for pre-mix medium.



Brushes

Assortment of bristle brushes (Robert Simmons Signet)

Filberts - #1, 2, 4 and 6

Flats - #1, 2, 4 and 6,

Rounds - 0 and 1(2 each)

Bright - #1

Fan brush #6

Assortment of Sable (no synthetic) Rounds - #4 and 6, cat's tongue or fat filbert #4



Canvas

Any of these you prefer, 11 x 14, 9x 12, 8 x 10 for online class portrait. Oil primed linen is preferred, but cotton duck is fine as well. Claessens linen type 13 double primed is my preferred surface to paint. Raymar also produces Claessens Linen panel (C13DP).

Miscellaneous Supplies

- Vine Charcoal(1 or 2)
- Palette Knife
- Wooden Palette (If you have to get paper palette (which I don't recommend), get the one in grey color.)
- *Hand Mirror*
- Paper Towel
- Air Tight Brush Cleaner

