

Art & Folk Arts Classes

School of the Arts 2009

Beginning to Intermediate Drawing with Barbara Erdman

Materials Fee: none

Out of class assignments:

Small, out-of-class drawings will be assigned for those wanting extra practice. Completing the out-of-class assignments will be optional.

Supply list:

1. PAPER:

Required:

- a. One newsprint drawing pad--all purpose or rough newsprint- 18x24
- b. 2 sheets charcoal paper 12 X 18 or larger; medium-toned grey or beige color. (This is a lightly textured, tinted color drawing paper designed to be used with charcoal or pastels. Two excellent brands are Cason Mi-Teintes and Strathmore 500 series.)
Do not bring black or white.
- c. One 100 sheet pack of the very small size (1 3/8 x 1 7/8 or 2 7/8 x 2 7/8) Post-it Notes (or equivalent brand) in a light neutral color - pale yellow, pale blue or white is best.

Optional:

If you have drawing paper on hand you may bring it but, please, also make sure you have at least all the paper listed above.

2. SUPPLIES

Pencils:

Two graphite drawing pencils (2B and 6B) (an HB also, but not necessary).

One soft-to-medium charcoal pencil (HB, 2B or 4B).

One white charcoal pencil.

NOTE: bring charcoal pencils, not sticks of charcoal.

Optional:

You can bring additional drawing pencils and charcoal that you already own, or a drawing set with approximately the pencils and charcoal listed above. Use your judgment. It's not necessary to buy more pencils than you will need for this class.

Felt-tip marker

One fine point or ultra-fine point black felt-tip marker (a Sharpie pen is okay).

Eraser

A kneaded eraser (at least 1 3/4 X 1 1/4 size, or two smaller ones)

3. **ADDITIONAL OPTIONAL SUPPLIES**

I highly recommend a drawing board. If you don't want to invest in a professional quality drawing board at this time any sturdy, lightweight board will do (such as ½" foam board or masonite.) It should be slightly larger than your largest paper with clips or masking tape to hold the paper to the board.

A pencil sharpener.

A can of workable fixative spray (odorless if possible).

If you bring a drawing board a portable or table easel will be very useful.