

Materials and Supplies

Art 1307: Drawing Fundamentals
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Textbook

Drawing Essentials: A Complete Guide to Drawing, 3rd edition
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(textbooks available at UTA bookstore)

Drawing media and tools from the art supply store:

Paper

9 x 12" spiral-bound sketchpad, 100 pages
18 x 24" newsprint pad, 100 sheets (you may need 2 of these)
18 x 24" white, medium-surface, drawing paper pad, 24 sheets
18 x 24" gray paper pad
(Additional loose paper sheets as needed)

Drawing Media

Graphite drawing pencils: 2B, 4B, 6B, 8B
Vine or willow charcoal, 2 boxes: Windsor-Newton, medium and soft
Compressed charcoal: Faber-Castell 3-packs, medium and soft
(I do **not** recommend General's brand.)
Black and white charcoal/chalk pencils (set of 4)
(the pencils in the kit are General's, but you may buy better pencils at your discretion)
Conté crayons: 4-pack: black, sanguine, bistre, and white
Conté pencils: Set of 6: blacks, reds, and white
White pastel crayons or white chalk: Alphacolor 3-pack
Gray and black markers: 20%, 50%, 70% 100% combination brush and chisel tip.
White marker: Faber-Castell/Pitt

Drawing Aids

2 kneaded rubber erasers
White plastic eraser
Pencil sharpener
Blending stumps: #'s 1,2,3,4
Sandpaper pad
Chamois (optional)
Large drawing board with clamps and rubber band
Workable spray fixative
24" Cork-backed ruler
Canvas (or leather) portfolio with handles, large enough to accommodate your board,
with adequate support structure.
Paper portfolio with handles in which to submit your work.**

** I WILL NOT accept work unless it is in the correct portfolio. No exceptions.

Supplies from Target, Home Depot, etc. :

One box of Dixon Ticonderoga #2 pencils. They really are world's best (cheap) pencil.

Fine point dry erase marker

Heavy-duty paper towels

Rags, old socks, lint-free towels, t-shirts, cotton balls, swabs, make-up sponges, etc.

Brushes, at least one small and one large – natural or synthetic bristles

Large binder clips

Box of small binder clips for hanging work

Tackle box or similar to organize and carry supplies

Blue painter's masking tape, (or artist's safe-release tape) 1" width

Combination lock

Viewfinder materials:

8 x 10 acrylic (do NOT buy the "non-glare" acrylic) sheet

8 x 10 matte board

Utility knife with blades (not an Exacto)

Rubber bands

Sighting stick: straight hardwood dowels will work, or thin steel rods – even metal skewers work for this – so long as it is straight and thin.

*Other supplies may be necessary