

Materials list:

Note, students are encouraged to bring what they already own. Please discuss with tutor before purchase of an unknown, new material

ESSENTIALS:

1. Visual Diary: A4 size or larger
 - The Windsor Newton 200gsm visual diary is recommended.
2. Tracing Paper: A4 size. Note this is NOT baking paper.
3. Erasers:
 - Kneadable eraser
 - Hard white or black pvc eraser
 - Blue tack
4. A means to sharpen your pencils. Sharpener, or knife and sanding block
5. Graphite pencils. Students are requested to bring ONE BRAND of high-quality pencils. Please do not bring mixed brands or cheap pencils. The bare minimum range required is: 2H, H or F, HB, 2B, 4B.
 - If you need to purchase good brands to consider: Staedtler Mars Lumograph (blue pencils), Mitusubishi Uni, Derwent sketching, Faber Castel drawing.
6. A water-soluble 4B graphite pencil. Note that you can tell it is water soluble if it has a little paintbrush icon on the stem.
7. Medium round Aquash brush, or a number 10 round standard taklon or sable brush.
8. A3 drawing board and prop – due to COVID-19 restrictions it is recommended you bring your own board and prop. Please note that cardboard is not suitable, it must be hard wood or Perspex type drawing board.
9. Masking tape, bulldog clips, etc to hold your work to the drawing board.

ADDITIONAL: The following may be required during the year. Please wait for instructions from tutor before purchasing if you do not already own these items. Note that the tutor may provide some materials during the year at a small cost.

10. 300gsm Hot Press paper – approx. A3 size (for finished colour and graphite work). This will be discussed with you prior to requirement.
11. Charcoal: Vine, compressed and pencil
12. Woodless graphite pencils
13. White Charcoal or White pastel pencil
14. COLOUR PENCILS (cp or wc style): A class set will be available for your use. CP's should be of a good quality brand, if you already own a set you may use those. But if you need to purchase, please do not buy any until you have talked with me about the requirements.
15. Rags, wipes, paper towels to clean up with.