

Linda Weil: Term 3

Title: **Just Graphite**

Exploring shapes and forms in line and tone

Term 3 Material List:

Please read this list carefully and ensure you have the following available for every class. If you have questions, contact me on linda.desgin@gmail.com (yes that is correct spelling):

- A set of quality, single branded graphite pencils, range must include – 2H, H and/or F, HB, 2B, 4B. It is not recommended that you purchase cheap pencils or mix brands.
 - Please note that inexpensive pencils are not reliable and often have grit and sand embedded into the graphite core. My preferred brand is **Staedtler Mars Lumograph** pencils, but good high-quality brands are:
 - Mitsubishi Hi Uni
 - Tombow Mono 100
 - Caran D'Arch,
 - Faber Castell 9000,
 - Derwent Graphic Pencil.
- Erasers:
 - Kneadable eraser
 - White poly eraser (block or pencil style)
 - Blue tack
- A 4B water-soluble graphite pencil. Derwent make a good brand, available at Melbourne Artists supplies – but other brands acceptable. Confirm it is water-soluble by noting a little paint brush icon on the side of the pencil
- Windsor & Newton Heavyweight 200gsm Visual Journal A4 (or other suitable visual diary with paper weight not less than 190gsm)
- 300gsm quality smooth (hot press) drawing paper, A3 size. Paper must be smooth and not less than 220 gsm. This can be single sheets cut into 4 or else consider buying a pad of paper, and depending on your budget:
 - Fabriano Studio Watercolour pad 300gsm Hot Press
 - Lana Design Pad 220gsm Hot Press
 - Art Spectrum Watercolour pad 300gsm Hot Press
 - Arches Watercolour pad 300gsm Hot Press
- Tracing paper. A4, any cheap brand will do. NOT kitchen paper!!!
- Drawing board. If you cannot bring one to class, you may use a board provided.
- Masking tape and bulldog clips to attach paper to your board
- Pentel Aquash Medium brush (this is a water barrel brush)
- A thin knitting needle, or crochet needle, or pointed implement to create indenting
- NOTE: you will need to bring with you for the first class a shiny metal kitchen ware object such as a copper jug, silver teapot or creamer, etc.

Most of these products are available online and can be delivered to you from one or more of the following suppliers:

www.pencilly.com

www.officeworks.com

www.melbourneartistsupplies.com.au