

Watercolor Paint: Let's Create and Use

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Supply List

- Muller: Look for one that has a base diameter between 3-4 inches. I also like to use one that has a taller handle and I personally use one of these: <https://www.naturalpigments.com/glass-muller.html#glass-mullers>. There is also the option to use other objects that can work like a muller: glass pickle weight or a small object with a perfectly flat bottom (glass candle sticks, metal coffee tampers, or similar objects).
- Mulling surface: You can use a glass or stone surface. Make sure it is thicker than 1/4 inch, has rounded corners and a sandblasted textured surface. I personally use the sandblasted version at: <https://www.naturalpigments.com/glass-grinding-plate.html>. If you source a smooth surface piece of glass it will need to be abraded with silicon carbide before class.
- Spray bottle for misting
- Palette knife
- Measuring spoon*: If having one on hand a 1/2 tsp works great. Also nice to have a 1 tbs.
- 8 oz jar with lid to hold watercolor medium (jar can be larger than 8 oz; this is just the minimum in size)
- Object to store processed paint: Once you make the paint you will need somewhere to store the paint. There are a few different options: a paint palette (will need to have at least 7 separate wells), watercolor half pans, small seashells, small drink lids, or you can even store the paint on a piece of paper. Choose whatever feels comfortable to you!
- Protective gear: face mask, eye protection
- Watercolor paint brushes
- Watercolor paper
- Container for holding water
- Paint palette with wells or ceramic plate for mixing paints
- Drawing pencils
- Erasers: Clic pencil and kneaded
- Paper towel or rag
- Notebook (taking notes)
- Optional: 7 small glass jars with lids or small ziplock plastic bags to store extra pigment

*Please note that once you use these items for watercolor making you won't be able to use them in the kitchen.

Questions?

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