

## **Abstract Oils with Cold Wax Medium**

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Please bring supplies to the first class.

**Mediums, etc:** small bottle of gesso, Gamblin Cold Wax medium, Gamblin Galkyd (#1), small bottle of vegetable oil (Cheep stuff and odorless) –a sheet to cover your working surface

**Oil Paint** – (prefer professional-grade paint): Mars black, titanium buff, white, burnt sienna, burnt umber, raw umber, raw sienna, lemon yellow, ultramarine blue, phthalo blue, phthalo turquoise, permanent red, sap green, magenta.

Alternatives to Cadmium red and yellow as “hue” can be found with Winton oil colors and possibly others.

**Tools, etc:** Oil sticks: black and white or other colors you like; ARTGRAF black carbon disc; water soluble Graphite s;ck,6B; Palette knife ---medium rectangular blade or any type of blade that looks good to you— maybe buy two sizes at first, large gray Catalyst silicon wedge “color shaper” #06 (bean-shaped scraper tool), pad of large disposable paper palettes; standard 12-color color wheel.

**Supports:** NO stretched CANVAS, only hard surfaces like wood panels, or paper attached to a drawing board. Bring first session: 4 pieces of gessoed paper measuring 9”x12” each, attached to a board. INSTRUCTIONS TO FOLLOW. After that, use a gessoed cradled panel 12” x 12” (or larger). We will discuss further surfaces/supports during class.

Come to first class with a cradled panel of the size you like. Not too big the first time.

If you know how to gesso, please bring the panel gessoed.

Otherwise, just come with the panel and gesso and brushes.

**Supplies from the hardware store or home:** Rags and paper towels, Mark-making tools for texture and variety, ie.: wax paper tissue paper, Chip brushes, toothpicks, metal or plastic shapes, squeegees, rubber mesh, bowl scrapers, steel wool. Twigs and sticks to make marks. Sandpaper 100 grit-1 sheet.

\*Paper towels, baby wipes, vinyl or latex gloves and apron (optional), beige masking tape, drop cloth or plastic tablecloth to protect table and floor are required.

**The Seattle Colleges does not allow the following acrylic or oil paint colors on campus:**

- Cadmium Yellow light
- Cadmium Yellow medium
- Cadmium Yellow deep

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- Cadmium Orange
- Cadmium Red light
- Cadmium Red medium
- Cobalt Teal
- Permanent Green Light
- Green Gold

**Shopping Resources:**

- Artist & Craftsman 4350 8th Avenue NE, Seattle 206-545-0091
- Dick Blick Art Materials 1600 Broadway, Seattle 206-324-0750
- Jerry's Artarama Online [www.jerrysartarama.com](http://www.jerrysartarama.com) (takes a few weeks to receive order)

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