



## ART SUPPLIES LIST - AUS

*Includes Links to Australian Stockists*

### **Required**

Acrylic Paints  
Flat and Round Brushes  
300gsm Watercolour Pad  
Canvas 16" x 20" or larger  
Masking tape  
Cloth & Water Jar

### **Optional**

Paint Palette Sheets  
Palette Knives  
Coloured Pencils  
Posca Paint Pens  
Hairdryer

### **Acrylic Paints** - *Recommended brands Golden Paints and Matisee*

An economical start is to purchase a pack which has a base of primary colours (red, yellow, blue) + white and black.

[Chromacryl Student Grade](#) (Zart Art)

[Matisee Primary Set](#)- Artist Grade (Senior Art Supplies)

[Golden Paints](#) (Amazon, delivery make take longer)

### **Paint Brushes**

A combination of Round and Flat synthetic brushes will give different shapes

Aim to have 2 Flats and 2 Rounds + A Large Flat 1 inch

[Flat and Round Set of 8](#)

[Flat 27mm](#) – useful for painting big areas on canvas

### **300gsm Watercolour Pad**

[12 Sheets](#)

### **Masking Tape, Cloth, Water Jar**

## **16" x 20" canvas or larger**

The size of the canvas you choose is up to you. You can purchase a rectangular or square format. Canvases can be purchased with a thin or thick edge, it's up to you, just make sure the frame isn't bowed and sits flat on the wall. Canvases also have different thickness and finishes. If you're just starting, choose a basic canvas to work on first, as you progress you may want to purchase a higher quality canvas.

In AUS Canvases can be purchased from a variety of stores including

[Zart Art](#)

[Senior Art Supplies](#)

Spotlight

Look out for specials, often they are on sale for 50% off and it's great to stock up

## **Paint Palette Sheets (optional)**

You can use these sheets to mix your paint on and then throw away when finished

An alternative is simply to use a plastic lid or container

[Tear off Paint Palette](#)

## **Palette Knives (optional)**

Palette Knives are used to mix your paints. You can use something else, such as a knife or small clean stick, or the back of your paint brush. Using your brushes to mix paint will clog them up and they won't last as long.

[Plastic Palette Knife Set of 5](#)

## **Coloured Pencils (optional)**

Useful for drawing back into your work and adding details and layers of interest

[Faber Castell](#)

## **Posca Paint Pens (optional)**

Posca Paint Pens are a great way to draw details on your paintings. I use them a lot for adding dots and patterns. You can purchase them in a variety of colours, thicknesses and tips ends.

[Posca Pens](#)

## **Hairdryer (optional)**

Useful for drying paint quickly so you can add another layer

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## ART SUPPLIES LIST - NZ

*Includes Links to New Zealand Stockists*

### **Required**

Acrylic Paints  
Flat and Round Brushes  
300gsm Watercolour Pad  
Canvas 16" x 20" or larger  
Masking tape  
Cloth & Water Jar

### **Optional**

Paint Palette Sheets  
Palette Knives  
Coloured Pencils  
Posca Paint Pens  
Hairdryer

### **Acrylic Paints - Recommended brands Golden Paints and Matisee**

An economical start is to purchase a pack which has a base of primary colours (red, yellow, blue) + white and black.

[Golden Painting Set of 6](#) or [Golden Painting Set of 8](#)

Matisee - [Red Light](#), [Yellow Deep](#), [Phthalo Blue](#), [Mars Black](#), [Titanium White](#)

### **Paint Brushes**

A combination of Round and Flat synthetic brushes will give different shapes

Aim to have 2 Flats and 2 Rounds + A Large Flat 1 inch

[Flat and Round Set of 8](#)

[Set of 3 Big Flats](#) – useful for painting big areas on canvas

### **300gsm Watercolour Pad**

[12 Sheets](#)

### **Masking Tape, Cloth, Water Jar**

## **16" x 20" canvas or larger**

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In NZ Canvases can be purchased from a variety of stores including

Spotlight

Warehouse Stationery

Gordon Harris – The Expression Heavy Duty Range is Great

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## **Paint Palette Sheets (optional)**

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Tear off Paint Palette

## **Palette Knives (optional)**

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Plastic Palette Knife Set of 5

## **Coloured Pencils (optional)**

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## **Posca Paint Pens (optional)**

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## **Hairdryer (optional)**

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