

Geelong School of Botanical Art

Botanical Illustration Classes

'LARGE SCALE FLOWER STUDIES'

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MATERIALS LIST FOR TERM 1, 2022:

ILLUSTRATION BOARD

Available at Cavalier Art Supplies in Geelong. You can buy it in a half or full sheet; if you are unsure, ask the staff member to help you.

GAUCHE PAINTS

Important Note: As this class is a new trial class in 2022, the Friends of Geelong Botanic Gardens will supply all the paints for the classes in Term 1, 2 & 3. If continuing in term 4, students will then need to purchase their own paints, a materials list including the paints for term 4 will be provided during term 3.

PENCILS

Students to Purchase:

2H, 4H, F, HB, 2B

BRUSHES

It is recommended that you purchase the highest quality brushes you can afford as it really does make a difference and the results will be well worth it. Ask the art shop assistant for help if you are unsure.

Students to Purchase:

Sizes 1,2,4,6,8 Neef Round (for fine details)

Sizes 2,4,10 Fan (for smoothly applying water and paint)

A selection of mid and large size brushes with flat rounded ends and angled ends (for applying bigger sections of paint and blending)

EXTRAS

Students to Purchase:

Cartridge paper pad for sketching and planning and exercises. A sheet of watercolour paper A3, magnifying glass, pencil sharpener, rubbers white vinyl, Ruler, preferably 45 or 50cms, paper towel, old white ceramic plate is excellent to use as a palette and a roll of masking tape, mobile phone or iPad with camera or separate camera. Does not have to be good, we are not doing photography, but required for composition. A reasonable sized Tupperware to keep paints, a large plastic folder or plastic pocket to keep your work clean!

A 45cm clear ruler.