



Dundas Valley School of Art

Recommended suppliers:

Curry's Artist Supplies

610 King St W, Hamilton, ON L8P 1C2. Phone: 905-529-7700

Mixed Media

154 James St N, Hamilton, ON L8R 2K7. Phone: 905-529-2323

Maria's Art Shop

(Located in DVSA beside Studio 2. Limited inventory, but ideal for certain items and last minute needs.)

21 Ogilvie St, Dundas, ON L9H 2S1. Phone: 905-628-6357 ext 229

Instructor: Diana Gordon

Class: Exploring Landscape with the Group of Seven

Material List:

Please bring in any Group of 7 calendars, postcards or books to Class 1. Class 1 is sketchbook notes and drawing exercises only. Painting supplies required for Class 2 onwards. Please email me at diana@dianagordon.com if you have any questions.

- Pencil, Eraser, Ruler
- Black ink pen
- Sketchbook (any size)
- Basic Set of Paints :
 - Acrylics (plus an Acrylic Matte Medium)* or
 - Oils (odour free solvents for oils) or
 - Watercolours
- Paint Colours:

Required Hues for Underpainting: Raw Sienna, Burnt Sienna, Ultramarine Blue, Titanium White

Suggested Hues include Yellow, Yellow Ochre, Cadmium Red, Crimson, Violet, Ultramarine Blue, Cerulean Blue, Viridian or Phthalo Green

- Palette Knife
- Disposable Palette (for acrylics and oils) of White or Grey sheets. **
- Selection of Brushes
- Clean-up supplies
- Painting Supports:
 - **For oils/acrylics:** Good quality, **Canadian-made** stretched and primed canvases. *** Size depends on scale of your individual projects: 11 by 14; 12 by 16 up to 16 by 20 are common choices. Larger if desired. Also: one Canvas Board 8"x10" or larger for one exercise in Class 5.
 - **For Watercolour:** watercolour paper size and type of your choice

* For those new to painting, I recommend Acrylics. The **Liquitex Basics Acrylic Set of 6** (118ml tubes) at Curry's – Naphthol Crimson, Ultramarine Blue, Yellow, Phthalo Green plus Black and White works quite well. Also buy the Required Hues listed above.

I suggest the **Grey Matters Paper Palette, 50 sheets, 9 by 12 or larger. Useful for mixing correct tonal values as it is a medium grey also includes a colour wheel and greyscale. Available at Curry's.

***Using canvas on good quality wooden stretchers is recommended for All Levels. Why? Because your paintings will always turn out better than expected, and you will wish you had not used thin canvas board or a cheap stretched canvas.