

# PAINTING HOLIDAY EQUIPMENT LIST

## Acrylic Materials:

Here is a list of basic equipment that you may like to bring with you on your painting holiday. Please adjust or amend it as necessary, and include any of your favourite drawing or painting materials.

### Painting Boards:

A selection of fine surface, canvas painting boards (4 or 5). Suggested sizes, roughly  
10" x 12", 14" x 18" or 16" x 20".

A possible alternative to boards would be a pad of oil/acrylic paper.

### Paints:

Artists' quality acrylics. Suggested colours:

Titanium White larger tube - usually about 75ml

The following colours in smaller tubes – usually about 38ml. To reduce weight, bring partly used tubes of colour.

Cadmium Yellow  
Cadmium Red  
Permanent Crimson Alizarin  
Permanent Violet  
Cerulean Blue  
Cobalt Blue  
Ultramarine  
Opaque Oxide of Chromium  
Phthalo Green  
Raw Sienna  
Burnt Sienna  
Raw Umber  
Burnt Umber  
Payne's Grey

### Brushes:

A selection of flat and round paint brushes for acrylic. Sizes: 3, 6, 8 and 10

A couple of small, synthetic, softer brushes for detail

### Other Materials:

A dark coloured pencil (blue or brown) for drawing on boards

'Stay Wet' palette, which has disposable, tear-off sheets of waterproof paper

Artist's palette knife for mixing paint

Slow-drying gel

A jar with screw top for holding water

Some rags or kitchen towel for cleaning brushes

A lightweight, folding, aluminium easel or pochade box

A carrying bag for materials

A chair and board will be provided

### **Drawing Materials**

An A4 sketchbook

Pencils: HB, 2B, 4B, 6B

Pencil sharpener

Small sandpaper block for sharpening/shaping pencils

Small ruler

Putty rubber

Plastic rubber

You also might like to consider watercolour pencils, water-soluble sketching pencils, or simply coloured pencils.

Digital camera

**NOTE:** Be sure that all art equipment is packed in your hold luggage. Your camera can be stored in your cabin bag.

Don't forget to bring a hat, sun-cream, sensible shoes, a lightweight shower-proof jacket and anything else that you may need to make yourself comfortable.

If you need any more information or advice on materials, please feel free to call me on 01635 200619 or 07765 867035. My email address is [kevinscully@btinternet.com](mailto:kevinscully@btinternet.com)

I look forward to meeting you and hope you have a very enjoyable painting holiday.

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