

Course: Plein air-style Colored Pencil Drawing in the Greenhouses

Required Materials: Please bring to the first class

1. Bag that will hold your supplies - portability
2. Lapboard/drawing board (lightweight foam core board to fit your paper size)
3. Drawing Paper
 - Artist quality watercolor paper or drawing paper. 9 x 12, or 14 x 17. Spiral bound sheets or pads are convenient. **Hot Press**, 140# (300 gm) weight minimum, (brands include Fabriano Artístico, Arches).
 - Tracing paper
 - Beinfang Graphics 360 paper
4. Graphite Pencils
 - 4H, 2H, B, 2B would be good to have
5. Artist Quality Colored Pencils
 - hobby or school pencils are not good enough
 - As many as possible, but a minimum of 12 basics, including dark red, bright red, yellow, cerulean blue, darker blue, light green, dark green, purple, umber, cream, and a soft gray (brands: Faber-Castell, Prismacolor, Caran d'Ache, Derwent, Lyra).
 - Optional, strongly recommended: *Prismacolor **Verithins**, full set
 - Optional: Artist Quality Watercolor pencils:
 - At least 6 - 8 basic colors (brands: Derwent Inktense, Prismacolor, Caran d'Ache Supracolor Aquarell, Faber-Castell Albrecht Durer)
6. Blender pencil
 - colorless pencil (very important, sold in colored pencil section of Blicks)
7. Pencil Sharpener
8. 2 Erasers
 - White plastic dust-free (Staedtler Mars plastic) and kneaded eraser (Faber Castell)
9. Watercolor brush
 - Bring what you have, #2 or #4 brush size. Inexpensive is fine.
10. Artists' Tape
 - Artists' tape (white, narrow) and
11. Scotch Tape

- important, for lifting
- 12. Miscellaneous:**
- Water container (small)
 - Paper towels and/or soft paper napkins
 - Magnifying glass

Sources: Dick Blick Art Materials www.dickblick.com, Amazon.com

Register early at <https://register.chicagobotanic.org/default.asp>

Program sizes are limited to ensure quality.

We recommend that students purchase required materials no sooner than two weeks prior to the start date, as programs may be cancelled due to insufficient enrollment.

For further information please visit links below:

Garden classroom maps <http://www.chicagobotanic.org/school/map>

Registration information www.chicagobotanic.org/school/registration_methods

Certificate programs policies <http://www.chicagobotanic.org/school/certificate/policies>

Or call the registrar's office 847-835-8261