

MISSA 2023 Weekend Two (2-day) July 22-23

NATASHA van NETTEN: Drawing with Science

Student Supply List

MAIN SUPPLIES:

- 11”X14” smooth watercolour paper (ideally hot press), minimum 12 sheets
 - Suggestion: Fabriano makes a pad of hot press paper in this size and there are 12 sheets in a pad, and/or buy a few 22”x30” sheets of watercolour paper and fold and tear into quarters (you will get four 11”x15” sheets from a page)
- Notebook/sketchbook for taking notes and quick sketches
- 4B graphite pencil (*not 6B*)
- Eraser
- Black or brown water-based fountain pen ink
- Micron fine tip pen: size 01 (0.25mm line) or size 005 (0.020mm line)
- Set of watercolours and/or gouache
 - Minimum colours: red, yellow and blue—bring more if you have them)
- White gouache (a little will go a long way—a small tube is good)
- A paint pallet (suggestion: a ceramic plate or a couple saucers/yogurt lids)
- #6 Round watercolour brush (should come to a fine point)
- #0, #1 or #2 Round brush for detail work

TOOLS

- Small sharp scissors (embroidery scissors work well) and/or a craft knife/scalpel
- Phone/lpad/camera for taking photo documentation and to create source material for drawings

OPTIONAL

- A selection of graphite pencils
- Favourite drawing pen
- Pencil sharpener

- Metal ruler
- Other colours of fountain pen ink
- Extra watercolour paper (approx. 11"x14")
- 1 or 2 sheets of black watercolour paper
- Tin snips or scissors for cutting thin metal (there will be a couple for the class to share, however if you have some to bring from home you are welcome to)
- Magnifying glass (for getting a more detailed look at your subject matter)
- "Curiosity cabinet" item(s): i.e. bird skull, shell, nest, crystal, animal tooth, dried starfish/seahorse, crab shell, snakeskin, dried fungus, pinecones, pressed flowers, stone arrowhead, pieces of sea glass, dried leaves, etc.
- Microscope—there will be a couple for the class to share. If you own a microscope or if you can borrow one, please bring it!

INSTRUCTOR COMMENTS:

This will not be a messy class. However, it is always advisable to wear clothes that you wouldn't mind if they got a little dirty. We will be going outside at least once to look for specimens; I recommend wearing footwear that is comfortable.

Students, please contact your instructor directly if you have any questions about the supplies listed.

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