

**2026 Summer Arts Program
MISSA at Pearson College
650 Pearson College Drive, Metchosin BC**



PLEIN AIR - OIL/ACRYLIC PAINTING IN THE OPEN

Paul Chizik July 20-24, 2026

Student Supplies

- ***Paint:** Ivory black, titanium white, (French) ultramarine blue, cobalt blue, cerulean blue, viridian green, cadmium red light, light red, alizarin crimson, raw umber, yellow ochre, cadmium yellow light
Non essential - Naples yellow light, burnt sienna. Student grade paints are fine. Such as Winston.
- ***Brushes:** **Hog hair oil painting brushes - both Round and Filbert. Some flats are fine.**
Sizes: 2,4, 6, 8,10,12 - in both round and filbert. Some soft brushes of various sizes are fine as well.
- ***Canvas:** Primed canvas boards, or stretched primed canvases. No smaller than 6"x 8", No bigger than 10" x 12". I would suggest having at least a couple of the 9" x 12" or the 10" x 12" - at least one of each, as well as a couple of smaller ones, complemented with one in the middle, for example, 8" x 10". Bring along at least five canvases or canvas boards of various sizes.
- ***Easels:** Half box or full box, plein air painting easels such as Mabef. Metal portable easels are fine.
- ***Palette:** Handheld wooden or throwaway palette
- ***Solvent:** Odourless solvent or mineral spirits
- ***Further:** Dipper, Linseed oil, viewer, handheld mirror, a few palette knives of various sizes.

Miscellaneous - Comfortable dark or grey clothing, wide brim hat, cotton or flannel rags, paper towels, plastic bags, bug spray

Special Comments:

As for the mineral spirits, Paul will bring extra in case someone can't come in with it, due to transportation issues. If they're flying in, they should visit the following website for helpful information about flying: <https://gamblicolors.com/tips-for-traveling-with-artists-materials>. Perhaps if the weather turns sideways, they can also bring in some photos they may want to work from.

Supply questions may be directed to the instructor: paul@paulchizik.com.

For all other inquiries, please contact Jill Allan, ed@missa.ca