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Drawing for Beginners

Instructors: Eric Hibit, Eva Nikolova, Zach Seeger, Anthony DiPaola, Paul Shore, Jeffrey Morabito, Melanie Baker, Naomi Lisiki

General supply list (please see specifics for individual instructors)

- HB, 2B, 4B, 6B pencils
- kneaded and vinyl erasers
- Vine Charcoal medium
- Strathmore 400 series or comparable sketch pad 9" x 12" or bigger
- Metal pencil sharpener

Supply list for Jeffrey Morabito:

- Pencils: your preference of darkness; 2h B, 2B, 3B
- Drawing Charcoal <https://www.dickblick.com/products/blick-square-charcoal-sticks-set/>
- 2 Graphite Sticks <https://www.dickblick.com/items/generals-wide-compressed-graphite-stick-4b/>
- X-acto Knife <https://www.dickblick.com/products/x-acto-1-knife/>
- Erasers: Hard Eraser <https://www.dickblick.com/items/staedtler-mars-plastic-eraser/>
- Kneaded Eraser <https://www.dickblick.com/items/faber-castell-kneaded-eraser-extra-large/>
- Sketch Pad: one thick 11" x 14" drawing pad <https://www.dickblick.com/items/strathmore-400-series-sketch-pad-11-times-14-spiral-bound-side-100-sheets/> or 14" x 17" <https://www.dickblick.com/items/strathmore-400-series-sketch-pad-14-x-17-spiral-bound-side-100-sheets/>

Optional:

- Conte Crayons <https://www.dickblick.com/items/conte-a-paris-crayons-sketching-colors-matchbox-set-set-of-4/>
- Drawing Board (the school already has some) <https://www.dickblick.com/items/blick-sketch-pad-board-23-12-x-26/>

Supply List for Melanie Baker:

This is a guide, not a requirement; As long as you have some drawing materials and paper you'll be fine!

- Variety of graphite pencils
- Example: B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, HB, H, 2H, 3H, 4H
 - Some sample brands: Prismacolor Turquoise, Mars Lumograph, Derwent
- Erasers: Kneaded (Faber Castell are best) and hard plastic erasers such as Mars Staedtler
- Charcoal: Vine and compressed
- Drawing pad (I like Stonehenge as a general use paper but there are many brands. Get the largest pad you are comfortable with. A smaller sketchbook is useful and encouraged.
- Glassene sheets to put between drawings

Optional:

Color Media:

- Colored Pencils (recommended brands: Prismacolor Verithins, Colerose, Derwent, Faber Castell)
- Pastels (recommended brands: Prismacolor Nupastel - a basic place to start, Sennelier, Unison)

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- Pastel and charcoal pencils (recommended: Derwent or Pitt)
- A portable pencil sharpener is handy.
- Blue work towels from the hardware store are useful. Wipes are as well.

Supply List for Eric Hibit:

- 1 pad 17" x 14" paper - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/blick-studio-drawing-pad-14-x-17-30-sheets/>
- 1 kneaded eraser - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/21587-1002/>
- 1 pink eraser <https://www.dickblick.com/items/21518-3068/>
- 1 metal pencil sharpener (Maped brand) - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/21416-1002/>
- 2 bulldog clips (to hold pad onto drawing board) - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/57321-1010/>
- 1 set of drawing pencils including: 6H - 6B - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/22220-2009/>
- 1 pack (set of 2) #2B Conte crayon (black only) - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/20201-2120/>
- 1 ruler 18" - <https://www.dickblick.com/items/55430-1018/>

Supply list for Eva Nikolova:

- Graphite pencils: 2B, 4B, 6B
- White charcoal pencil (General's brand)
- Compressed charcoal square sticks (soft) (https://www.dickblick.com/products/blick-square-charcoal-sticks-set/?clickTracking=true&wmcp=pla&wmcid=items&wmckw=20016-2129&gclid=EAlaIqObChMI-ZD3jNrB9gIVg8mUCR3rhQqLEAQYAyABEgIkRvD_BwE)
- Roll of masking tape
- Pencil sharpener
- White plastic eraser
- Kneaded eraser
- Stick eraser (Factis, Tombow, etc.)
- Pad of drawing or sketching paper (acid free) size 14" X 17" or 18" X 24"
- Black drawing paper – 2 approx. 14" X 17" sheets (any brand)

Supply List for Naomi Lisiki

- 18" x 24" white paper (Strathmore or Canson) drawing pad
- Pastel color set
- Pastel drawing paper pad
- Drawing Pencil, eraser, pencil sharpener
- Compressed Charcoal
- Masking tape
- Kneaded eraser
- Any other materials you'd like to work with or ask more information about you may bring to class to discuss.

Supply list for Zach Seeger:

- HB, 2B, 4B, 6B pencils

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- kneaded and vinyl erasers
- Vine Charcoal medium
- Strathmore 400 series or comparable sketch pad 9" x 12" or bigger
- Ballpoint or fine line felt tip pen (not sharpie)

Supply List for Anthony DiPaola

- *1 Drawing Paper pad (minimum 14 x 17, recommended 18 x 24)
- *2 Graphite Pencils 2B
- *2 Graphite Pencils 6B
- *1 Pencil Sharpener
- *1 Mars Plastic Eraser (Staedtler recommended)
- Kneaded Eraser
- Soft Vine Charcoal (small package, 12 sticks)
- 2 Conté Crayon, Black 2B

Supply List for Victoria Febrer:

- Crayola crayons with the wrappers removed, Conte crayons or other artists's wax crayon (not water soluble)
- 6B pencil
- Black and white China marker
- white drawing paper (Pad of drawing or sketching paper (acid free) Suggested minimum size 9x12"
- toned pastel paper 9x12"

Supply List Paul Shore

- 1 – 18 x 24 pad of newsprint
- 1 – 18 x 24 pad of good quality white drawing paper
- Drawing pencils (2B, 4B, 6B)
- Compressed charcoal (medium & soft)
- Erasers – kneaded & rubber
- Chamois cloth
- Paper stumps