
Watercolour Landscape Painting for Beginners / Improvers

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Course Code	PD328-SS
Tutor	Mr Paul Parker
Venue	UCM, Homefield Road, Douglas
Cost	£188
Start Day, Date & Time	Saturday 12 th January 2019 9.30am – 12.30pm
Number of Weeks / Sessions	10 Weeks

What is the course about?

Advice and guidance to enable the Student to improve techniques of, painting and design, as well as develop individual skills and style. The course is an introduction to Landscape painting in Watercolours.

Painting is not easy, but it should be fun. My aim is to help with some of the more common problems and show some of the techniques I have gained over the years.

Previous experience:

No previous experience required, all welcome.

Equipment you need to bring:

Archers or Saunders Paper but any cotton paper acceptable.

140lb 'rough' or 'not' small size A4 - 11 x 15 inch

Watercolour good quality brushes (sable hair mixture or nylon. Round) possible size 4, 6 and 12 (perhaps wait until first class)

Pencils HB - 2B, 4B

Mansize tissues

Soft putty rubber (eraser)

Pencil sharpener/craft knife

Black water proof Ink

A starter set of watercolours:

Cadmium red & alizarin crimson / burnt sienna

lemon yellow & cadmium yellow / raw umber

Cerulean blue & Ultramarine Blue / cobalt blue

Burnt umber gray / raw sienna / cobalt turquoise

If you do not have all the colours the six in **BOLD** type will do.

Later you may require more watercolour supplies; the tutor will advise. Then you can decide what else to buy.

Metal paint box – rather than plastic as this allows paint to flow.

Mixing dishes (Enamel or china trays for mixing, not plastic)

A board large enough to tape your paper to.

Plastic pot or jam jars x2 for water

A small sponge

Dip pen

Blotting paper, optional

Masking fluid

Tape

Kitchen roll

This is only a suggested range of materials and paint for those in need of help. Please feel free to use whatever you would at home.

General Information:

The times advertised for courses, especially 1-day and short courses, will normally include break(s) and a lunch period, as appropriate, and by agreement with the tutor at the sessions.

Students attending one-day workshops might like to note that there are hot/cold drinks and snack vending machines (crisps, sweets, chocolate, biscuits etc) in the College Refectory, which will be open during the day, but there are no sandwiches etc available, so students might like to bring a packed lunch with them, which can be consumed in the Refectory.

Some venues may have restricted parking facilities, disc parking etc, so please also be aware of this.

Who should I contact?

For further information, please contact the Programme Area Secretary on 648204.