

## Heather Neilson's Mixed Media Collage Supply List

*(links go to the product to purchase online and/or for you to see what the product looks like)*

- **Watercolor paper or Mixed Media paper 9x12 140lb (or heavier) any brand.**
- **Optional: 2-4 Cradled Wood Panels.** Important: instructor will discuss options in the 1st class so it is recommended to wait to purchase these.
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- **Acrylic paint** - Black and white plus bring a few colors you love or have on hand. This is a good [high quality GOLDEN starter set](#). The instructor will have some other GOLDEN paint and mediums for you to try.
- **Soft gel medium**
- **Gloss medium**
- **Optional: Glue stick** - any brand but be sure it is archival/acid-free
- **Brushes** - bring a couple of nice brushes for paint plus one utility brush from the hardware store.
- ***Paper towels*** (*blue shop towels from hardware store are recommended*)
- ***A palette*** - *options include a plastic tray, palette paper, freezer paper, plastic plate. It should be a relatively flat surface. I do not recommend the small plastic palettes with wells.*
- ***Palette knife*** (*Metal is recommended*)
- **Scissors**
- ***Container for water*** *for your brushes (eg. a large, plastic yogurt container)*

- **a small container** (a small yogurt container works well) for your medium/gel
- **An old loyalty card** or expired credit card for adhering your collage. A brayer also works but a card works better.
- **Optional:** Latex gloves, apron
- **Optional: collage materials:** We will be making some papers and the instructor will be bringing a stash of papers to work with. However, the more personal your materials are, the more meaningful and unique your work will be. So, if you have any materials you might want to use, feel free to bring them to class.
- **Optional:** You are welcome to bring any of your favorite art supplies