

AX01 Realistic Oil Portrait Painting with Alvin Xiong

Materials to bring:

1. Stretched canvas (30 x 40cm or 40 x 50cm)

Recommend brand: Expression from Gordon Harris or Das from Warehouse Stationary

<https://www.gordonharris.co.nz/category/1340-canvas-panels>

2. Oil paints (colour list: Titanium White, Zinc White, Ivory Black, Ultramarine Blue, Burnt Umber, Burnt Sienna, Yellow Ocher, Sap Green, Vermillion Red, Crimson Red, total: 9 colours and 10 tubes of paint)

Recommend brand: Winton or Norma, good quality and good value for money.

<https://www.gordonharris.co.nz/category/1337-oil-paints-mediums>

3. Medium (Refined Linseed Oil and Liquin);

Recommend brand: 1. any brand for Linseed oil, pick the cheap and smallest one is fine. 2. Winsor Newton Liquin Original.

<https://www.gordonharris.co.nz/category/1684-winsor-newton-oil-mediums>

4. Brush;

Recommend brand: Da Vinci College Tin Brush Set of 10 brushes, price \$64.99 from Gordon Harris.

<https://www.gordonharris.co.nz/product/2584-da-vinci-tin-brush-set-of-10-college>

Note: If you already have some brush at home, feel free to bring them in the first lesson. I'll have a look for you before you buy new brush.

5. Fan Brush;

Two fan brushes in bristle, one is about 1cm wide, another one is about 2cm wide.

Recommend brand: Das. This brand is about \$3 for 1 brush, but good enough for our practice.

6. A wooden palette;

<https://www.gordonharris.co.nz/category/3200-mabef-wooden-palettes>

7. Palette knife (1 small & 1 medium size):

Note: plastic palette knife DO NOT work.

<https://www.gordonharris.co.nz/category/1616-pebeo-palette-knives>

8. A paper towel or a piece of old cloth;

9. pencil, rubber, sharpener/craft knife;

10. Normal soap (easy to get in Countdown or Pak n Save);

https://www.countdown.co.nz/search-results/?query=Soap&search_type=Product

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