

MATERIALS 4 LIANA'S BEGINNERS/IMPROVERS ACRYLIC FROM HOME

- Two big water pots [big yogurt pots are ideal]
- Newspaper/plastic sheet to cover tables [diy or shower curtain?]
- Two washing up sponges [the ones with a scourer on one side]
- Kitchen paper towel.
- A hb-2b soft pencil, rubber, scrap paper
- MATERIALS A big white tray/plate or white paper plates as a palette. Or purchase a tear off one.
- A board [at least a3, preferably a bit larger] and masking tape
- Mask & overall

TO PURCHASE

- A range of brushes for acrylic. Ie long handled, stiff haired brushes. A flat square headed brush of $\frac{1}{2}$ " and 2" or so and a couple of round headed brushes of different size in a medium and large. These can be from a bargain shop [approx £ 1.50 for a set] [The Works has a set of three, flat headed large [1",2",3"] in a golden synthetic that are reasonable and useful.]
- A soft haired pointy brush for final, smaller details, size 6 or so. Again a golden synthetic set from the Works are reasonable
- The ground. 300grm water colour paper or canvas paper is fine. A stretched canvas is nice to work on for finished work All of at least A4- A3 size sort of [A3 is like 2 photocopies side by side], The ones sold at bargain shops for £3ish are ideal. Try Home Direct in Teignmouth. Bring at least two grounds to work on. Wcol/mixed media, cardboard, cartridge can be used for exercises.
- Paints- Student quality will be fine to start eg the cryla and system3 range are good [some cheaper ones are fine to start, but some just don't cover or have correct shades] Start modestly then you can add.

At least Medium size tubes, in these colours.[You will use white the most] Ultramarine and Prussian blue. White. Burnt umber. Cadmium red. Alizarin crimson. Lemon yellow, cadmium yellow, Raw sienna. Paynes grey. [green can be mixed]

Hobby craft [Kingsteignton] and **The Range** has a good range. **Trago** is cheaper but sometimes patchy [!]. **Picture This** and **Home Direct** in Teignmouth have a small range. The latter[next to Peacocks] has canvases, boards and paint sets. **The Works** in Newton Abbot/ Exeter is very good for bargain supplies. Or on line.