

Arts & Design Supplies

Course: Children's Book Illustration

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You will need:

- A few pencils of varying hardness (HB, 6B and 2H are three good ones to have)*
- An eraser (the white Staedtler ones are good)*
- A pencil sharpener, either hand held, or battery powered (which is good for colored pencils)*
- 24" metal ruler*
- Micron Pen, .05 is a good size (Buy a pack of six different line weights if you want more variety)
- A small sketch book for working on illustration ideas (Any brand is fine, 9×12 is a good size)*
- Watercolor paper (Get it in either a pad or block any size 11×14 or larger. This will be used to complete your final paintings on, so whatever size you feel comfortable working on)
- A small set of colored pencils (Any brand, although I recommend Prismacolor or to save money a small set of Faber-Castell for kids is fine)
- Three watercolor brushes (any brand that you can afford). You need a:
 - # 4 round (for detail)
 - # 10 round (for larger areas)
 - 1" flat for washes
- A smaller set of watercolor paints (Windsor Newton Cotman is good for beginners, For more advanced I recommend the artists quality Windsor Newton) Good colors to have if buying your colors individually in tubes are;
 - Cadmium Red
 - Cad Yellow
 - Yellow Ochre
 - Ultramarine (green shade)
 - Windsor Blue (red shade)
 - Burnt Sienna
 - Burnt Umber
 - (more colors can be recommended later if you want more of a selection)
- Watercolor palette
- Small set of inexpensive soft pastels
- 1 sheet of colored pastel paper, Canson is fine.
- Container for water

Optional supplies

- A set of watercolor colored pencils (any brand)
- Sponge
- Masking fluid
- Kosher salt
- A drawing board (22×26 is a good size)
- Scissors or X-acto knife
- A carrying case for supplies

*For the first two weeks only the pencils, eraser, pencil sharpener, ruler and sketch book are needed.

You can probably get everything you need from these stores:

Eastside:

- University Book Store in Bellevue
990 102nd Ave NE, Bellevue, WA 98004 Phone: (425) 462-4500
- Bellevue Art and Frame
13131 NE 20th St, Bellevue, WA 98005 Phone: (425) 453-8959
- Daniel Smith Art Supplies in Bellevue
15112 NE 24th St, Bellevue, WA 98052 Phone: (425) 643-1781
- Michaels in Kirkland
9755 Juanita Dr NE, Kirkland, WA 98034 Phone: (425) 821-4444

Seattle:

- Dakota Art Store in Seattle
2000 NW Market St, Seattle, WA 98107 Phone: (206) 523-4830
- Daniel Smith Art Supplies in Seattle
150 1st Ave S, Seattle, WA 98134 Phone: (206) 223-9599
- Artist and Craftsman Supply
4350 8th Avenue NE, Seattle, WA 98105 Phone: (206)545-0091

Bring this list to the art store, they can be very helpful and often times there may be a 10% discount at some stores if you are a BC student as well. Also, all basic materials are available at the BC main campus bookstore (TEL: 425-564-2285 or check out the website for store hours: <http://bcc.collegestoreonline.com/>).