

## The UC Botanical Garden

### LOCAL COLOR: *Seeing Place through Watercolor*

presented by guest artist Mimi Robinson

#### Materials List

*You have the option to buy a materials kit for an introductory price of \$25.00 (paint included on palette + 1 piece of watercolor paper.) The other things on the list are required for everyone. Please allow 2 days notice to make up a materials kit.*

Watercolor Tubes (5ml)

I like Winsor Newton. (Daniel Smith, Holbein, Sennelier are also fine to use!)

Essential for workshop:

- 1 Cadmium Lemon (5ml tube)
- 1 Ultramarine Blue (5ml tube)
- 1 Alizarin Crimson (5ml tube)

<https://www.dickblick.com/products/winsor-and-newton-professional-watercolor-tubes/>

Optional/additional watercolors to bring:

- 1 Cadmium Yellow (5ml tube)
- 1 Prussian Blue (5ml tube)
- 1 Permanent Rose (5ml tube)

<https://www.dickblick.com/products/winsor-and-newton-professional-watercolor-tubes/>

Folding plastic palette

<https://www.dickblick.com/products/large-plastic-folding-palette/>

Brushes (Princeton synthetic "Snap" is very moderately priced)

- ½ inch flat
- ¾ inch flat
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<https://www.dickblick.com/items/06238-4012/>

<https://www.dickblick.com/items/06238-4034/>

Watercolor Paper-Arches 140 lb, cold press

- 1 sheet of 22"x 30" or more- or a watercolor block, minimum size 12" x 16"

<https://www.dickblick.com/items/10011-1002/>

#### Miscellaneous

- Table lamp, clip on or standing (optional)
- Roll of paper towels
- 2 water container (plastic jars with wide mouth are great)
- White artist tape (not blue painters tape, it throws off your color)
- Pencils, erasers, sharpener (H or HB for drawing under watercolors)
- Portable stool for working outside optional
- Sketchbook small enough to carry easily for notes and sketching outside

If you have materials that you like to work with please bring them along!

Art stores:

Dick Blick  
811 University Ave  
Berkeley  
(510) 486-2600

Riley Street Art Supplies  
1138 4th Ave,  
San Rafael  
415 457-2787