

The Basics - use what you already have

- Papers to create collage papers choose 2+
 - <u>Drawing paper</u>
 - Copy paper 28 lb, 24 lb also fine
 - Bristol paper, Mixed Media, Water Color
 - Old books, maps, dictionaries, etc
 - Natural <u>kraft paper</u> (also buy from hardware store on a roll where its called "painter paper")
 - Homemade water color paper
 - Rice Paper
 - Tissue paper (any of these will work, choose one type)
 - Acid free
 - Spectra Art Tissue white
 - Cheap gift grade from drug store (what I use most often)
- O Sketchbook to create contrast collages on Days 8 & 9
 - Favorites <u>Ranger Dylusions</u>, <u>Canson Mixed Media</u>, or any sketchbook with fairly heavy paper
 - Alternative use heavy weight paper like Bristol, Water Color or Mixed Media papers (links above)
- Brushes
 - Princeton set of six OR 1" flat and round
- O Acrylic Paint
 - Choose just two primaries blue and yellow, or yellow and red - You will make all your papers using just two colors.
 - There will be a Live Lesson on Day 2 to show you how to mix many colors from your 2 primaries
 - Also white, black, and possibly gold or silver
 - Favorite brands <u>Nova</u>, <u>Golden</u>, and <u>Liquitex</u> (or this <u>one</u>)
- O Glue
 - Matte or gloss medium, <u>Liquitex</u> or <u>Golden</u> (light weight papers)
 - Gel medium, <u>Liquitex Matte</u> or <u>Golden Gloss</u> (heavier weight papers)
 - OR Yes Paste, glue stick, or anything you like to use
- Princeton Catalyst Wedge or old credit card
- Scissors and X-acto Knife #11 blade



Collage Paper Making

Choose 3 to 6 of these papers to create during Collage Joy Taster

Paper #1 - Intentions / Asemic Writing

January 1



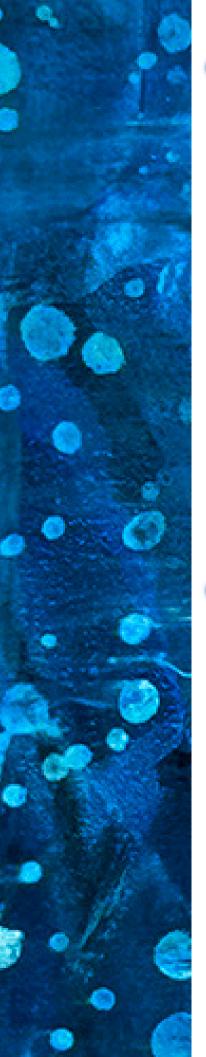
- Any type of tissue, drawing or copy paper (links previous page)
- Choose at least ONE black and/or white pen
 - o Sakura Brush Pens, 3 pack
 - Staedtler Pigment Liner, set of 4 tip sizes
 - o <u>Uni-Ball Signo</u> white, silver, gold
 - o Faber-Castell Pit Big Brush Pen
- Paint bottles with fine tip or Needle squeeze bottle (optional)

Paper #2 - Crayon Resist

January 3



- Crayons, choose one type (white most versatile)
 - White Crayola Crayons
 - o Crayola Crayons, variety box
 - o Bees Wax Crayons
- Choose one or more papers:
 - o Rice Paper, Drawing paper 80 lbs, or Copy paper
- Wide flat brush 2" or 1"
- Mister spray bottle
- Scotch Delicate surface tape
- Things with raised surfaces: stencils, coasters, embossing packets
- Acrylic paint using 2 primaries (color lesson on Day 2)
- Palette paper or plastic plate to mix paint on



Paper #3 - Scrape

January 4



- Choose one or more heavier weight paper:
 - o Watercolor hot press, 140 lbs
 - o Mixed Media, 184 lbs
 - o Sketch, 75 lbs
- Items to scrape with search around your home!
 - Small combs, <u>Bathroom scraper</u>
 - o Palette knife, Catalyst texturing wedge, old credit card
 - <u>Trowel</u>
- Acrylic paint, condiment bottle (optional)
- Palette paper or plastic plate/surface to mix paint

Paper #4 - Water Resist

January 4

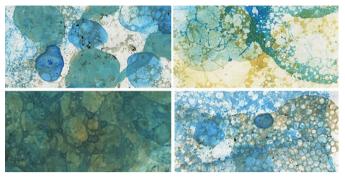


- Choose one or more heavier weight papers:
 - Watercolor hot press, 140 lbs
 - o Mixed Media, 184 lbs or 104 lbs
 - o Bristol
- <u>Catalyst wedge</u>, old credit card/room key
- Ranger craft mat, or plastic surface like wax paper
- Acrylic paint



Paper #5 - Bubble

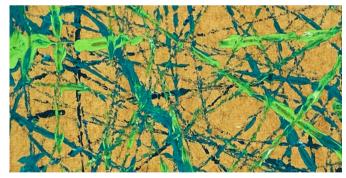
January 6



- Dishwashing liquid
- Choose one or more types of paper:
 - Watercolor paper hot press 140 lbs
 - o Rice paper
 - o Homemade water color paper
 - o Copy paper
 - Tea bag paper from Jane Monteith
- Paper straws
- Shallow plastic cups
- Old thin sock

O Paper #6 - Marbles

January 6



- Plastic surface to create papers on choose ONE
 - Ranger nonstick craft mat (LOVE this product)
 - Plastic file folders
 - o <u>Parchment paper</u>
 - Plastic shower curtain
- Spray bottle filled with water
- Acrylic paint, full strength
- <u>Drawing, Copy</u>, <u>Rice paper</u>, and/or book pages



Other useful tools - all optional!

- Plastic surface to create papers on choose one
 - Ranger nonstick craft mat (LOVE this product)
 - Plastic file folders
 - <u>Parchment</u> or wax paper
- O Ruler, 12 inch
- Self healing cutting board
- UV Varnish Spray Golden or Krylon
- Dorland's Wax Medium optional final coat
- Frame & mounting options
 - Clear magnetic frames
 - Black or Gold 4" frames
 - 3" Cradled Boards
- Murphy Oil Soap Original
 - Cleans acrylic brushes like magic, even old crusty ones
- Nitrile Gloves
 - request free sample pack to choose correct size
- Scott Original Multi-Purpose Shop Towels
 - one roll lasts forever if wash them out
- Plastic shower curtain to dry papers
- Water spray bottle & Spray Mister bottle
- Palette paper, or plastic plate/surface to mix paint

Please note:

- Other than the "Basic" supplies on page 2, you don't need everything listed to make collage papers and your collages on Days 8 & 9. Use what you already have and supplement with what feels inspiring to try.
- Some of these supplies have affiliate links, which support the production of Collage Joy TASTER, without costing you anything more.