



Collage Breakthrough Suggested Supply List

The Basics - use what you already have

- **Heavy weight paper to create collage on - choose 1**
 - Sketchbook/journal
 - Favorites - Ranger Dylusions, Canson Mixed Media, or any sketchbook with fairly heavy paper
 - Bristol paper, Mixed Media, Water Color
- **Glue**
 - Glue stick, acid free - love this one, and this one too!
 - Or ANY glue you enjoy using
- **Tools to cut your collage papers to size - choose your faves**
 - Scissors
 - Ruler to tear paper against
 - X-acto Knife - #11 blades and self healing cutting board
- **Supplies to create “finishing touch” papers for Lesson 3**
 - Tissue paper (choose **one** type, any of these will work)
 - Acid free
 - Spectra Art Tissue - white
 - Cheap gift grade from drug store (what I use most often)
 - Medical exam paper
 - Fine liner bottle - my favorite and easiest to use
 - Neutral color soft body acrylic paint - choose one or more colors
 - Black, white, silver, gold
 - Use any brand - links are to my personal favorites
 - Palette paper, or something plastic to mix paint on
 - Small plastic recycled bottle caps - 1" to 2" in diameter
 - Skewer to scrape excess tissue (optional)
 - Mister or spray bottle for water
- **Options for Choosing Limited Paint Palette if creating new collage papers**
 - Choose 2 colors from one of the following options:
 - Option 1 - Cool family (blue, green, teal)
 - Option 2 - Warm family (red, orange, yellow)
 - Option 3 - 2 of the 3 primaries (blue, yellow, red) - what I used
 - Also white, black, and possibly gold or silver paint
 - Favorite brands - Nova, Golden, and Liquitex

Framing Options - *if want to frame your collages*

- Clear acrylic frames or Black or gold frames with mats

Countdown to COLLAGE BREAKTHROUGH

You have the option of creating 5 types of collage paper, one each week through December, in preparation for making 4 collage projects starting January 5. **This is totally optional.**

- Each paper below is **NOW** available to watch from the YouTube link **exclusively** for you as a Collage Breakthrough artist, but won't be made public until the date shown.
- You can also use collage papers you have already made, or purchase collage paper from the links at the bottom of this list.

○ **Paper #1 - Crayon Resist**

Released on YouTube December 2

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- Crayons, choose **one** type (white is the most versatile color)
 - White Crayola Crayons
 - Crayola Crayons, variety box
 - Bees Wax Crayons
 - Stockmar Wax Crayons
- Choose one or more papers:
 - Rice Paper, Drawing paper 80 lbs, Copy paper, book pages
- Wide flat brush 2" or 1"
- Mister spray bottle and painters tape
- Things with raised surfaces: stencils, coasters, embossing packets
- Acrylic paint using 2 paint colors (watch color video)
- Palette paper or plastic plate to mix paint on
- Rangers non-stick craft mat (optional)



Paper #2 - Strawblowing

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- Straw with smallish opening
- Choose one or more papers:
 - Rice Paper, Drawing paper 80 lbs, or Copy paper
 - Old book pages
- Tablespoon
- Acrylic paint using 2 paint colors, plus black, white and gold just for fun (watch color video)



Paper #3 - Toilet Paper Rolls

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- Recycled empty toilet paper rolls
- Small paint roller
- Small things to place on roller
 - self-adhesive foam, bubble wrap, rubber bands, ribbon, etc
- Choose one or more papers:
 - Rice Paper, Drawing paper 80 lbs, Copy paper, black paper
 - Old book pages, old painted collage papers
- Acrylic paint using 2 paint colors (watch color video)
- Palette paper or plastic plate to mix paint on
- Mister water bottle
- Gel medium



Paper #4 - Bread

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- Bread with lots holes, stale is better than fresh!
- 1" paint brush
- Choose one or more papers:
 - Rice Paper, Drawing paper 80 lbs, or Copy paper
 - Old book pages, old painted collage paper
- Acrylic paint using 2 paint colors (watch color video)
- Palette paper or plastic plate to mix paint on



Paper #5 - Adult Finger Painting

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- Plastic surface to create papers on - choose one
 - Ranger nonstick craft mat (LOVE this product)
 - Plastic file folders
 - Parchment or wax paper
- Spray bottle filled with water
- Acrylic paint using 2 paint colors (watch color video)
- Choose one or more papers:
 - Rice Paper, Drawing paper 80 lbs, or Copy paper
 - Old book pages, old painted collage papers

○ **BONUS PAPER #6 - Polka Dots**

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- Stencils with polka dots
 - Try [this one](#), or [this one](#), or [this one](#)!
- Old book pages, music scores and magazines with just prints work great for this
- Make up sponge, "tooth brush" looking brush, flat foam sponge, 1" brush
- Acrylic paint using 2 paint colors (watch color video)

Other useful tools - all optional!

○ [Murphy Oil Soap - Original](#)

- Cleans acrylic brushes like magic, even old crusty ones

○ [UV Varnish Spray - Golden or Krylon](#)

○ [Dorland's Wax Medium - optional final coat](#)

○ [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 collage papers](#)

Purchased Collage Papers



Purple collage paper pad

- coordinating quiet paper pad, no pattern



Blue/Teal collage paper pad

- coordinating quiet paper pad, no pattern



Pink collage paper pad

- coordinating quiet paper pad, no pattern



Rose/Brown collage paper pad

- coordinating quiet paper pad, no pattern

- Some of these supplies have affiliate links, which support the production of Collage Joy TASTER, without costing you anything more.