



Intro to Gouache Illustration

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Materials:

- Pencils (HB, 2B, 2H)
- Waterproof pigment pens like Faber-Castell PITT, Micron or other, fine-point Sharpie or Flair pen for rough sketches
- Ruler or drafting angle
- White eraser like Magic Rub
- Gouache paints in a variety of colors and palette if needed
- 8 1/2" x 11" graph paper (1/4" squares)
- Sketch pad (9" x 12")
- Artist's tape or masking tape
- Canson Pro-Art tracing paper 11" x 14" or similar
- Coloring materials for rough and comp sketches— inexpensive colored pencils, crayons, markers etc.
- Preferred illustration surface such as watercolor paper, illustration board, Bristol board, etc. Preferred types include Fabriano 140 or 300 lb. cold press 100% rag extra white watercolor paper, Canson 100 Series Illustration Board, Strathmore 300 Series Bristol Board
- Good watercolor brushes as-sorted (Silver Black Velvet 4, 8, 12 round are my favorites)