Jayne Conte Suggested Watercolor Supplies:

Paper:

A pad of watercolor paper-140 lb. cold press or sheets of watercolor paper that can be cut into smaller sheets. Arches or any professional quality paper is good. (**Good paper produces better watercolor paintings**)

Brushes:

Traditional watercolor brushes have short handles: 3 round brushes (#6) (#10) (a # 12 or #14) One ¾" inch flat brush. Rigger brush or Liner (a #2 or #3) (optional) (Princeton Velvetouch and Loew-Cornell are good medium priced brushes)

Paints:

Suggested tube paint brands Windsor & Newton, M. Graham, or Holbien better paints produce better watercolor paintings.

Do Not Purchase Reeves Watercolor Paints or other cheap sets of paint!

Cadmium Red Cadmium Yellow or Windsor Yellow Cadmium Orange Ultramarine Blue Dioxazine purple Permanent Rose Cobalt blue Alizarin Crimson Hooker green (M.Graham-brand) Sap Green (M.Graham-brand) Pavnes Grev Yellow Ochre Burnt Sienna Sepia Indigo Optional colors might include: Cerulean Blue (optional) Prussian Blue (optional)

All the Rest:

Paper towels, 2 containers to hold water, small spray bottle. Pencil for sketching and eraser (Kneaded eraser is good). A roll of masking tape. Palette (to mix paints on) plastic one will do, white disposable plates with sections. A board larger than your paper to tape your paper on (Lightweight materials such as foam core, or even strong card board).

Masking fluid (optional).

All materials can be bought at Michaels use their coupons! Also at BLICK: in store (Paramus NJ) or on line https://www.dickblick.com