

## **The ABC's of Painting Materials List**

**Stretched canvas** nothing smaller than 16"x 20"

**At least 3 brushes** 1 ½", 1", ½"

**Acrylic Paint** Please buy better quality paint. Suggested brands are: Golden, Liquitex and Tri Art (also sold under the DeSerres brand). Student quality paint has less pigment and tends to muddy when mixed together. Paint comes in 2 oz. tubes. Ask for help in the store as different brands have different names for a similar colour.

### **Suggested colours to start out**

Titanium White

Quinacridone Magenta (this is a pink based red)

Naphthol or Cadmium Red (this is an orange based red)

Ultramarine Blue

Yellow Ochre

Phthalo Green

Hansa Yellow

### **Alternative tools for putting paint on canvas**

Sponges, rags, palette knives, toothbrushes, house painter's brushes, etc. Check out the Dollar Store, your drawers & cupboards for utensils. Anything goes!

Please wear clothing that you don't mind getting paint on: old shirt, lab coat, old pants, etc. Paint is not removable from clothing when dry and you will have a better time if you don't have to worry about it.