

Chastain Arts Center Supply List

Basic Drawing for Beginners / Bryan Thompson

Class Description:

This beginning level course deals with the art of drawing, using a variety of techniques, including work from still life arrangements, texture replication, simplifying the human head, and portrait construction and rendering. Each of the classes will consist of technical demos, mini lectures, in class studio work, and group critiques of artwork. Our primary focus will be using the graphite drawing medium.

SUPPLIES:

- Graphite Pencils: A full set of graphite pencils that range from Hard Medium and Soft. You can replace these pencils individually as they start to wear down. Derwent or Steadtler or Grafwood Caran D'ache Pencils are good.

SURFACES:

- 18" x 24" or 14" x 17", 80 lbs. Strathmore Drawing Paper Pad 400 Series
- Drawing Board large enough for 18" X 24" Drawing Paper

MISCELLANEOUS:

- Drawing Board with clamps, large enough for 18" x 24"
- Pencil Sharpener (cordless electric or traditional manual recommended)
- Drafting Eraser, Kneaded Eraser, and mechanical eraser with refills if possible.
- Acid free drafting tape
- Spray Fixative
- Blending stumps
- Ruler