



The Art Students League of New York

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Printmaking

Most of the following supplies may be purchased at the League's art supply store, located in the lobby. It is advisable to speak with the instructor before buying supplies.

Materials for Intaglio printmaking (Etching, Drypoint, Mezzotint, etc.)

PLATES: Copper

TOOLS: Stylus etching needle for etching and drypoint
Burnisher
Scraper
Metal flat file
Rubber ink spreader
Mezzotint rocker and roulette (optional for more advanced work)

BRUSHES: A wide flat and some small round pointed brushes for applying varnishes.

GROUND: Hard ball ground
Soft ground in plastic container
Jar of Liquid Hard Ground to be used as a stop-out varnish
Rubber Brayer For Rolling On Ball Ground (3" or 6" size).

GENERAL INKS: Graphic Chemical #514C Black or Blue Black, 1 lb. can
Carbonnel black
Color inks of your choice

Clove Oil (to slow the drying of inks)
Plate Oil #3
Tarlatan (5 yards, stiff)
Paper Towels
Rubber Gloves
Masking Tape
Hand Cleaner
Contact Paper
Isopropyl Alcohol

Optional: Nevr-Dull Metal Polish
Emery papers #1200 and #1600 for plate polishing



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PAPER*: Newsprint Pad 18" X 24" (required)
Arches etching paper (cover), White and/or Buff
Rives etching paper (BFK), White, Cream or Grey
German Etching paper
Hannemuller etching paper
Fabriano etching papers

*The above printing papers are suggested; you should examine them in the shop and then choose something you like.

SOURCES: Art Students League shop in the lobby
Pearl Paint, 308 Canal St. NY 212-432-7932
NY Central Supply, 62 third Ave. at 11th St. NY 212-473-7705

Materials For Relief Printmaking (Wood-Cut, Lino-Cut, Wood-Engraving)

Battleship grey Linoleum mounted on type high blocks
Battleship grey unmounted Linoleum
Speedball #1 cutter assortment
Japanese Woodcarving Set, student grade
Edward C. Lyons Wood Cut Knife #1330-01
Rubber Brayer (3" wide, soft)
Graphic Chemical Oil Base Block Inks: Black and/or colors of your choice
Transparent Base Extender
Linseed Oil or Plate Oil
Putty Knife
Tracing Paper
Newsprint Pad
Masking Tape
Printing Papers (to be discussed in class)
Paper Towels
Rags
Hand Cleaner

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