

Moulin de Perrot

Painting Academy

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"Oil : painting landscapes with the painting knife"

Perrot is situated at an altitude of 400 meters (1 200 feet) which means that evenings can be a little cool.

Materials

Do not buy or bring too much equipment. Your regular materials might be just enough. You will find hereafter a list of what I recommend as a guideline.

1 - Paint box

- a wooden paint box in which you will place all your materials.

2 - Drawing material

- a drawing pad, about 20 X 30 cm
- a felt-tip pen, Unipin 0.1, Mitsubishi pigment ink

3 - Canvases

- 4 linen canvases, the size of your own choice, for instance:
 - + 61x50 cm
 - + 65x54 cm
 - + 60x60 cm
 - + 70x70 cm

4 - Painting knife

- 1 round tip painting knife, about 7 X 2 cm

5 - Oil colors

You can use you familiar colors but I recommend the following list:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Titanium white, Georgian, n°009, 225ml- Transparent yellow oxide, Old Holland, n°B328- Indian Yellow series C, Rowney, n°643- Ancient Dutch brown yellow, Old Holland, n°C325- Cadmium yellow, Georgian- Brown Pink, Rowney, n°215- Permanent magenta, Georgian	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Permanent red, Van Gogh- Ultramarine violet- Ultramarine blue- Phalo turquoise blue- Sap green, Pébéo- Golden Green, Old Holland
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6 - Miscellaneous

- a wooden palette
 - paper towels (available at Perrot) and plastic bags for trash
 - linseed oil for cleaning your hands
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