

Abstract Art: Painting to Music

Supply List

- Tubes of the following acrylic paints: Cadmium red, Cadmium Yellow (light or deep), Cobalt Blue, Sap Green, Dioxazine Purple, and a large tube of Titanium White. Preferred brands are Grumbacher, Master's Touch, and Basics (Liquitex). Golden is a very good choice, but can be expensive.
- Optional: Acrylic mediums may be added to your paintings. If you are interested in using the mediums, please check with the instructor on the first day of class.
- Brushes: A large 2 inch flat brush for painting backgrounds; one size 8 round bristle; a size 10 flat. Taklon fiber brushes are medium priced brushes and work well with acrylic paint.
- Two size 16 x 20 stretched canvases or canvas panels.
- Aluminum or wood table easel: There are several easels available for participants to use in the classroom.
- Palette for mixing paints: This should be a **white** non-porous surface for mixing paints. You might want to purchase one with a cover to avoid spills while transporting your paints. A watercolor palette will not work with acrylics because you will need a larger space to mix the paints. An alternative would be an old white porcelain plate or **heavy duty** white paper plates.
- A fine mist spray bottle for water
- Paper towels
- A plastic table cloth to protect work surface
- A smock or old shirt to protect clothing from staining from the acrylic paints
- Water containers will be provided.