ARDINGTON

Equipment & Materials List

Exploring Monochrome: Charcoal

Wed 6th January 2027 at 10am UK time

Students will need:

- Willow charcoal and/or compressed charcoal/charcoal pencils
- Optional: Chalk pastels/pencils and/or Conte crayons in wintery colours (white, burnt umber, burnt sienna, yellow ochre, dark blue, greys etc)
- Heavy cartridge paper or mixed media paper or watercolour paper (not too rough)
- Muted coloured paper such as pastel paper or sugar paper or brown parcel paper
- An assortment of mark-making tools – brushes, rags, cotton buds etc
- Glue stick and scissors
- Plastic erasers, Blu-tack or putty rubber or cheap white bread!
- Optional: Gesso to create a textured ground
- Fixative – cheap hairspray is fine

Suggested / Preferred Suppliers:

We have collated a list of our most recommended suppliers here. Karen also recommends:

- www.greatart.co.uk
- www.hobbycraft.co.uk

© Ardington School of Crafts Ltd