

There are a number of ways to approach painting your banners:

Because the banners are for indoor display, you can choose to use permanent, waterproof media or non-permanent, water soluble media. Either will work for this project. We will discuss the benefits of each approach. Bring supplies you think you might use.

Note: Please come with an idea for at least one of your banners and the text you'd like to use or be inspired by.

PAPER

Tracing Paper (11x14")

Bring if you have:

Sara Transfer Paper, Graphite & White (comes in a roll, 12'x12")

11x14 Dura-Lar wet media film, 11x14" pad (I use it to see how textures, colors or lettering looks on a design or collage)

INK & PAINT

Bring if you have:

Sumi ink (I like Yasutomo or Moon Palace)

3-5 Color inks (I recommend Dr. Martin's Bombay or Tech Drawing inks)

Acrylic inks (colors you think you will use)

Dr. Martin's Bleed-Proof White

White Sumi ink

Vermillion Sumi ink

Walnut ink

Acrylic paint

Watercolors

Gouache

Gesso

Matte Medium

WRITING TOOLS

Bring if you have:

Various broad edge and pointed pens

Ruling pen, cola pen, folded pen

Automatic pens ($\frac{1}{2}$ " , $\frac{3}{4}$ " , 1")

Favorite pointed brushes (for use with watercolor, ink & gouache)

Favorite flat brushes (for wash and broad strokes)

Cheap house painting brushes (1", 1-1/2" or 2")

Any big brushes

Other unusual writing tools you already have

OTHER MATERIALS

Bring if you have:

3" or 4" soft rubber brayer

Palette Paper Pad

Pencils/graphite stick (you need pencils for thumbnails)

Color brush markers/black felt tip pens/calligraphy pens

Spray paint/graffiti markers

Stencils

Cutting mat

X-acto with #11 blades

Cheap Chinese pointed brushes

Old toothbrush and spritzer bottle

Apron

If you think you'd like to do collage on your banner...

Papers for collage

Glue brushes (White Chinese Bristle Brushes—1-1/2" and 2")

Scissors

Glues (I use Sobo, Yes Paste, Matte Medium and Elmer's Art Paste)