

Life Drawing Materials List

Below is a basic kit list with suggestions of what and where to buy. Please note this is only a guide. You can use whatever medium you like.

As with most art equipment go for the best you can afford, but cheaper brands are fine for practising and experimenting.

Suppliers:

Cass Art (online) https://www.cassart.co.uk - good quality, known brands, can have good deals.

The Range (online and stores) https://www.therange.co.uk - has a fair amount of art equipment at good prices, tend to aim for the known brands though, larger stores are better.

Jacksons Art (online) https://www.jacksonsart.com - good quality for the price, good range. Please remember to use my link below to receive 10% off your first order!

W.H. Smith - larger stores do a good range of single pencils and graphite sticks.

Artesaver sell Seawhites brand, which are a good quality student range of materials at a reasonable price https://www.artesaver.co.uk

 Sketch pad A3 - I prefer a heavier weight to my sketch pads, simply because I can use it for other things as well as drawing! Such as this one below from Cass Art - 200 gsm. You can go for lighter weight if you wish(120gsm would be lighter weight). I have recommended A3 size as I will be using that, but A4 will also work, which is smaller.

I also use the Daler Rowney one - link below.

https://www.cassart.co.uk/surfaces-category/paper-surface/product-type-paper/cass-art-heavyweight-cartridge-pad-200gsm-25-sheets.htm

https://www.cassart.co.uk/surfaces-category/paper-surface/product-type-paper/daler-rowney-red-yellow-spiral-sketchbook-150g-25-sheets.htm

2. Pencils - 2H, HB, B, 2B, 6B or Derwent Graphic Pencil Tin(6 pencils) (link below)

 $\underline{https://www.cassart.co.uk/drawing/pencils/product-type-graphite-pencils/drawing-product-type-graphite-pencils-derwent-graphic-pencil-tin-set-of-6-htm.htm}$

3. Graphite Sticks or **woodless pencils 4B, 6B** (Cass Art - Ko-I-Noor Graphite sticks)(Jacksons Art - Koh-i-Noor Graphite woodless pencils)- sticks are square, woodless pencils have a fine point, either are fine.

https://www.cassart.co.uk/drawing/pencils/product-type-graphite-pencils/koh-i-noor-woodless-graphite-pencils.htm

4. Putty Rubber - Winsor & Newton (Small)

https://www.cassart.co.uk/drawing/accessories-2/rubber/winsor-newton-kneaded-putty-rubber.htm? refSrc=P022222&nosto=productpage-nosto-1

- 5. Rubber- any ordinary pencil rubber
- 6. Charcoal Winsor & Newton box of willow charcoal, assorted sticks

https://www.cassart.co.uk/drawing/pastels-1/charcoal-graphite/winsor-newton-willow-charcoal-assorted.htm

There are also starter sets such as the one on the link below, which have a selection of the above, and might be more cost effective to begin with. There is plenty we can do so we can work with what you have!

https://www.cassart.co.uk/drawing/pencils/product-type-graphite-pencils/koh-i-noor-sketching-set-of-10.htm

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