Watercolor for Beginners (Adults/Young Adults)

Materials:

Item	Where to find/ purchase	Image	Notes
Arches Watercolor Paper	Arches 140lb cold press watercolor paper (comes in size 22"x30"), cut into sizes 4"x6" or 5"x7". If you feel comfortable with a larger piece to work with, feel free to cut accordingly. Available in Hobby Lobby/Blick https://www.hobbylobby.com/search/?text=arches+watercolor&quickview=101562 Note: The side of the paper that has the word "Arches" appearing, is the right side. Make sure to mark the wrong side with a pencil on each of the cut pieces, so you know which is the right/wrong side. OR You can also try Arches 140lb cold press watercolor pad at Hobby Lobby/Michaels/Blick https://www.michaels.com/default/10338217.html https://www.hobbylobby.com/Art-Supplies/Painting-Canvas-Art-Surfaces/Watercolor-Paper-Boards/Arches-Watercolor-Paper-Pad9-x-12/p/6754	ARCHES ACCIDENT ACCID	
Regular watercolor paper for practice	For practice of multiple techniques before we try on Arches, you can get the following: https://www.hobbylobby.com/Art-Supplies/Painting-Canvas-Art-Surfaces/Watercolor-Paper-Boards/Master's-Touch-Watercolor-Paper-Pad6%22-x-8%22/p/101776 OR Use any watercolor paper you might already have	WATERCOLOR PAD	
Watercolor Paints	I typically use "Daniel Smith" and "Sennelier" Artists' paints. If you have these, you may use. Else, if you are an absolute beginner you can get Artists/Student grade TUBES of any one of the following brands: Reeves		

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Watercolor	Preferably synthetic/taklon/sable watercolor brushes – I use "Princeton"	V = 1	
brushes	Round 3 or 4 Round 6 or 8	140	If you already have brushes at home,
	Round 6 or 8Round 0 or 1		please don't buy more
	• Flat ¾"		
	OR you could get the following set	Heritage System to Mill Shake to Add Social Soci	
	https://www.amazon.com/Princeton-Heritage-Warercolor-Synthetic-		
	Professional/dp/B01MYF32QP/ref=sr_1_10?crid=5TOHQC34N8L5&dchild=1&keywords=princeton+watercol		
	$\underline{or+paint+brushes\&qid=1597357402\&sprefix=princeton+watercolor+paint\%2Caps\%2C932\&sr=8-10}$		
White Mixing	Any white paint mixing dish/palette will work	12000	
Dish			
	https://www.dickblick.com/products/eldajon-palette/		
Artist's	This tape can be used to mount the watercolor paper on the clipboard	-	
tape/Mounting		1	
tape	https://www.dickblick.com/items/24124-1012/	THE THE	
(Optional)			

Keep the following materials handy		
A piece of old cloth/rag to blot water from brush	A few paper/ towels	
Not a very pointed/sharp pencil and eraser	2 containers/ buckets/mugs with clean water	
Any stiff board/clipboard to mount the watercolor paper		
Use an easel only if you are comfortable with it		