## Let's Party!

Here's a quick shopping list of recommended supplies for your virtual paint party!


CANVAS
Our standard canvas is an $11 \times 14$ canvas board (sometimes called a panel). You also have the option of a wrapped canvas as seen in the image to the left. Boards look great framed or displayed on an easel, wrapped canvas are easy to hang right on the wall. We like the $11 \times 14$ size because it's the perfect size to display in your home and fits within our time frame to paint. You can use larger canvas but keep in mind larger canvas needs bigger brushes, bigger easels, more paint and more table space. Don't have canvas on hand? No worries - you can paint on paper, wood, cardboard.....use your imagination!

Michaels - Item 10131569 or 10156198
www.Blick.com - Item 07008-1114

## BRUSHES

You will need a variety of flats and rounds - a larger brush for the background, a medium flat brush for shapes and a smaller round brush for the details. Here are some basic sizes:

1) Round Brush \#3 (small detail brush)
2) Round Brush \#6
3) Flat Shade Brush \#8
4) Flat Shade Brush \#12
5) $3 / 4$ " Glaze Wash Brush

Michaels - Item 10435315 or 10369400
www.Blick.com - Item 05890-1019


## PAINT

Your best bet is a water-based acrylic paint. A student grade paint is perfect. At a minimum you want the primary colors (Red, Yellow and Blue) as well as Black and White. To simplify mixing we also recommend Orange, Yellow, Green, Purple and Brown. And for extra fun you can add neons, metallics, shimmers and glitter!

Michaels -Item 10622005 or 10278752*
www.Blick.com - Item 01637-0129
*Or you can opt for individual colors 10402439

## OTHER SUPPLIES

Just a few more odds ' $n$ ends!

- Easel - You don't necessarily need an easel, you can hold your canvas or lay it flat on the table. You can even fashion one out of a pizza box! But if you want to go all out here are a couple of options!

Michaels - Item 10469607 or 10194059
www.Blick.com - Item 50512-1050

- Water Cup - Any cup will do, just make sure it's sturdy enough not to tip over!
- Palette - You can also use a paper plate or plastic lid. Tip - cover your palette with Press 'n Seal to make clean-up a snap!
- Plastic Table Cloth and Floor Covering - Don't forget to protect your space! Most acrylic paint will wipe off a solid surface like tile or linoleum, but take care to cover carpet and padded chairs.
- Apron or Paint Clothes - Because painting is fun but messy!
- Paper Towels - Like we said, messy!

