

# THE MINNESOTA SCHOOL OF BOTANICAL ART

## Pen and Ink 1

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Paper: Strathmore, 500 Series, Bristol plate surface, 11" x 14" pad OR  
2 two-ply sheets cut into quarters

Clearprint Design Vellum, 8 ½ x 11" pad

Ink: Higgins Black Magic Drawing Ink

Drawing

Instruments:

Pencils, 2B, 4H

1 plastic Crowquill Nib Holder, Hunt #9452, Type A

1 plastic Crowquill Nib Holder, Hunt #9454, Type C

Hunt Nibs, sizes 102 (moderately fine) and 104 (very fine)  
(Buy two of each as they may break in use.)

Measuring

Devices:

6" or 12" see through ruler, inch and metric

Alvin 6" plain divider (hinged at one end, opens to form a V)

Other:

Small soft rag – lint free

Exacto knife with fine point #11 blade

Sataedter Mars Plastic eraser

White artists tape

Desirable but not

Essential:

Magnifying glass

Pocket Sharpening Stone (find at hardware store)

Tilt-top drawing board, 16" x 21", Dick Blick - \$27.99

Local Art Stores:

Artworks, Excelsior 952/474-5000

Utrecht, Minneapolis 612/339-3400

Wet Paint, St. Paul 651/698-6431

Please call ahead to confirm that stores have items in stock.

We will be doing scratchboard at some point, but wait to buy any materials.