

## **Alcohol Ink Workshop Supply List – Diane Harper May 5, 2018 Arkansas Art Center**

**Alcohol Inks** in variety of colors (*Pinata* has an “Exciter Pack” with nine colors – this is a good starter kit) including **White alcohol ink** (included in the Exciter Pack if you get the *Pinata* pack)

*Pinata* brand alcohol inks (Art Outfitters can order the Exciter Pack and has some individual inks in stock.)

*Ranger Adirondack* brand alcohol inks (in scrapbooking sections of big box stores)

**Yupo Pad** 5”x7” or larger (synthetic watercolor paper, basically plastic/polypropylene)(Art Outfitters carries and can order)(Optional: any sheets of flat plastic)

**Found Objects** (plastic or metal such as dominoes, washers, flat aluminum, etc.)

**Cotton Swabs** (Optional: Makeup sponges, cotton balls, felt pads, etc)

**Cheap brushes** (Can be cheap brushes that are plastic kids style, or other cheap bristles. Stiff bristles work well)

**Black Sharpie pen, any size** (Optional: *Copic* markers, Sharpies, *Pigma* pens, *Micron* pens, *Spectrum Noir* markers, etc as long as they are alcohol based)

**White Glue (like Elmers squeeze bottle, small)**

**Drinking Straw** (Optional: Compressed Air, *Giottos Rocket Air Blaster* (photographers use these))

**91% Rubbing Alcohol, preferably put in a small spritz bottle**

**Hand Sanitizer**

**Foam Brush, 1-2 inches wide**

**Optional: Regular Gel Medium** (not the runny kind), **Tar Gel or string gel**

A white Ceramic Tile will be provided to each student. More can be purchased from the instructor for a \$1-\$2 depending on size.

Instructor will also bring plastic old credit cards, bubble wrap, stencils, freezer wrap, contact paper, etc. Feel free to bring whatever you may want to experiment on.

Alcohol inks work best on nonporous surfaces.