

# **DRAWING PORTRAITS IN GRAPHITE and/or DRAWING PORTRAITS II**

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## **Suggested Basic Materials List:**

Drawing Paper (good quality) 11'' by 14'' (may go larger if desired)

    Sketch Book (will have texture)

    Smooth Bristol or Vellum (no texture)

Tracing Paper

Scratch paper (non-lined)

Kneaded Eraser

White Eraser

Tortillon blending stumps or blending sticks

Graphite Pencils #2H, F, 2B, 4B, 6B Stay with the same brand

Ruler (best if clear)

Pencil Sharpener

Ball point pen

Wide, soft bristled brush

Masking Tape

Bag or case for materials

Photos to work from

## **Extra – Optional (really nice to have tools)**

Art board (to clip art work to, to get more vertical view, also easier on back)

Pencil extenders (so you can use the whole pencil)

Workable Spray Fixative

The following items are found in the drafting department:

    Draftsman Template to erase small areas or draw shapes

    Circle Template makes accurate eyes (many sizes of circles)

    .5 mm mechanical pencil with variety of leads (always stays sharp)

    Electric Eraser (erases well without damaging the paper and erases the tiny areas)

**Charcoal** – you may work in charcoal if you wish, but the demos will be done in graphite.

    Make sure you use appropriate paper for the medium

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