

TOOLS & SUPPLIES

Below are the tools I recommend and will use for demonstrating in class. You may use different supplies based on your personal preference, but this list is what I recommend for getting started.

NIBS:

I will use [Hunt 101](#) nibs for demonstration. Purchase a minimum of five of the same nib as you may need to replace them throughout the course. Other nibs to consider trying: [Nikko G](#), [Hunt 22B](#), [Leonardt Principle](#)

PENHOLDER:

Oblique holder for right handed calligraphers. Lefties may use a right handed oblique, left handed oblique or a straight holder based on personal preference. DO NOT purchase a Speedball plastic holder.

Recommended options: [Inkslinger 66](#), [Turned Wood Oblique Holder](#), [Moblique 2-in-1](#) (works as an oblique and straight holder)

PAPER:

You can use normal printer paper or a semi-translucent paper. You will place a guide sheet under your paper, so ensure you can see your guides through the paper.

Recommended: [Borden and Riley Marker Layout Bond #37](#), [Canson layout bond](#), [HP Premium Choice Laser Jet](#)

INK:

[Sumi Moon Palace ink](#), [walnut ink](#). You will only need one ink. I will use sumi ink to demonstrate.

OTHER SUPPLIES:

Paper clips, [small jam-size jar](#), water bucket, paper towels, match or lighter, pen and notebook for note taking.