

First Year Studies Materials Checklist

NCAD | Common Entry, Art, Design & Education

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**Studio Checklist**

You will require the following materials and equipment when you commence the course:

**Essential**

* Portfolio A1/A2 size (Can be a simple cardboard or plastic folder)
* A4 Notebook with blank pages
* A selection pencils (ranging from HB to 6B)
* Eraser/Pencil sharpener
* Charcoal (medium willow charcoal and compressed charcoal)
* Chunky black marker
* 1 box of student quality acrylic colour paints –black and white. and cadmium yellow , lemon Yellow, Cerulean blue , ultramarine blue, cadmium red, permanent rose,
* A selection of paint brushes
* Retractable Swan Morton number 3 scalpel and supplier Evans
* Pair of Scissors
* Needle nose pliers (small)
* Metal ruler
* 1 Pritt stick
* Blue/White Tack
* Masking tape, multi pack
* A5 or larger notebook (unlined – plain paper)
* Some paper cups for general use
* Mobile storage box for materials with **maximum** external dimensions of 48cm X 30cm X 63(Suggested supplier Woodie’s). ***or alternative***6***ly*** an old suitcase of **similar** 3cm.

cm : Recommended type : Stanley Mobile Work Centre 48cm X 30cm X

**outside dimensions**. Lockers are also available near the studio spaces to

augment the mobile work centre/storage case which fits under the desk.

**Optional**

* 1 box of chalk pastels (assorted) or 1 box of oil pastels (assorted colours)
* Small claw hammer
* Wire-cutters/Snips
* Glue gun
* Cutting Mat, A3 size in : Evans, or Flying Tiger, Sostrene Groene, Art Supplies

**Reference list will be made available for each project**

**General**

**This is a reference list there is no requirement to purchase these books as they are available in libraries.**

**Where to Source Materials**

Art supply shops include:

* Evans Art Supplies

5-6 Meetinghouse Lane, Mary’s Abbey, Dublin 7.

* Show NCAD acceptance letter to Evans to prove that you are a student, 10% discount.
* Universal Art supplies, 12 Harcourt Street, Dublin.
* Some supermarkets may have special offers on tools.
* Flying Tiger,
* Sostrene Groene

**First Day Studio Checklist**

Check to make sure you have all of the items with you when you start on your first day.

* Your Sourcing Project
* A representative sample of work from your portfolio (include notebooks).
* Art materials/tool kit.
* Storage container ( Tool box, Suitcase - secondhand ) (detailed above) to hold materials and equipment under your desk.
* **Your own working mobile phone number** and an emergency contact number.