

# Gel plate mono printing

### with Barbara Dawson

# Student Requirements List

#### **Essential:**

→ One Gelli ® Plate. size 5" x 7". Or 6 x 6" or similar. See links below. (There will be several plates to share but bringing one of your own is desirable) I will also bring my large Gelli ® Plate to share.

(If you wish to make your own recipe, see links. They are not as strong as commercial plates but will suffice for the workshop. Make this several days before workshop)

- → 60-100ml tubes of water based Acrylic Paint (Aldi or discount store variety will be adequate) In the following colours: red, blue, yellow, white and black. (Please bring pure colours, mixes tend to muddy prints)
- → Paper: One A4 unlined 120-page cartridge paper, wire bound Journal. (minimum 110 gsm) Discount store works well. This is used for your prints and for books.
- → Glue stick
- → If available 1 small lino brayer
- → Packet of baby wipes
- → Chux cloth or similar
- → Plastic bucket or large clean ice cream tub
- → Table covering: Plastic drop sheet or cut up one sturdy large garbage bag or old sheet.
- → Apron
- → disposable gloves if desired.
- → Notebook and pencil

Materials fee \$10 - payable on the day directly to the tutor

This will cover extra paper, heavy duty card in black and white for mounts, cards and concertina book, small frame, PVA glue, thread for book binding and vessels and other paint colours for experimentation.



#### Links:

These links are suggestions only. Try your local discount store first for Journals and Paint and Nowra Art store for Gel Plates or brayers.

## Gel plates, examples only

- https://amandasofmogo.com.au/online-shop/Gel-Press-5-x-7-Mono-Printing-Plate-p201361316
- https://www.edartsupplies.com.au/Gel-Press-Mono-Printing-Plate-5x7.html
- https://www.amazon.com.au/15cm-Gelli-Arts-Printing-Plate/dp/B00DN5PTWI

## **Gelatine plate recipe**

- https://kimherringe.com.au/printmaking/gelatin-plate-printmaking-recipe/
- https://comfortableshoesstudio.com/2022/07/make-your-own-gel-plates/

# **Water based Acrylic Paint**

- https://www.officeworks.com.au/shop/officeworks/p/born-acrylic-paints -60ml-primary-colours-5-pack-bo401172
- https://riot.com.au/products/jasart-byron-acrylic-paint-75ml-tube-red
- or Jolly Olley's or Bargain Store

## **Lino Brayer**

- https://www.arttoart.net/milini-hard-rubber-rollers?gclid=EAIaIQobCh MIuvDM8qn2\_AIV\_5JmAh10cwiUEAQYASABEgLJAfD\_BwE
- or Art store Nowra