

92Y ART CENTER

Art Center – p. 212-415-5562

Comics & the Graphic Novel

Instructor: Josh Bayer

Course Description

Hey writers and artists: is your style quirky and independent, Straightforward and accessible? Spare and gritty? Are you more interested in expressing your emotions, or in describing visceral action? The focus is on workshop activities and short-term projects designed to facilitate a working knowledge of the comic book page.

Supply List

If you prefer, you can wait to get the inking supplies after the first day demo, just come in on the first day with paper and pencil.

- **Pencils**, a standard HB pencil, some hard pencils, such as a 2h, a 3h or a 4h. (Pencils are numbered on the side)
- **Waterproof Black Ink**, (no Higgens please. Suggestions: *Yasutomo, FW, Doc Martin, Speedball Ultra Black*)
- **One Speedball Sketching Nib Set** (also called “mapping” nibs) (These come with black long black holder and a shorter brown pen holder pith multiple nib sizes)
- **Cheap nylon watercolor brushes.** Variety pack of brushes. Brushes should come to a point, be short handled and sized anywhere between .005 and 7.
- **Sketchpad**, (Suggestions: *Bristol Plate Surface, Aquabees Multi Media pad or Fabriano smooth*)
- **Squeezable Whiteout pen** or **standard Whiteout**

Suggested Art Supply Stores:

92Y Art Center Students get discounts when purchasing supplies if the Student ID card is presented.

Blick Art Materials, 1-5 Bond St. (East of Broadway), 212 533-2444 (visit website for additional locations)

New York Central Art Supply, 62 Third Ave. (near 10th St.) 212 473-7705

Jerry's Palette Shop, 111 Fourth Ave. (between 11th & 12th St.) 646-678-5474

DaVinci Art Supply, 170 East 70th St. (between 3rd & Lexington) 212-452-4188