RUTH’S LIST OF SUPPLIES FOR PAINTING A BARN QUILT

Drafted for Basic ‘How-to’ Barn Quilt Workshop

* Graph paper for drawing design
* Crayons or colored pencils for coloring design
* Yard sticks (metal or wood)
* Framing squares (various sizes) plus drywall square for larger boards
* Calculator
* Pencils
* Sponge / artist eraser
* MDO (medium density overlay) plywood / sign board (1/2 inch thick cut to size)
* Primer (recommend—Benjamin Moore Fresh Start High-Hiding)
* Exterior paints (recommend—Benjamin Moore Aura Waterborne Exterior Paint / Low Lustre)
* Paint can opener and hammer (for opening and closing paint cans)
* Paint stirring sticks
* Painters tape (recommend—Frog tape for multi-surfaces or delicate surfaces)
* Plastic sheets for tables (e.g., old heavy shower curtains / not newspaper)
* Drop cloths for floor
* Small plastic bins and/or wooden blocks to elevate board while priming and painting
* Sponge rollers (for doors/cabinets (e.g., Whizz) or art projects (e.g., Loew Cornell)
* Paint brushes and/or sponge brushes
* Paint trays (optional)
* Plastic containers or trays (for use during painting)
* Plastic bags and/or plastic wrap (for rollers and brushes during painting)
* Latex gloves (or equivalent)
* Sanding blocks (e.g., 100, 150, etc.)
* Rags (from old t-shirts)
* Water bucket and/or pan
* Putty knife (plastic or metal for scraping up flecks and bumps)
* X-acto knife / box cutter / razor blade (for trimming painters tape)