

**Yard School of Art at Montclair Art Museum**  
**Collage Exploration**  
**Instructor - Caitlin Kohl**

**Supply List:**

Scissors

Straight edge

X-acto or Utility Knife

Cutting Board OR Self-healing Mat

Glue Sticks (Elmers works just fine)

Golden® Soft Gel Gloss OR Golden® Soft Gel Matte

Cheap Brushes

Pencil + Drawing or writing materials

*OPTIONAL* Zip-Lock Bags (for storing your cut collage material)

*OPTIONAL* Rubber Gloves (if you don't like your hands getting sticky with glue)

**Backing Board (5-8 pieces)**

Backing Board is the surface in-which your collage is attached to. This can be cardboard, mat board, paper, foam core, canvas, wood panel, etc. I prefer Bristol board which is acid free, heavy weight, and has a smooth surface + it is available in different sized pads. Feel free to bring in a wide range of various backing boards.

**Any materials** you would like to use in your collages: including but not limited to, tickets, packaging, marbled & decorative paper, stamps, recycled paper, letters, photos, magazine clippings, newspapers, posters, food wrappers, old artwork, book illustrations, rubber stamps, advertisements, maps, sketches, drawings, blue prints, x-rays, any ephemera you can think of, etc.

In our first class, I will provide a wide assortment of collage materials for you to use. I will share some of the history of collage and show you examples of different collage artist's work. We'll do a shared collage activity, then everyone will be free to pursue their own work with the instructor's support.

Questions: email me at [ckohl01@gmail.com](mailto:ckohl01@gmail.com)

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