

Blackletter Calligraphy

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- <u>Straight Nib Holder</u> (Speedball is a good place to start. Choose according to your budget, aesthetic and comfort choices.)
- Speedball C Set of Nibs
- <u>Higgins</u> Eternal Nonfading Waterproof Ink
- Container for ink /palette
- Borden & Riley Marker Layout Paper, 100 Sheets, 11 x 14
- Rhodia Pad with Graph Grid
- Mechanical Pencil
- 2 matching HB pencils + masking tape or any tape to make a set of double pencils
- Eraser
- Container for Water
- Paper towel / Rag
- Transparent simple Ruler
- Protractor
- Access to black and white printer

Optional

- Pilot Parallel Pen (3 mm preferred size) (if you prefer continuous writing)
- Dinky Dips for Inks
- Tracing Paper
- Blank Envelopes (Any size for Project)
- Heavy Stock colored Paper
- Quality paper such as Arches text wove or BFK Rives
- Colored/ Metallic Calligraphy inks
- Gouache or watercolor paints
- Brush for mixing/loading paint
- Gum Arabic (a thickening agent for inks)
- Easel slant board or any kind of lap board

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