**Course: Materials and Methods: Painting in the elementary classroom**

**Instructor: Paul Noot**

**1 graduate PD credit**

**Course Description:**

This is a great class for the adult to discover the creative side in each of us. Color theory, composition, experimental and basic watercolor/tempera techniques will be taught. The class will give you ideas on projects that can be used in the classroom or for your personal use. The class will also look at integrating art with other disciplines

**Course Objective:**

1. To increase the range of participants’ creative and technical abilities in watercolor painting.
2. Learn and apply the use of color and color mixing.
3. Learn how to critique artwork.
4. To develop a personal way of working.
5. To foster and appreciation of watercolor/tempera painting.
6. Become efficient in watercolor/tempera painting.
7. Use the elements and principles of art to create more effective artworks.
8. Able to plan and implement an art lesson using watercolor/tempera
9. Able to integrate art into other areas of study.

**Textbooks:**

No required text. Reference material will be supplied by the instructor.

**Course Outline:**

1. Discussion and Use of Materials
2. Technical Exercises
3. Landscape Painting
4. Abstract Painting
5. Experimental methods
6. Classroom projects
7. Personal Ideas and Inspiration
8. **Evaluation and Assessment**
9. Sign in sheet
10. **Summary of Session**
11. **Design a lesson**

**Methods and Materials: Painting in the Elementary classroom. (Agenda)**

**June 24 (8 Instructional hours)**

8:00-9:00 am \*Registration

\*Introduction/Goals/Objectives

9:00-10:00 am \* Discussion and use of materials (watercolors, brushes, tempera, paper)

10:00-11:00 am \* Approaches to Watercolor/tempera painting

11:00-12 Noon \* Demonstrate and practice watercolor techniques

12:00-1:00 pm \* Lunch Break

1:00-2:00 pm \* Approaches to Tempera/Acrylic Painting

2:00-3:00 pm \* Demonstrate & practice tempera/acrylic painting technques

3:00-4:00 pm \* Painting Values, shapes and textures

4:00-5:00 pm \* Using Mixed Media approaches

**June 25 (7 Instructional hours)**

8:00-9:00 am \* Improving the painting process

9:00-10:00 am \* What kinds of things could I have my students paint?

10:00-11:00 am \* Abstract, Landscape, and Experimental painting

11:00-12 Noon \* Integrating art projects

12:00-1:00 pm \* Lunch Break

1:00-2:00 pm \* Integrating art projects continued

2:00-3:00 pm \* Integrating art projects continued

3:00-4:00 pm \* Complete Activities, Lesson Plans, Evaluation, Reflection, and Integration

**Total Instructional Hours: 15**

**Event Information:**

**Class Fee:** The class fee is $40.00 and a $50.00 registration for 1 graduate credit through UND. Teachers should register with Sherry Neiser of Bismarck Art & Galleries Association. 701.223.5986. Email [sherry.baga@midcontinent.com](mailto:sherry.baga@midcontinent.com)

Class capacity is 15