



Nature Watercolor Prompt Cards

*35+ Gentle Prompts for
Observational Painting*



How to Use These Prompt Cards

1. Choose a prompt that speaks to you today



2. Gather your supplies and find your subject



3. Paint loosely – observation over perfection



4. Date your work and add notes

SPRING

Paint the first
flowers you see
blooming



SPRING



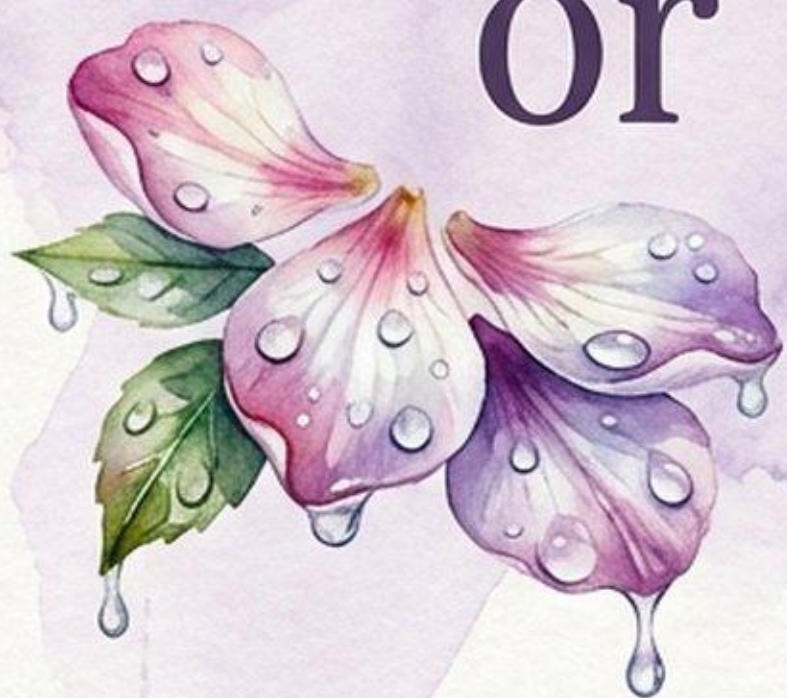
Study the unfurling of a a new leaf



Notes



Capture rain
drops on petals
or leaves



A rectangular area with a light purple border, containing five horizontal dotted lines for writing. Several faint, light purple raindrops are scattered around the lines, including one on the first line, one between the first and second lines, one on the second line, one between the second and third lines, one on the third line, one between the third and fourth lines, one on the fourth line, one between the fourth and fifth lines, and one on the fifth line.

SPRING



Paint a bird nest
or eggs you
discover



A large rectangular area with a dotted border, containing five horizontal dotted lines for writing.

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SUMMER



*Study the patterns in
a wildflower meadow*



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SUMMER



Paint clouds and
their shadows on
the landscape



A large rectangular area with a dotted border, intended for drawing or painting. It contains four horizontal dotted lines for writing or sketching.

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SUMMER



Capture the
shimmer of water
in sunlight



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SUMMER



Study ripe
berries or
summer
fruits





Paint the color
gradient on a
single leaf



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Study mushrooms on the forest floor



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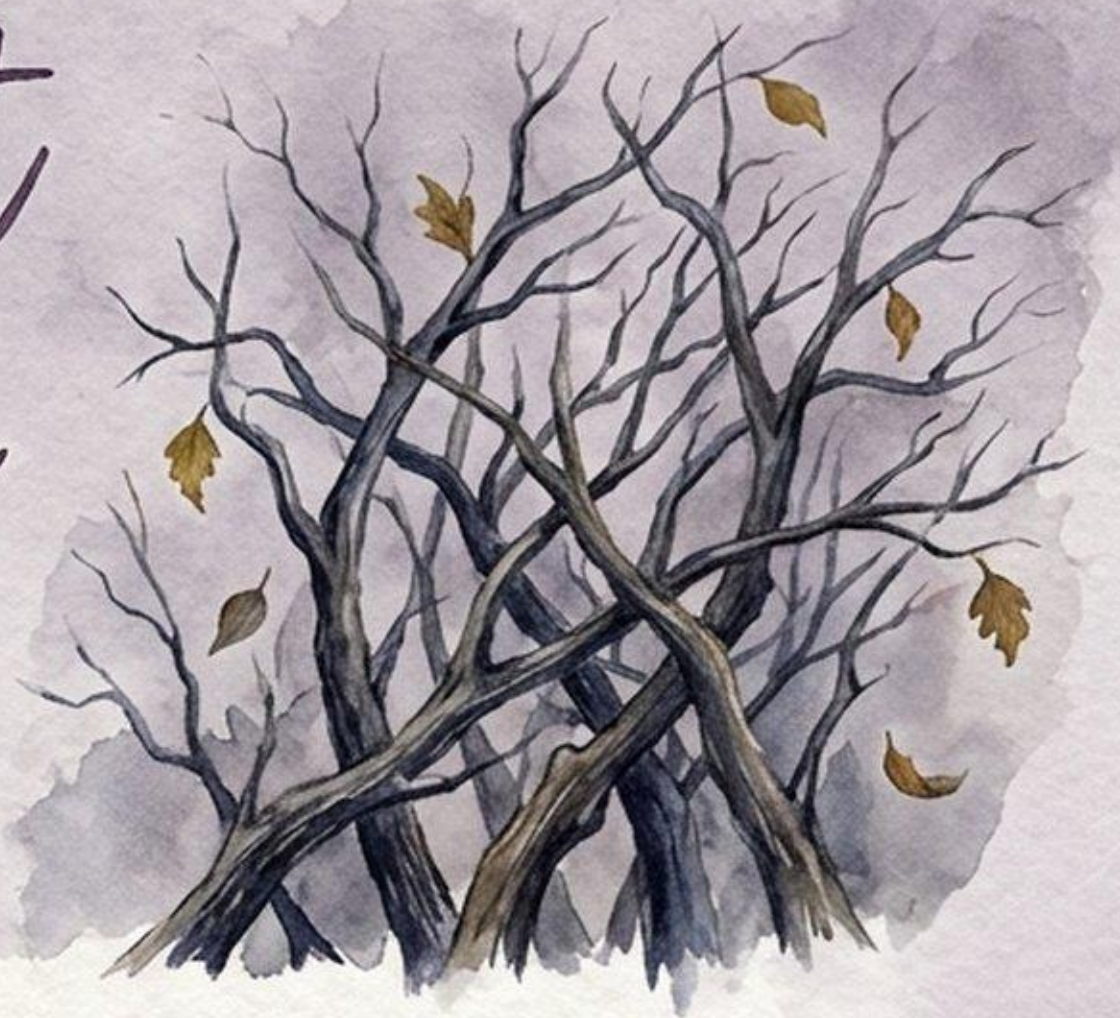
Capture seeds and
seed pods before
they scatter



AUTUMN



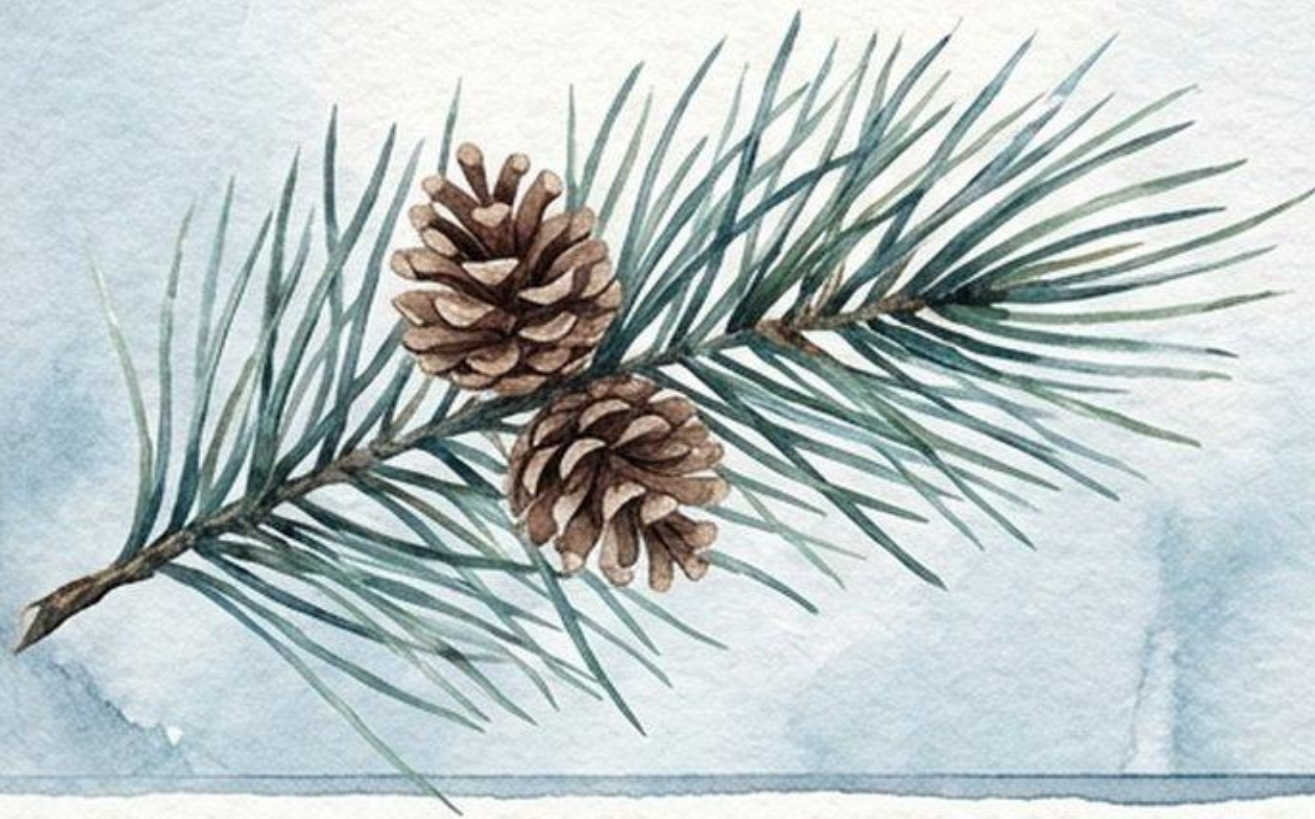
Paint bare
branches
against
the sky





WINTER

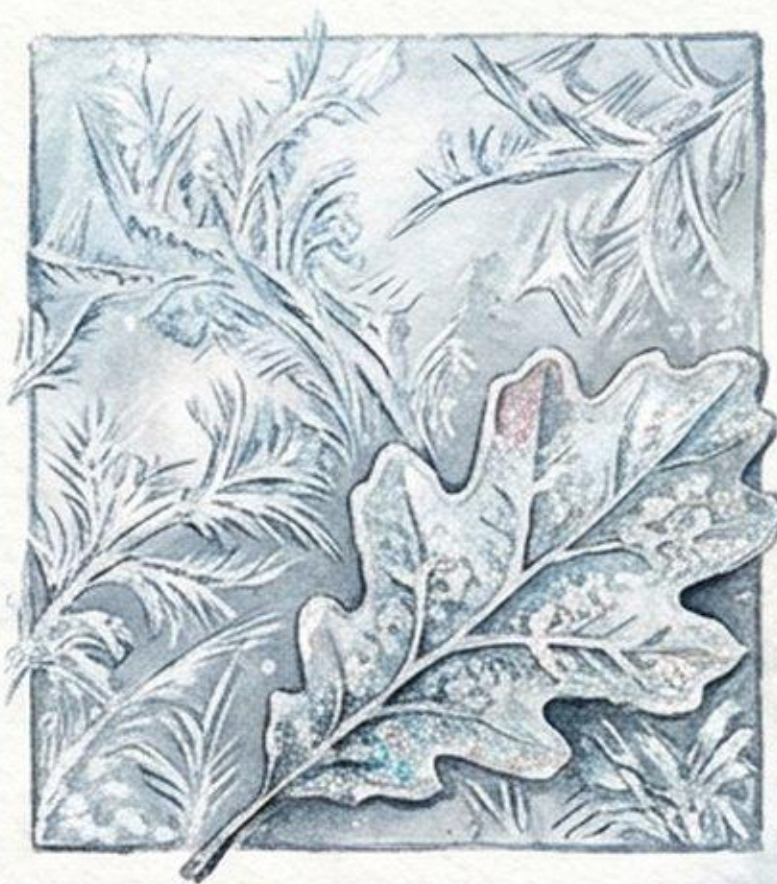
**Study the
texture of
evergreen
needles**



NOTES:

WINTER

Capture frost
patterns
on glass
or leaves



WINTER



Paint dried
flowers or
seed heads in
winter light



NOTES & REFLECTIONS

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