Creativebug is an arts and craft database that offers 1000s of instructional videos and a place to manage and share your projects. Creativebug is suitable for artists and makers of all skill levels and is available for free with a VPL card and PIN.

How to use Creativebug on your desktop:

1. In your browser, go to the Vaughan Public Library homepage: www.vaughanpl.info and click on Articles & Research.

2. Click on C and scroll down until you see the listing for Creativebug. Under Creativebug, click on Available Online.
3. Add your library card number and PIN and click on Login.

4. You will be transferred to the Creativebug registration page to create an account. Add your information including your full name and the email you want to use on this site and create a password. Then click Submit.

5. You will receive a confirmation email and your registration will be complete. Now, you can go directly to creativebug.com and login with your email and password.

6. You can browse different categories like Classes, Inspiration, CBTV and Daily Practice. Click on each to view subcategories.
7. Use the search box to look for a specific topic such as *watercolor*. The smart search function shows you what related topics are available in a drop-down menu.

8. Click on your profile icon on the top right corner to have access to your watchlist, gallery, recently watched, account settings and more.

9. By clicking on each class, you will see further information such as the duration, skill level, the output of the course and more.
10. In the menu bar under the video, click on each option for more information and documentation such as: materials needed, photos and downloaded documents.

Materials

Here’s what you’ll need:

- **Watercolor Paper:**
  - Yao uses Fabriano Artistaico Extra White Watercolor Paper – 11” x 14” 140lb cold press sheets cut to 7” x 10”
- **Watercolor Brushes** - Yao uses round brushes from Princeton Art & Brush brand
  - 4050R series: 0, 12, 10, 24
  - Neptune series: 8
  - Velvetouch series: 4, 8
- **Paints** - Yao uses Windsor & Newton Professional watercolors in:
  - Windsor Yellow
  - Winsor Lemon
How to Use CreativeBug on Mobile:

1. In your browser, go to Vaughan Public Library homepage: www.vaughanpl.info and tap on Articles & Research. Then tap on C.

2. Scroll down until you see the listing for Creativebug and tap on Available Online. Add your library card number and PIN and tap on Login.
3. On the Creativebug registration page you will be asked to create an account with your full name and email. Create a password and tap on submit. You will receive a confirmation email.

4. You can browse different through Classes which are divided into categories and subcategories; or tap on your profile icon to see more custom features.
5. Use the search box to look for a specific topic like *watercolor*. The smart search function shows you what related topics are available.

6. By tapping on each class, you will see further information such as the duration, skill level, etc. and have access to the material list, photos and downloadable documents.