

Communication

Education is a partnership between home and school. We value parent involvement at every level and encourage you to partner with us. In order for this partnership to be effective, we need to be able to communicate

Please feel free to call, write a note, or e-mail us if you have concerns or questions about your child's education. We are always available to schedule a conference to discuss any issue or concern you have regarding your child.

Translators are available at no cost through the Washoe County School District. If you speak a different language, you may request a translator.



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Ceramics 1/2

Wooster High School

Learn the skill set art schools and employers are looking for in a potter, illustrator, art director, creative director, graphic designer, and other related occupations. Pottery makers create dishes, pots and other pieces of artwork. Some ceramic artists focus on making products for everyday use while others handcraft purely decorative or sculptural pieces. Pottery makers can work at companies with other artists, but several are self-employed. While a formal degree is not necessarily required, many pottery makers learn their skills through teaching and participating in ceramics classes and workshops.



Ceramics 1/2 Course Description

This year long (two semesters) course provides students with a major emphasis on the principles and design, advanced ceramic techniques, media and medium.

This course offers exploration of clay construction using hand-building and some potter's wheel techniques.

Students will develop learning skills and learn art history as well as unique processes with hand built projects, throwing on the wheel, firing and glazing.

A more in-depth investigation of art history, art movements, art history, art museums, art appreciation and art shows (Nevada Art Museum free admission). Students are expected to participate in Scholastic Arts as well as various competitions and opportunities to sell their ceramics.

Also included in the yearlong Ceramics 1/2 class:

- Sculptural assignments
- Design theory and 3-dimensional design
- Elements of art
- Principles of design
- Wheel throwing
- Surface Decoration
- Glazing and firing
- Exhibition
- Product Sales

Students will have an opportunity to participate in the creation of exhibits of their work and will submit work to various art competitions.

No prerequisites:



The meaning of Ceramics:



Students will be encouraged to discover ways to increase employability, seek out sources of information on exhibiting artwork, various avenues of employment, and explore information about art societies and institutions.