



HOW TO GET READY FOR YOUR CLAY FOR KIDS CLASSES

- We require a room with access to a sink on the main level or with elevator access as we have heavy materials and supplies to bring for the classes
- For multiple classes, we prefer to be set up in one room for the day with classes of students cycling through
- We will require a demonstration area at the front of the class with room for students to sit on the floor in front of the demo area for the initial introduction and demonstration of steps
- We will need access to a power outlet in the demonstration area

CLAY CLASSES

- Have students sitting in desks/tables in groups of 4-6
- Each participating student will need: 2 paper towels

CLAY + SLIP GLAZE CLASS

- Same as above for clay
- After the students have finished building their project out of clay, instructors will distribute containers of coloured Slip Glaze for each group of 4-6 children to share, plus paint brushes
- Water containers will be used for cleaning brushes between colours

FUSED GLASS CLASS

- Have students sitting in desks/tables in groups of 4-6
- Students will need a pencil to draw their design on the Clay for Kids template
- Students will glue coloured pieces of glass onto a clear base in the chosen size. Wires will be added by the students so that the projects can be hung once completed

POTTERY WHEEL BOOT CAMP + CLAY OR GLASS

- Each student will get to create a bowl on the mobile pottery wheel PLUS a Fused Glass or Clay project (chosen at time of booking) Follow steps for Clay or Fused Glass Class above
- Each student will need a name tag or piece of paper with their name on it (this will stay with their bowl so we can keep track of who belongs to which bowl)
- 3 small tables or 1 large table with access to power + extension cord for the Pottery Wheel work
- Clay for Kids will supply an apron for students to use for the wheel work when it's their turn



GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Please re-arrange any recess times that may fall within the Clay for Kids class session so that we can finish the projects in the allotted time.
- Please inform your instructor if there is going to be a fire drill during the class time
- Your Clay for Kids instructor will arrive 20-30 minutes ahead of the scheduled first class start time to set up and discuss any details about the project.
- The Smart Board can be a great resource to display images for inspiration for class themes. Eg. Arctic Animals, Inukshuks, Lighthouse images ect.

PROJECT FINISHING

All projects will be taken to the Clay for Kids studio at the end of the classes. We will fire the projects in our kiln and return them to the school within 21 days. Projects from Clay + Slip Glaze classes and Pottery Wheel Boot Camp Clay projects will be dipped in clear glaze and fired to a colourful shiny finish.

QUESTIONS & PAYMENT

Questions about your booking or to arrange for payment can be made by contacting the office by phone or email.

Instructors do not handle billing or accept payments in any form.

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Pre-K, Kindergarten & Grade 1 - One volunteer for every group (4-6) of students

Grade 2 & Up – One or two volunteers per class is always helpful but not necessary

Thank you for choosing to create with Clay for Kids!

We look forward to bringing the mobile studio to your school!