SUMMER CAMPS At The Ceramics Center

The Ceramics Center is offering Summer Camps in clay and glass for children ages 5 to 17.

To Register:

- Go online at www.TheCeramicsCenter.org
- Visit the Ceramics Center during business hours
- Call 319-365-9644

Clay camps limited to 12 participants, glass camps are limited to 10 participants. All Camps are structured to accommodate both the beginner and the experienced student.

All materials are included and student will be able to take home their creations. Students MUST wear closed toed shoes for safety and ceramic wheel students should wear old clothes as throwing on the wheel can be messy!

denotes that the cost of the class is discounted to \$75 (members) and \$80 (non-members) for 5 day camps, due to class not being held on July 4th.



Ceramics Center

All Camps will be held at:

The Ceramics Center
The Cherry Building, Suite 117
329 10th Ave SE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52401
Phone: 319-365-9644

www.TheCeramicsCenter.org

Ages 5-8

\$30 (members), \$35 non-members)

Boot Camp 1-A1

This class will introduce your beginning artist to the variety of ways to form clay as well as a day of learning about glass fusing. A variety of products will be produced.

MWF - June 13 to June 17, 9 - 11 am

Storybook Clay

Create clay objects based on your favorite storybooks and fairy tales. Finish your creations using glazes, colored slips and paints.

MWF— July 11 to July 15, 1-3 pm 1-O2 MWF – July 18 to July 22, 9 - 11 am 1-B3

Exploring Glass 1-C4

This class is centered around introducing the students to glass fusing. Using pre-cut glass, they will create projects that may include ornaments and sun catchers.

TuTh - July 26 and July 28, 9 - 11 am

Ages 6-11

\$85 (members), \$90 (non-members)

Minecraft Treasure Boxes and Piggy Banks 2-A1

Students will learn how to make a Minecraft themed piggy bank / treasure box to keep their favorite trinkets and valuables safe from Creepers.

MWF - June 13 to June 24, 9 - 11 am

Wheel Experience 2-L4

Whether this is your first attempt on the wheel or if you are a returning student, there is a lot to experience! Learn the various steps to throwing, then glaze your pieces to be fired.

MTuWThF - August 1 to August 5, 1 - 3 pm

Studio Experience 2-C1

Can't decide what to take? This class alternates between wheel, hand building and glass projects. This is a great class to try it all!

TuTh - June 14 to June 30, 9-11 am

FUNctional Everyday Pottery 2-D1

Create pottery that will make you smile every time you use it! Create one of a kind mugs, bowls, toothbrush holders and so much more!

TuTh - June 14 to June 30, 1 - 3 pm

Egyptian Clay 2-E2 💠

The Egyptians were one of the first cultures to create pottery. In this class students learn about important Archeological discoveries in Egypt and create replicas of artifacts in clay.

MWF - June 27 to July 8, 9 - 11 am (no class July 4th)



A Pirate's Life for Me 2-F2 🍁



Create your own pirate creations: a fantastic ship, treasure chest, parrots or skull and cross bones. Learn the basics of working with clay – coils, slabs, pinch pots and molds. Finish your creations using glazes, colored slips and paints.

MWF - June 27 to July 8, 1 - 3 pm (no class July 4th)

Clay Boot Camp

This class will show you a variety of techniques for working with clay which includes: wheel throwing, coiling and hand building. You will also learn to glaze your pieces and will be introduced to the techniques for firing your creations.

TuTh - July 26 to August 11, 9 - 11 am 2-G2

TuTh - July 26 to August 11, 1 - 3 pm 2-H4

Strange Creatures and Fantasy Pets 2-J3

Create your own personal fantastical pet out of clay. Just bring your imagination to class—this is sure to be fun for everyone! MWF - July 11 to July 22, 9 - 11 am

Mythological Worlds

Use your imagination to create dragons, gnomes and fairy houses! Design, build, add texture and color to your creations to create a fantastical world.

MWF - June 13 to June 24, 1 - 3 pm 2-B1

TuTh - July 5 to July 21, 1 - 3 pm 2-I2

Exploring Glass 2-K4

This class is centered around introducing the students to glass fusing. They will create projects using pre-cut glass that may include 3D bugs, ornaments and sun catchers.

MWF - July 25 to August 5, 9 - 11 am

Clay Unplugged 3-I2

Students can create instruments such as rain sticks, rattles, whistles, drums, etc. out of clay.

TuTh - July 5 to July 21, 9 - 11 am

Ages 11-15+

Animal Designs in Glass 3-A1

Create 3D animals using glass and wire. Add animal prints to glass frames. Design fish or butterfly mobiles. Make garden stakes with an animal theme. Glass included! .

TuTh - June 14 to June 30, 1 - 3 pm

Exploring Glass

Create unique designs and projects as you learn the fundamentals of glass fusing. You will have the opportunity to explore a wide variety of glass materials and techniques. Experience the expressive potential in this exciting medium to make window art, small jewelry pieces, magnets, and ornaments. Glass included!

MWF - June 13 to June 24, 1 - 3 pm 3-B1

TuTh - July 26 to August 11, 1 - 3 pm 3-C4



Mi Amore Majolica 3-J2

Learn this Italian historical painting technique to decorate ceramic items with beautiful bright colors. Create your own vessels or use ones that we've already made.

TuTh - July 5 to July 21, 1 - 3 pm

Wheel Class

Whether this is your first attempt on the wheel or if you are a returning student, there is a lot to experience! Learn the various steps to throwing, then glaze your pieces to be fired.

MTuWThF - June 20 to June 24, 9 - 11 am 3-D1

MTuWThF - June 27 to July 1, 9 - 11 am 3-E2

MWF - July 11 to July 22, 1 - 3 pm 3-F3



Time Traveling in Clay 3-H2 🚖

Students learn about important Archaeological discoveries and recreate artifacts in clay. Possible projects include: Easter Island Heads, Tang Horse, Eye of Horus, Terra Cotta Warriors, Pre-Columbian Toys, and Iznik Tile.

MWF - July 6 to July 15, 9 - 11 am (no class July 4th)



Raku Clay (Ages 11-14+) 3-R2

Make a series of ceramic works to be fired in a raku kiln, a historic Japanese firing method in which pots are heated to 1900 degrees, pulled out hot and placed in a chamber full of combustibles. Learn about the process, the history, and the amazing results that can be achieved through this exciting firing technique.

MWF – June 27 to July 8, 1 - 3:30 pm (no class July 4th) NOTE: July 8th class starts at noon for firing

Anime Figure 3-L4

Students will create a unique figure in this class. They can make a mini-me, an animal or even an action hero with accessories.

MWF - July 25 to August 5, 9 - 11 am

Comic-Clay 3-M4

Students will learn how to transfer their comic book images on to clay projects. We will teach you various techniques to create several KAPAM! and WOW! projects.

MWF - July 25 to August 5, 1 - 3 pm

Clay Boot Camp 3-N4

This class will show you a variety of technique for working with clay including: wheel throwing, coiling and hand building. You will also learn to glaze your pieces and will be introduced to the techniques for firing your creations.

TuTh - July 5 to July 21, 9 - 11 am

Adventures in Science Fiction 3-G2



Create something from your favorite science fiction shows or stories—maybe a magical screwdriver or light saber? MWF – June 27 to July 8, 1 - 3 pm (no class July 4th)

Jewelry Making 3-K3

In this class students will make ceramic jewelry. Make beads, pendants or even a bracelet to wear. Finish your creations using glazes, colored slips and paints.

MWF - July 18 to July 29 1 - 3 pm

High School Summer Internships

Opportunity for Summer Arts Internships

Summer Internships at The Ceramics Center will give you valuable experiences working in a community studio. You will have the opportunity to assist teachers in our Summer Camps, learn to mix glazes, load and fire kilns and help around the studio. In return for 8-10 hours per week, you will receive 25 lbs of clay to build your own artwork and will be able to use any methods we have to fire your work. This is a great opportunity to get some work experience and develop work references.

Application and additional information are available at www.TheCeramicsCenter.org/HighSchoolResidency

Blue is for ages 5-8 Red is for ages 6-11 Black is for ages 11-15+



\$65 for members /\$70 for non-members (5 day camps) \$85 for members / \$90 for non-members (6 day camps) \$30 for members / \$35 for non-members (2-3 day camps)