

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

WELCOME!



THE
CLAY CENTRE



**We are so excited to
welcome you to The
Clay Centre!**

**Keep reading for
information on what
to bring and how to
get here.**





What to bring

Clay Clothes, Aprons & Towels

Please wear appropriate clothing that you don't mind getting messy in, including an apron & a towel.

Short fingernails

In pottery, your fingers are your most valuable tool, if you are wheel throwing, please trim your fingernails before class.

Tools & Clay (Level two wheel and above only)

In level one we supply your tools and clay however level two & above students will need to supply their own. This can be purchased from our shop, Does not apply to hand building

How to get here

145 Marua road, Ellerslie

We are located on a busy road in the heart of Ellerslie. Right next door to Safe Car Mechanics.

We also have the 751 bus stop on our front door step and are only a short distance from both the Ellerslie & Panmure train stations.



Where to park?

We have 9 off road parking spaces, all directly in front of The Clay Centre and our garages to the left. Don't worry about blocking each other in.

Once these parks are filled you are welcome to park behind the Clay Centre.

Please do not park to the right of The Clay Centre, these parks belong to other businesses.



When will the pots be ready for collection?

Please allow 2 - 3 weeks for your pots to emerge from their glaze firing, the firing alone can take up to 3 days, our kilns serve multiple classes and have limited capacity.

Please wait for us to email you, if we haven't emailed you, your pots are not ready.

If you do not collect your pots within one month of receiving the collection email, we reserve the right to dispose of them as we see fit.

What if:

I Cant find my pots?

Provided you have received your collection and your pots are done - We do our best to keep everything together however we cannot stop someone else picking up your work. Please make sure your work is stamped with the class stamp and named clearly.

My pots have a crack on the bottom

This is usually called an S crack and can be caused by numerous things such as not enough compression, the base being too thin or too much pressure during trimming. This is just part of the ceramic journey.



Contact

Hours:

Mon - Friday - 9:00 - 5:00pm

Saturday - 9:00 - 12:00 pm

Phone: 09-525 0216

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(or just respond to this email)

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