

# Welcome to Ceramics!

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You and/or your parents need to join my remind by texting @austinclay to 81010 - this will allow you to get due date reminders and other news. You can also join us on Facebook by searching for AHS Art or you can go to [www.facebook.com/pages/AHS-Art/212107215467922](http://www.facebook.com/pages/AHS-Art/212107215467922) and like our page!



## POTTERY TOOL KIT

### Supplies:

1 Pottery tool set - this can be as fancy as you want, but it must include:

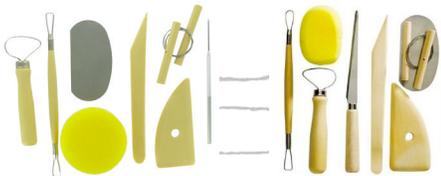
- 1 needle tool
- 1 sponge
- 1 wooden rib
- 1 metal rib
- 1 bamboo tool with tapered tip & point
- 1 wire cut-off tool
- 1 large loop tool
- 1 double ended loop trimming tool

This is usually sold as a set.

Pencils

Erasers

Handheld pencil sharpener



**Students who have been absent are responsible for requesting and completing all missed work.**

### Studio Hours

will be available both before and after school so that you may work in the art department. Days and times will be announced shortly after school begins.

**Grades** are based on projects (effort, time spent in producing, planning, mastery of media, finished result) and communication and participation (discussion with instructor/other students, participation, critiques, reflections, clean up). Practice and planning are considered sketchbook/daily work and are 25% of the grade. Finished projects are 75%. Each day a project is late, the grade is lowered by 10 points. If you think you will miss a deadline, come talk to me! Because we have to fire the kiln on certain dates, you really need to have work in on time. Also, if you show up to class without required items (tools, pencil, completed sketches, etc.), you will be required to work in the art department for the class period scrubbing sinks, recycling clay, or whatever is needed. You will have to make up missed work from the class period on your own time.

Want to know what you're going to learn?  
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