PROJECT CRITERIA:

Students will create a village shop using white clay body, hand-building techniques, and sculpture techniques.

Ideas: Flower Shop, Camera Shop, Cheese Shop, Jewelry Shop, Auto Shop, Hardware Store, Gas Station, Classic Dinner, Pottery Studio, Art Supply Shop, Pizza Shop, etc.

PROJECT INSTRUCTIONS:

- Student will begin this ceramic project by creating a sketch of each side of their building.
- Understanding what each side of their architectural building will look like, students will begin constructing their building with slabs.
 - Slabs will need to be strongly supported on the inside to ensure they do not slump or collapse.
- With all four walls of their architectural building standing, students will begin adding identifiable additives to their building.
 - For example, on a flower shop students may create a sign with the words 'Flower hop along with a large flower. Students may also begin to create texture for different types of materials on the front of their building.
- When all details have been added and/or sculpted carefully, students will sign their name in a discrete location and leave their clay project of the shelf to begin drying for bisque fire.

