

## KS2 & 3 Curriculum overview: *Subject Pottery* ( Topics may be liable to change)

Autumn 1	<p><b>Topic:</b> Thumb pot Looking at sculptures of bugs and their colours and patterns</p> <p><b>Skills:</b> Manipulating clay into shape using thumbs to achieve two cup like shapes – joining them together with slip</p>
Autumn 2	<p><b>Topic:</b> Containers Looking at coiled pots made by other ceramists</p> <p><b>Skills:</b> Making coils, joining and smoothing</p>
Spring 1	<p><b>Topic:</b> Test tiles Sgraffito, Applique, Cutting away, wax resist</p> <p><b>Skills:</b> Applying ceramic techniques onto tiles</p>
Spring 2	<p><b>Topic:</b> Slab work Looking at slab work by other ceramicists</p> <p><b>Skills:</b> Use techniques explored on test tiles to make slab container – using rolling pin and guiders</p>
Summer 1	<p><b>Topic:</b> Sculpture Understanding form, texture and colour Applying colour completing form</p> <p><b>Skills:</b></p>
Summer 2	<p><b>Topic:</b> Combinations Designing own container</p> <p><b>Skills:</b> Using all skills (techniques) learnt throughout year to make own object</p>

**KS4 Curriculum overview: Subject Pottery ( Topics may be liable to change)**

	<b>Year 10</b>	<b>Year 11 GCSE year</b>
<b>Autumn 1</b>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Course work: Choose one of the three following techniques Sculpture – Slab - Coil Research GCSE Pottery three portfolios – Showing techniques – examples – and annotation throughout the two years for all pieces of course work <b>Skills:</b> Making test tiles</p>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Final piece of course work or finalizing second piece of course work Research for final piece of course work <b>Skills:</b> Applying learnt knowledge to course work</p>
<b>Autumn 2</b>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Course work: Sculpture – Slab - Coil <b>Skills:</b> Learning new techniques Acquiring knowledge from ceramic artists</p>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Continuing and finalizing course work and portfolios <b>Skills:</b> Applying all learnt knowledge to course work and portfolios</p>
<b>Spring 1</b>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Course work: Sculpture – Slab - Coil <b>Skills:</b> Slipping and scoring - Applying techniques Acquiring knowledge of ceramics from other nations</p>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Starting point GCSE Art and Design controlled task Research and develop personal ideas Portfolio references – drawings - designs Marquette</p>
<b>Spring 2</b>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Course work: Sculpture – Slab – Coil Finalising first piece of course work <b>Skills:</b> Glazing</p>	<p>GCSE Art and Design controlled task Research and develop personal ideas Finalise personal ideas</p>
<b>Summer 1</b>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Second piece of course work Research <b>Skills:</b> Sgraffito – slip trailing – stencils – pinching – hand building – relief work</p>	<p>GCSE Controlled exam</p>
<b>Summer 2</b>	<p><b>Topic:</b> Finalising second piece of course work <b>Skills:</b> Applying decoration</p>	<p>Finalise any unfinished pieces of course work and portfolios  <b>Exhibition</b></p>

