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MASTER COURSE OUTLINE
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COURSE TITLE
Ceramics II

GENERAL COURSE INFORMATION
Dept.: ART   Course Num: 122   (Formerly:)
CIP Code: 50.0711   Intent Code: 11   Program Code: N/A
Credits: 2-5
Total Contact Hrs Per Qtr.: 33-66
Lecture Hrs: 11-44   Lab Hrs: 22   Other Hrs: 0
Distribution Designation: Humanities Performance/Skill HP

COURSE DESCRIPTION (as it will appear in the catalog)
Ceramics II continues in experiments and design in clay applied to pottery and sculpture by throwing on the pottery wheel, glazing and kiln firing.

PREREQUISITES
ART 121 or instructor permission

TEXTBOOK GUIDELINES
None

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES
Upon successful completion of the course, students should be able to demonstrate the following knowledge or skills:
1. The students will demonstrate knowledge of basic processes involved in making raw clay into finished objects.
2. The students will be able to wedge, form clay by throwing methods and apply glaze.
3. The students will complete 6-12 well conceived and executed pieces by the end of the class.
4. Demonstrate a knowledge of three-dimensional form.
5. Apply design elements and principles to pottery form.
6. Demonstrate a knowledge of throwing on the wheel.
7. Learn the basic principles in glazes and decorative processes.

INSTITUTIONAL OUTCOMES
None

COURSE CONTENT OUTLINE
1.   Preparation for ceramics
        A.   Exercise in clay - stoneware
        B.   Wedging the clay
        C.   Tools and equipment

D.   Clay bodies - stoneware, porcelain, and earthenware
2.   Clay construction
    A.   Center clay on the wheel
    B.   Throw a plate, bowl, and a cup
3.   Decorative processes and glazes
    A.   Slip decoration - (engobes)
    B.   Glaze color
    C.   Overglaze
    D.   Glaze mixing and application
4.   Firing the kiln
    A.   Lecture for pottery firing
5.   Critique after each project

DEPARTMENTAL GUIDELINES *(optional)*
PO5 should be assessed: Students will be able to solve problems by gathering, interpreting, combining and/or applying information from multiple sources.

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DIVISION CHAIR APPROVAL   **DATE**