

MISSA 2019

RAKU – Ellen Statz

Student Supplies:

- Clay: ½ to one box Stoneware with some grog. Cone 6 to 10. For cone six firing, F97. For work to be raku fired, I prefer Laguna WSO cone 10.
- Bisque Ware: White stoneware (such as Laguna WSO Cone 10) fired to cone 06. Five to ten pots, most 6” tall by 5” wide. Time and kiln space permitted, one or two larger pieces may be accommodated.
- Rolling pin & slats (for slabs)
- Canvas or other work surface
- Ware boards (2 to 6, 6” to 8” square)
- Banding wheel
- Felt pen
- Thin plastic wrap to cover work
- General assortment of handbuilding tools
- Pin tool
- exacto knife
- tooth brush
- wooden spoon
- small hand roller
- soft rib
- firm rib
- Flexible metal rib
- one or two small yellow Sponges
- one or two larger sponges
- ruler
- pencils
- At least 2 paint brushes for clay work (**size 6 round, and size 8 or 10 flat**)
- 2 inexpensive brushes for work with rubber molds (**Flat, size 10 or 12**)
- For Raku Firing: A variety of brushes – sizes 00 to 6 (**watercolour brushes work best**)
- small lidded containers to hold glaze (250 to 500 ml size)
- Felt pen and masking tape to label containers
- 2 500 ml containers
- Green type “scrubbies” for post firing clean up
- Sponges and buckets for clean-up
- Old hand-towels
- newspapers

OPTIONAL:

- Black water based shoe polish – “Kiwi Colour Shine, Premier Instant Polish, 75 ml size
- Masking tape (optional) ¼ inch & ½ inch
- Disposable gloves (optional)
- Raku tongs/gloves (optional)
- Protective jacket, helmet with heat shield, and heat resistant gloves Suggested: Respirator

MANDATORY: No flammable clothing or open toed shoes to be worn during raku firing

Please bring packing materials to safely transport your work home.

PLEASE LABEL YOUR SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT!

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Supply questions may be directed to the instructor: Ellen250 at shaw.ca Replace “at” with the @ symbol. All other questions should be directed to missa@missa.ca