

COURSE TITLE	BEGINNERS WHEEL THROWING
COURSE CODE	D2501C002
TUTOR	VIOLAINE VERRY
START DATE	23/09/2025
DAY & TIME	TUESDAYS, 3PM - 5:30PM
LEVEL	BEGINNERS
LOCATION	BANKSIDE CAMPUS

DAILY BREAKDOWN

Date	Topics/Skills covered	What to bring
23 September 2025	Health and Safety. Intro to the process of making, trimming, drying, firing and glazing pots. Practical demonstration of centering and opening a pieces of clay on the wheel, then how to pull up the walls to form a pot. Times to try out these basic steps and practice your skills	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel for your hands
30 September 2025	Demonstration on making a cyclinder, with emphasis on pulling up straight, even walls. Practice centering and opening a lump of clay and pulling up straight walls	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel for your hands
7 October 2025	Demonstration on making small bowls. How to open and pull up the walls to create a smooth curve inside the bowl. Practice on centering and making small bowls with soft curved walls.	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel for your hands
14 October 2025	You will neaten and tidy the pots previously made through a process called trimming. Choose your best pieces to be fired	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel for your hands
21 October 2025	Your pots will have been fired and now you can decorate with brush on glazes	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel for your hands