

COURSE TITLE	WHEEL THROWING FOR BEGINNERS: MUGS
COURSE CODE	EC2504C005
TUTOR	ELLA CAIRNS
START DATE	08/07/2026
DAY & TIME	WEDNESDAYS, 6.30PM - 9PM
LEVEL	BEGINNERS
LOCATION	BANKSIDE CAMPUS

DAILY BREAKDOWN

Date	Topics/Skills covered	What to bring
8 July 2026	<p>Health and Safety Intro to the process of making, trimming, drying, firing and glazing pots. Practical demonstration of wedging, centering and opening a pieces of clay on the wheel, then how to pull up the walls to form a pot. Time to try out these basic steps and practice your skills</p>	Old clothes and shoes, apron and old tea towel for your hands
15 July 2026	<p>Demonstration on wedging clay and making a cylinder, with emphasis on pulling up straight, even walls. Practice centering and opening a lump of clay and pulling up straight walls</p>	Old clothes and shoes, apron and old tea towel for your hands
22 July 2026	<p>You will neaten and tidy the pots previously made through a process called trimming. Add handles to make cups and mugs. Choose your best pieces to be bisque fired.</p>	Old clothes and shoes, apron and old tea towel for your hands
29 July 2026	<p>Your pieces will have been fired and now you can decorate with glazes</p>	Old clothes and shoes, apron and old tea towel for your hands