

COURSE TITLE	WHEEL THROWING FOR BEGINNERS: VASES
COURSE CODE	EC2504C015
TUTOR	VIOLAINE VERRY
START DATE	07/07/2026
DAY & TIME	TUESDAYS, 6:30PM - 9PM
LEVEL	BEGINNERS
LOCATION	BANKSIDE CAMPUS

DAILY BREAKDOWN

Date	Topics/Skills covered	What to bring
7 July 2026	Health and Safety, and run through of the course structure. Practical demonstration of throwing a cylinder, enabling participants to practise centering, opening, and pulling. Participants can practice throwing multiple cylinders, and slice one to study their walls.	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel
14 July 2026	Throwing a taller cylinder, bellying out/collaring in/shaping the rim to make a vase – encouraging participants to explore how they can change the shape of their clay	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel
21 July 2026	Trimming technique demonstration: this process eliminates excess clay and refines the shape of your piece. You will choose your best pieces to send to the first firing.	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel
28 July 2026	Your pots will have been fired and now you can decorate with brush on glazes before a second firing is done..	Old clothes and shoes, apron, an old tea towel

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