

Master the Pottery Wheel

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Join the LUX Ceramics Community!

Come join our lively clay community! A variety of options are available for kids and adults at the LUX Ceramics Center to engage with clay, art, and community. Whether you have never touched clay or have a degree in art, the Ceramics Center is here to meet the needs of ceramic artists and clay enthusiasts at every level.

- Learn ceramics from beginner basics to advanced forms and techniques.
- Create alongside a diverse community of clay enthusiasts and skilled makers.
- Experience the joy of making your own pottery to enrich your daily life and rituals.
- Grow into a Studio Member or Fellow to receive perks – like discounts on clay, classes, and in the gallery; access to clays + glaze; open studios hours and more.

Are you clay curious? Check out our website for full details on current class offerings, memberships, and more!

Visit: www.luxcenter.org/ceramics

Your journey in clay starts here!



Program	Length	Description	Prerequisite
Level 1			
Experience the Wheel	3 Weeks	Designed for people with no background in clay looking to experience the wheel in an easy and no-stress environment.	N/A
Intro to Wheel Throwing	4 Weeks	An introduction to the fundamentals of the pottery wheel for students with little or no wheel throwing experience.	N/A
Throw with a Cup of Joe	4 Weeks	Join us for community and coffee in this 4-week class which introduces beginning students to wheel throwing and allows more experienced students time to hone their skills.	N/A
Level 2			
Beginner PLUS Wheel Throwing*	6 Weeks	A continuation of the fundamentals of wheel throwing. Students will dive a little deeper into the basics of throwing, trimming, and glazing by experimenting with different forms and refining techniques.	Intro to Wheel Throwing or equivalent experience recommended
Level 3			
Intermediate Wheel Throwing*	6 to 8 Weeks	Includes other Intermediate specialty classes – Students will build skills and fluency with clay by exploring the foundations of the pottery wheel as they gain the skills and confidence to take on more complex forms. Students will learn, in depth, about the process of turning clay into ceramic including drying stages and moisture management, firing processes, decorating techniques, fixing mistakes, planning forward, and more.	Beginning Wheel Throwing or equivalent experience required
Level 4			
Advanced Wheel Throwing*	6 to 8 Weeks	Includes other Advanced specialty classes – Advanced Wheel Throwing is a class designed for those ready to take their pottery to the next level by developing their unique voice in clay. Using a mix of fun exercises, thoughtful assignments, and thorough demonstrations, students will learn to hone their throwing skills and sharpen their critical thinking.	Intermediate Wheel Throwing or equivalent experience required

* Levels 2 and up includes Open Studio time.
Please refer to the schedule posted in the Ceramics Center and online.