COURSE TITLE: Intro to Ceramics							
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ESSENTIAL QUESTION(S)	<ul> <li>How does an artist manipulate clay to create pinch pots?</li> <li>What specific properties does clay need to have for it to be sculpted?</li> <li>How can color and line be used to visually enhance a pinch pot?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>How does an artist manipulate clay to create coil vessels?</li> <li>How do the limitations/boun daries of clay impact the creation of coil vessels?</li> <li>How does the combination of coiled designs, patterns, and empty spaces affect the overall form of the vessel?</li> <li>How can color be used to visually enhance a coil vessel?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>How does an artist manipulate clay to create a vase?</li> <li>How can sgraffito designs and iconography affect the overall form of a vase?</li> <li>How can color and contrast affect the aesthetics of a vase?</li> <li>How do artists create visual connections between designs and personal experiences/emotions?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>How does an artist manipulate clay to create a slab box?</li> <li>How can cultures influence the design choices of a slab box?</li> <li>How can design choices be used to create an aesthetic specific to a culture?</li> <li>What characteristics are needed to make a functional lidded box?</li> </ul>			

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CONCEPTS	<ul> <li>Criteria to         evaluate a work         of art</li> <li>Practice and         persistence         lead to         acquisition of         skills and         knowledge</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Criteria to         evaluate a work         of art</li> <li>Practice and         persistence lead         to acquisition of         skills and         knowledge</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Criteria to evaluate         a work of art</li> <li>Practice and         persistence lead to         acquisition of skills         and knowledge</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Criteria to evaluate a work of art</li> <li>Practice and persistence lead to acquisition of skills and knowledge</li> <li>Culture, traditions, and history related to art</li> </ul>

SKILLS	<ul> <li>Establishing criteria for evaluation</li> <li>Evaluating works of art using specific criteria</li> <li>Experimentation, practice, and persistence</li> <li>Demonstrating skills and knowledge in a chosen art form</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Establishing criteria for evaluation</li> <li>Evaluating works of art using specific criteria</li> <li>Experimentation, practice, and persistence</li> <li>Demonstrating skills and knowledge in a chosen art form</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Establishing criteria for evaluation</li> <li>Evaluating works of art using specific criteria</li> <li>Experimentation, practice, and persistence</li> <li>Demonstrating skills and knowledge in a chosen art form</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Establishing criteria for evaluation</li> <li>Evaluating works of art using specific criteria</li> <li>Experimentation, practice, and persistence</li> <li>Demonstrating skills and knowledge in a chosen art form</li> <li>Describing their knowledge of culture and history in art</li> <li>Understanding the influence culture has on their personal responses to art.</li> </ul>
PERFORMANCE TASK/SUMMATIVE	Pinch Pot	Coil Vessel	Sgraffito Vase Project	Cultural Slab Box
VOCABULARY				