

COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE

COURSE OUTLINE

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A. Identification

1. Subject Area: ART
2. Course Number: ART 281
3. Course Title: Advanced Ceramics Workshop
4. Credit Hrs: 3
5. Catalog Description:

A course for students interested in further developing artistic expression and skills in order to pursue personal artistic goals in ceramics. Prerequisite: ART120, ART121, or consent of instructor. One lecture. Five lab.

B. Course Goals:

Students will establish personal goals for the semester in discussion with the instructor and other students and write them up as a learning contract. Individual goals will reflect the students' interests in working with ceramic material use and content. Students will develop and present work that demonstrates successful completion of their goals.

C. Course Outcomes:

Students will:

1. Establish personal goals for their work during the semester
2. Produce a body of work in ceramics media of their choice that explores the media and themes of interest to the student
3. Participate in class critiques of student work
4. Examine and discuss with the class the work of ceramic artists and/or sculptors relevant to their course goals
5. Demonstrate development of skills in ceramics material use and personal expression as they address the goals established by the student at the beginning of the semester
6. Demonstrate a high level of craftsmanship in finished projects

D. Course Content:

Will include:

1. Class discussion of students' past work
2. Students establish goals for the semester and develop a timeline and written contract
3. Individual research into the work of artists that are of interest to the student based on their goals for the semester
4. Advanced techniques in ceramics
5. Presentation of students research on other artists
6. Individual work to meet established goals
7. Critiques of student work
8. Final evaluation by class and instructor