

Text: The Mud-Pie Dilemma by John Nance This course is designed for the experienced student. Though a series of structured assignments and focused direction you will explore advanced clay forming glazing and firing techniques while expanding your aesthetic awareness. You will learn to control clay and glazes while acquiring recipes for clay bodies, glazes and slips and engobes.

These are the class minimum requirements that will only receive a passing grade.

Assignment: and make objects from your clay. You will make 5 pounds of earthenware, stoneware and porcelain clay. Create a 3 clay bodies and glaze book. You are to collect at least 35 cone 10 glazes.

Assignment: 2 bottles – one must be thrown and the other hand built they must have stoppers They must be no smaller than 12” tall in the greenware state.

Assignment: 4 matching thrown or 6 hand-built plates. They must be no smaller than 11” in dia. or across in the green ware state. The thrown plate must have a trimmed foot.

Assignment 4 matching mugs within 1/8<sup>th</sup> of an inch.

Assignment: Pitchers – 1 large pitcher it must be no smaller than 10”in tall in the green ware state.

Assignment: make 2 large bowls no smaller than 8 ” high and 10’ in dia. in the greenware state

Assignment: create a lidded vessel no smaller than 8” x4” in the greenware state. Possible items jar, casserole, container and it must have lid, knobs, handles, and trimmed foot.

Assignment: create 1 teapots no smaller than 7” high in the greenware state and must function.

Assignments create sculpture one piece must be figurative in nature the other is your own devices, but forewarned no Native American copies or Southwest or Santa Fe style work. The forms must to be no smaller than 12” in height and 7 in breath.

Grade Mark	Grade meaning
A	Superior work / Exceptional work, design, composition, technique
B	Above average work/ Excellent work, design, composition technique
C.	Average work / meet requirement, average work, design, composition and technique
D.	Below average work / Poor design, composition, and technique
F.	Failure / did not meet requirement

A suggestion: You should consider making one or two extra pieces in case of brakeage in the firings, this is just a suggestion. I only grade assigned finished glazed fired ware.

### University Course Withdrawal Policy

The last day to drop a course or to totally withdraw from the University will be Nov. 10th, 2020. Withdrawal grades will be indicated by W.

### University Honor Code

Angelo State University expects its students to maintain complete honesty and integrity in their academic pursuits. Students are responsible for understanding the Academic Honor Code, which is contained both in print and web versions of the *Student Handbook*.

### ADA Compliance

Persons with disabilities which may warrant academic accommodations must contact the Audrey Wilson, Room 112 University Center, in order to request such accommodations prior to any accommodations being implemented. You are encouraged to make this request early in the semester so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

### **Course Syllabus Statement on Required Use of Masks/Facial Coverings by Students in Class At Angelo State University**

As a member of the Texas Tech University System, Angelo State University has adopted the mandatory Facial Covering Policy to ensure a safe and healthy classroom experience. Current research on the COVID-19 virus suggests there is a significant reduction in the potential for transmission of the virus from person to person by wearing a mask/facial covering that covers the nose and mouth areas. Therefore, in compliance with the university policy students in this class are required to wear a mask/facial covering before, during, and after class. Faculty members may also ask you to display your daily screening badge as a prerequisite to enter the classroom. You are also asked to maintain safe distancing practices to the best of your ability. For the safety of everyone, any student not appropriately wearing a mask/facial covering will be asked to leave the classroom immediately. The student will be responsible to make up any missed class content or work. Continued non-compliance with the Texas Tech University System Policy may result in disciplinary action through the Office of Student Conduct.

Only officially registered ASU Students or registered audit students are allowed in class during class times. If you are a parent of a student in the San Angelo Independent School District or surrounding school districts, you are responsible for daycare for them if their school schedule does not match with ASU's schedule. Please do not bring your children to class with you.

Silence all cell phones during my class, if your phone rings I get to answer it (I'm not kidding). If you do not want to follow this policy I will ask you to leave and this will be considered an unexcused absence. In case an emergency your party can contact the Department of Visual and Performing Arts at 325-942-2085, ext 221 and they will get you the message or get you out of class.

Materials needed:

Kemper tool kit	scissors
Plastic bucket (5qt ice cream bucket)	sand paper
Brush (es) for wax and decoration #8	scouring pads
Cloth pins (8)	drawing pad 12"x9"
Working clothes	extra clay
Spray bottles	plastic bags
Ruler	4-two gallon zip lock plastic bags

I have received, read and understand the copy of this course Art 3332 syllabus and information sheet.

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