

Hands In Clay An Introduction To Ceramics

What can you do with clay? Anything you want. For all that you can make with it, clay is an artist's dream--the perfect way to add more "mix" to your mixed-media art. But if the baking and firing it usually requires aren't your thing, you've come to the right book! In *Mixed Media in Clay* you'll use this traditional medium in excitingly different ways (no oven or kiln needed), and we'll also explore a wide array of alternative clays and clay-like options (resin, plastic, paper mache, plaster and more, even homemade recipes) and the many surprising ways you can use them. Create jewelry beads or a large sculpture. Produce a print or a textural background for a painting. Cast a replica or a replacement part. Create art big and small. There's no limit what you can do with clay and its creative cousins! Darlene Olivia McElroy and Pat Chapman expertly guide the way with plenty of inspiration, ideas, techniques and troubleshooting tips. Inside you will find:

- 19 chapters covering printing, casting, molding, armatures, sculpting, pouring, dipping and more
- 12 types of clay and alternatives (including resin clay, paper mache, plaster, fiber paste and Critter Clay, powdered clay and more) plus recipes for six make-at-home clay mediums
- More than 130 techniques, more than 40 tips and countless project ideas
- Access to exclusive online content--4 full step-by step projects and even more tips and techniques

So, what are you waiting for? Let your clay-play adventures begin!

'Leerschool van Tara Westover is een gelaagde zoektocht naar een persoonlijk bewustzijn.' * * * * - Freek de Jonge in de Volkskrant 'Dit is een ongelooflijk boek [...] Ik kan niet begrijpen dat ze bij De Wereld Draait Door, dat boekenpanel, niet meteen heeft geroepen 'dit is fantastisch, dit moet je lezen, dit is ongelooflijk'. - Maarten 't Hart 'Schitterend. Er gaat niets boven het ontdekken van een jonge schrijver met zoveel kracht en talent.' - Stephen Fry 'Het is het indrukwekkende en schrijnende verhaal van een vrouw die zich met veel moeite weet te ontworstelen aan een gezin waarvan de ouders afzondering zoeken van de wereld, en de pijn die de breuk veroorzaakt.' - Trouw Al op jonge leeftijd moeten Tara en haar zes broers en zussen risicovol werk verrichten in het bedrijf van hun vader. Ze leren een heftruck te besturen en verzamelen schroot op het erf om in het onderhoud van de familie te voorzien. Het gezin leeft zo afgesloten van de gemeenschap dat er niemand is om Tara te onderwijzen, haar naar een dokter te brengen na een ernstig ongeluk, of om in te grijpen wanneer haar broer gewelddadig wordt. Tara slaagt er echter in zichzelf wiskunde en grammatica bij te brengen en ze wordt aangenomen aan Brigham Young University. Daar begint haar weg tot zelfontplooiing, waarbij ze niet alleen worstelt met haar gebrek aan kennis door haar geïsoleerde opvoeding, maar ook tot de pijnlijke conclusie moet komen dat een breuk met haar familie onvermijdelijk is.

Explore mindful crafts as an effective and efficient therapy. Arts and crafts were one of the very first therapies employed

by occupational therapists. Today, crafts are still employed as effective interventions for clients with mental health disorders, physical dysfunctions, cognitive issues, and sensory concerns in hospitals, outpatient clinics, veterans' centers, schools, skilled nursing facilities, or community settings. Step by step, the authors show you how to use a wide-range of novel, and highly engaging crafts. They explain how to connect the key tasks associated with an activity to functional outcomes, and how to modify them to meet the specific needs of individual patients. They also address the issues of documentation, and reimbursement.

Provides step-by-step instructions on hand-building methods in ceramics and provides information on tools, materials, and properties of a variety of clays.

Handbuilt Ceramics is a practical guide to all aspects of technique, but goes further by exploring the studio practices of ten exciting contemporary makers. Advice is given on how to get started and information on tools and equipment, types of clay and a safe workspace set-up. Handbuilding methods, such as pinching, coiling, slabbing and press moulding, are explained in detail with step-by-step sequences. Techniques for creating surface interest, pre and post firing, are included using coloured slip, glaze or paint. Ideas for combining techniques and ways to experiment are explored and encouraged, as well as tips to avoid common problems and to achieve successful outcomes. With over 350 lavish photos, this book will provide inspiration through a unique understanding of current work. It is written both for the novice and for the experienced maker looking for a new direction.

An introduction to ceramics offers step-by-step illustrations of all ceramic techniques, information on glaze formulas and temperature conversions, as well as a sampling of ceramic pieces from contemporary international potters.

Every local church requires leaders. Many believers are given responsibility to lead but fail to sustain their leadership. Developing the people who lead is essential to building strong churches and demonstrating the kingdom message to those who do not know Christ. The non-public lifestyle of a leader is what vitally supports the public expression of his or her grace. Next Level Leadership Training's primary focus is to develop the maturity in leaders that enables them to pass every test, become powerfully effective, and endure for a lifetime. Disciple-making, or developing maturity in believer-leaders, is what produces the loving, unified, powerful leadership team every church covets. Next Level Leadership Training provides a clear process of how to take believers and make them become world-changers, leaders who love deeply, speak boldly, serve faithfully, and consistently demonstrate the supernatural.

Intervention Activities for At-Risk Youth is an excellent resource of tried and tested activities that work with at-risk youth. The chapters and activity sections are intended both for those facilities that do and do not employ professional therapeutic recreation staff. The activities and goals are written in a format that staff, from volunteers and childcare

workers to activity staff and professional therapeutic recreation specialists, can use when implementing intervention activities for at-risk youth. These 169 activities are meant to help professionals establish active treatment goals and encourage more positive behaviors. The first three chapters provide a foundation for intervention activities. The activities are divided into six sections: anger control and stress management (13 activities); positive physical and mental health (31 activities); cooperation, communication, and listening (26 activities); problem-solving, decision-making, and planning skills (17 activities); leisure awareness and leisure resources (49 activities); and friendship and social skills (33 activities). Discover how to develop your pottery design skills and bring your ideas to life from start to finish. Covering every technique from throwing pottery to firing, glazing to sgraffito, this pottery book is perfect for both handbuilding beginners and potting pros. Step-by-step photographs - some from the potter's perspective - show you exactly where to place your hands when throwing so you can master every technique you need to know. Plus, expert tips help you rescue your pots when things go wrong. The next in the popular Artist's Techniques series, this book is the ideal companion for pottery classes of any level, or a go-to guide and inspiration for the more experienced potter looking to expand their repertoire and perfect new skills. With contemporary design and ideas, Complete Pottery Techniques enables the modern maker to unleash their creativity.

When it comes to creating a work of art, there is nothing quite so visceral as being able to create something with your bare hands. Sculpting clay is a very rewarding craft because it does not require a range of specialized tools or any really complicated techniques. You can set your own pace. In this book, we will go through the basic clay working tools and clay techniques to get you started. We will look at the whole process from start to finish - you will learn how to prepare the clay, how to mold it into the shape you want - we look at doing this by hand or by wheel - how to decorate it and how to fire it. You will learn about the tools that you absolutely have to have, and ones that are just nice to have. At the end of this book, you will be able to start making your own clay masterpieces and, once you get started, you will be hooked - there is nothing nicer than being able to look at a piece of pottery or sculpture and know that you created it from scratch, on your own.

Many philosophy majors are shocked by the gap between the relative ease of lower-level philosophy courses and the difficulty of upper-division courses. This book serves as a necessary bridge to upper-level study in philosophy by offering rigorous but concise and accessible accounts of basic concepts and distinctions that are used throughout the discipline. It serves as a valuable advanced introduction to any undergraduate who is moving into upper-level courses in philosophy. While lower-level introductions to philosophy usually deal with popular topics accessible to the general student (such as contemporary moral issues, free will, and personal identity) in a piecemeal fashion, The Philosophy Major's Introduction

to Philosophy offers coverage of important general philosophical concepts, tools, and devices that may be used for a long time to come in various philosophical areas. The volume is helpfully divided between a focus on the relation between language and the world in the first three chapters and coverage of mental content in the final two chapters, but builds a coherent narrative from start to finish. It also provides ample study questions and helpful signposts throughout, making it a must-have for any student attempting to engage fully with the problems and arguments in philosophy. Key Features Integrates topics from various areas of philosophy, such as philosophy of language, metaphysics, epistemology, ethics, and philosophical logic Provides descriptions of logico-mathematical tools necessary for philosophical studies, such as propositional logic, predicate logic, modal logic, set theory, mereology, and mathematical functions Makes connections with modern philosophy, including discussions of Descartes's skepticism and dualism, Locke's theory of personal identity, Hume's theory of causation, and Kant's synthetic a priori Includes well-known entertaining puzzles and thought experiments such as the Ship of Theseus, the Statue and the Clay, a Brain in a Vat, and Twin Earth Lists helpful Exercise Questions and Discussion Questions at the end of each chapter and answers selected questions at the back of the book

Provides an introduction to clay and pottery, plus instructions for eight projects using various methods, such as a basic pot, a coiled planter, and a slip-cast pitcher.

Vier studenten, vier geheimen, één moord De zeventienjarige Simon Kelleher heeft Bayview High's beruchte roddel-app ontwikkeld. Hij kondigt groots aan dat hij sappige nieuwe verhalen over vier populaire medescholieren gaat onthullen. Maar dan sterft hij onverwacht voor hun neus. Bronwyn, Cooper, Addy en Nate - het brein, de atleet, de prinses en de crimineel van de school - zijn het onderwerp van Simons roddels en veranderen in verdachten zodra bekend wordt dat zijn dood geen ongeluk was. Wie is er te vertrouwen? Wie van hen is schuldig? Ieder van hen heeft iets te verberen. Ieder van hen zou het gedaan kunnen hebben, om te voorkomen dat de roddels op de app onthuld zouden worden. En een van hen liegt.

All forms of traditional handbuilding are clearly described and beautifully illustrated in color.

This is the only full four-color introductory ceramics text available that combines a thorough appreciation of the aesthetics of ceramic art with extensive discussions of the history of ceramics as well as techniques for working in clay.

Reverend John L. Mayshack is masterful in his presentation of seventy Fiery Sermon Outlines which provide the essence of the written biblical word. The introduction for each sermon sets the stage for the narrative. The scriptural basis for each detailed outline grounds the words in relevant biblical text. The body of each outline provides sufficient detail to serve as a written guide for the studious biblical scholar. Reverend Mayshack has authored three other successful outline books entitled 175 Sermon Outlines, 165 Dynamic Sermon Outlines, and Sermons for Today. He is a nationally recognized religious educator and Fiery Sermon Outlines serves as another example of the outstanding work he offers to the community of biblical scholars. Reverend Mayshack is a member of The National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc., where he served as an instructor of Youth Evangelism for ten years in The National Baptist Congress of Christian Education. He

served as secretary of The Oklahoma State Pastors' Conference and a member of The Governor's Commission for Martin Luther King, Jr. Reverend Mayshack is truly a gifted author and has sterling and impressive affiliations through religious, civic, professional and social organizations.

Hij was de meest gevatte, de knapste, de sterkste, de moedigste en bovenal The Greatest. Deze eerste allesomvattende biografie geeft een radicaal nieuw inzicht in de complexe man die Ali was. Meer dan 500 interviews, duizenden nieuwe (FBI) documenten en audiotapes vormen samen het verhaal van de bokser zoals nooit eerder is gebeurd. Het verhaal van een man met gebreken, vol onzekerheid maar onwaarschijnlijk moedig.

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Contains creative techniques for a number of ceramic tile projects with detailed information and instruction on basic tools and materials, glaze application, and techniques for making slab tiles.

SOME THINGS SHOULD REMAIN BURIED . . . The gripping first book in a brand new thriller series by the Queen of Crime Drama, Lynda La Plante. _____ DC Jack Warr and his girlfriend Maggie have just moved to London to start a new life together. Though charming, Jack can't seem to find his place in the world - until he's drawn into an investigation that turns his life upside down. In the aftermath of a fire at an isolated cottage, a badly charred body is discovered, along with the burnt remains of millions of stolen, untraceable bank notes. Jack's search leads him deep into a murky criminal underworld - a world he finds himself surprisingly good at navigating. But as the line of the law becomes blurred, how far will Jack go to find the answers - and what will it cost him? In BURIED, it's time to meet DC Jack Warr as he digs up the deadly secrets of the past . . . _____ **PRAISE FOR BURIED:** 'It's quite a challenge to make a detective constable the lead character in a crime novel, but Lynda La Plante does a cracking job of it in BURIED. DC Jack Warr is clearly destined for higher things, and I look forward to following his progress' - PETER ROBINSON, No. 1 Sunday Times bestselling author of the DCI Banks series 'A compelling, clever plot with a brilliant cast of diverse characters. Utterly riveting' - RACHEL ABBOTT, million-selling author of ONLY THE INNOCENT 'Lynda La Plante practically invented the thriller' Karin Slaughter

How does peripherality challenge methodology and theory-making? This book examines how the peripheral can be incorporated into ethnographic research, and reflects on what it means to be on the periphery – ontologically and epistemologically. Starting from the premise that clarity and fixity as ideals of modernity prevent us from approaching that which cannot be easily captured and framed into scientific boundaries, the book argues for remaining on the boundary between the known and the unknown in order to surpass this ethnographic limit. Peripheral Methodologies shows that peripherality is not only to be seen as a marginal condition, but rather as a form of theory-making and practice that

incorporates reflexivity and experimentation. Instead of domesticating the peripheral, the authors engage in (and insist on) practicing expertise in reverse, unlearning their tools in order to integrate the empirical and analytical otherwise.

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She left town to save a life. Now she's back to avenge a death. Years ago, Samantha Goode was driven away from love, her family, and her past. Now the Texas Ranger is back in Crystal Creek for her estranged grandmother's funeral, even though it means coming face to face with everything, and everyone, she'd left behind. When a brutal murder shatters her world, Sam is determined to stay until she solves it. Soon she's knee-deep in suspects, including the family of the man she once loved but was forced to betray. Rancher Clayton Barnett will do anything to keep his autistic younger brother out of an institution, including sidelining his life to work for their powerful, manipulative father. When tragedy brings Sam back into his life, instead of rekindling their romance, Clay finds himself embroiled in a dangerous murder investigation. Will old secrets pull Sam and Clay apart once more, or can they rise above their past? And with a ruthless killer on the loose, will Sam's hard-earned Ranger skills be enough to ensure that Goode triumphs over evil?

In Rosalie David's hands, the Egyptian builders of the pyramids are revealed as simple people, leading ordinary lives while they are engaged on building the great tomb for a Pharaoh. This is an engrossing detective story, bringing to the general reader a fascinating picture of a special community that lived in Egypt and built one of the pyramids, some four thousand years ago.

Trevor Noahs bijzondere levensverhaal - van een arme jeugd onder de apartheid in Zuid-Afrika tot geliefde comedian en presentator van The Daily Show - begon met een misdaad: zijn geboorte. Hij werd, hoewel gemengde relaties verboden waren, geboren als zoon van een blanke Europese vader en een zwarte Xhosa-moeder, die voor de buitenwereld moest doen alsof ze zijn nanny was in de weinige momenten dat ze als gezin samen waren. Zijn briljante, excentrieke moeder speelde een hoofdrol in zijn leven: ze was komisch en diepgelovig (ze gingen zes dagen per week naar de kerk en op zondag zelfs drie keer), en hielp Trevor op zijn hobbelige weg naar wereldfaam. Trevors belevenissen zijn afwisselend bizar, gevoelig en hilarisch. Zo vertelt hij hoe ze rupsen aten als er geen geld was, hoe hij uit een auto werd geslingerd tijdens een poging tot kidnapping, en over tienerverliefdheden in een door huidskleur geobsedeerde maatschappij. Zijn verhalen schetsen een onvergetelijk portret van een jongen die opgroeit in een snel veranderende wereld, gewapend met een scherp gevoel voor humor en onvoorwaardelijke moederliefde.

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