

## Student Supply List for McKerley Pottery Workshop

-brushes in a variety of sizes. Some for applying slip and some for hot wax. These brushes will not be able to be used for anything else after they are used for hot wax.

-Hand building tools: fettling knife, carving tools, ribs, wire cutter, needle tool

-exacto knives

-large rectangular sponge

- 4-5 greenware pots, sculptures, or tiles for waxing and sponging

Smooth clays like Coleman Porcelain (Aardvark Clay Company) and B-Mix (Laguna Clay) Cone 10 are the best choices for this technique and tend not to crack during sponging or firing.

Domestic porcelains and earthenwares can be used, but may crack. Clay with grog or sand can give an interesting texture after sponging but also tend to crack.

+ Remember, workshops are designed to learn new techniques not to necessarily produce finished products! "It is about the process, not the product"