# Pottery

Worksheet by the Merit Badge Center, Philippines

**Last Updated: March 22, 2021**

This worksheet was created to assist Scouts with their merit badge work. The worksheet does not replace the actual merit badge counseling process. A certified merit badge counselor for the badge must still certify your completion of each requirement and the merit badge. If a requirement says that you must take an action using words such as “discuss”, “show”, “tell”, “explain”, “demonstrate”, “identify”, etc. that is what you must do. **Merit badge counselors may not require the use of this worksheet or any similar material**. No one may add, subtract, or modify the official requirements for the merit badge as prescribed by the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.

Scout’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Unit: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

## Requirement 1. Describe the purpose, preparation, and manufacture of various articles of pottery. Be able to tell the different kind of clay. Name the best kinds for making pottery.

Describe the purpose, preparation, and manufacture of various articles of pottery.

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Pottery Article** | **Purpose** | **Preparation** | **Manufacture** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

Write down how to tell the different kind of clay.

|  |
| --- |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |

Name the best kinds of clay for making pottery.

|  |
| --- |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |

## Requirement 2. Draw two pottery forms, one of which must be decorated.

|  |
| --- |
|  |

|  |
| --- |
|  |

## Requirement 3. Design and mold by hand five pottery forms, such as: an ordinary cooking pot, a water jar, a water pitcher, a bowl, a flower vase, a frying pan, a plate, a drinking mug, a basin.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Pottery Form Type** |  |
| **Design** |  |
| **Date Completed** | **Merit Badge Counselor Signature certifying design was molded by hand.** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Pottery Form Type** |  |
| **Design** |  |
| **Date Completed** | **Merit Badge Counselor Signature certifying design was molded by hand.** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Pottery Form Type** |  |
| **Design** |  |
| **Date Completed** | **Merit Badge Counselor Signature certifying design was molded by hand.** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Pottery Form Type** |  |
| **Design** |  |
| **Date Completed** | **Merit Badge Counselor Signature certifying design was molded by hand.** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Pottery Form Type** |  |
| **Design** |  |
| **Date Completed** | **Merit Badge Counselor Signature certifying design was molded by hand.** |

## Requirement 4. Describe the methods of firing and glazing pottery.

|  |
| --- |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |

## Requirement 5. Tell something about the wares of one of the following people or places: Ilocos, Pasig, Greece, Delft, Damascus, Sevres, Luca dela Robbia, Josiah Wedgewood.

Place or person’s name of wares you are telling about: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Tell something about the wares of your selected person or place.

|  |
| --- |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |
|  |