



## **Traditional Chinese Pottery Throwing Course**

In this course, you'll learn to create different types of Chinese tableware using both hand-building and wheel techniques. You'll also get to try traditional decoration methods and glazes made from wood ash, and work with gas and electric kilns.

Our courses are flexible to fit your schedule, available every year. You can join us at any time. Our courses welcome families, school groups, certificate seekers, couples, and enthusiasts of all ages and skill levels. We offer hands-on experiences with both the potter's wheel and hand-building techniques. Classes are held daily and cover everything from pottery making to decoration. It's a great chance to develop your skills with guidance from experienced artists.

Explore Pottery, Ceramics, and Painting in Jingdezhen, China

### **Custom Course Schedule**

- Day 1: Meet at Jingdezhen Train Station or Airport, then transfer to your hotel.
- Day 2: Relax and plan a city tour of famous Jingdezhen ceramic museums. International participants may arrive a day apart, so the earlier arrivals can enjoy the city tour.

### **-Day3-9 Hand-Throwing Pottery Schedule**

#### **-Day 3:**

Introduction to pottery basics, studio tour, and facility overview. Using the pottery wheel, learning two kneading techniques, throwing wheel centering, and pulling clay columns.

**-Day 4:**

Throwing wheel Centering and kneading practice; traditional cup demonstration (cylinder cup). Various cup shapes and creative demonstrations.

**-Day 5:**

Wheel throwing traditional bowls demonstration (round bowl, V-shape bowl). Creative bowl shapes demonstration (goblet bowl, sunhat bowl).

**-Day 6:**

Wheel throwing Vase forming techniques (marbled vase, crackle vase). Trimming tools and techniques, foot types, and joining techniques (wet, leather-hard, dry).

**-Day 7:**

Pottery decorative techniques (underglaze painting, slip trailing, carving, glazing). Plate shaping demonstrations (slanted plate, pedestal plate, donut plate).

**-Days 8-9:**

Pottery decoration and glazing of completed works.

- Day 10-11: Free days for personal activities and city tours. A farewell party will be held at the hotel.
- Day 12: Departure. Transfer to the train station or airport of Jingdezhen city.

Note: Workshop details may change without prior notice.

**Language Requirements**

The course is taught in Chinese, but we have English-Chinese bilingual assistants available for complex terms. If you speak a different language, make sure to bring a Wi-Fi-enabled device and translation apps.

**Course Session Length**

A typical session lasts 12 days, with 7 days of classes and 5 optional days for ceramic museum tours.

### **Class Size and Participants**

- Group size: 1 person or more
- No Minimum participants
- Teens under 18 must attend with parents or teachers
- Adults 18+ can join independently
- No experience required; beginners and amateurs are welcome

### **Living Arrangements**

Accommodation is usually arranged within walking distance from the teaching studios.

### **Course Fees**

12-day course tuition: \$800 USD per person

Includes pottery studio, tools, materials, teaching, demonstrations, museum entry, transportation, and tour guide fees.

### **Discount Options:**

- 10% off for sharing two posts each on YouTube and Facebook with a video (with narration), at least 9 images, and 100 words of description, after you finish your courses.
- 5% off for referring a friend.
  - Group discounts:
    - 2 people: 5% off
    - 3 people: 10% off
    - 5 or more: 12% off

### **Class Hours:**

- 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM

### **Studio Breaks:**

Closed every Saturday, but students can practice or rest.

### **Course Fees Include:**

- Instructor guidance
- Pottery tools, practice clay, kiln firing
- Basic transparent glaze, air conditioning, and hot water

### **Additional or Separate Fees:**

Meals, accommodation, gas kiln firing, extra glaze materials, packaging, and shipping fees.

Packaging and shipping typically to be handled by a logistics company.

Firing fees depend on the piece size.

Firing usually takes 7-15 days.

### **Optional Core Course Schedules**

- Pottery Painting Course 7 days/500\$
- Hand-Building Pottery 7 days/500\$
- Hand Throwing Pottery Course 7 days/500\$
- Chinese Calligraphy & Fan Painting 7 days/500\$
- Course Upgrade (7 days to 12 days): Additional \$300

### **Free Porcelain Firing Benefits**

- 7-day course: 2 pieces free
- 12-day course: 6 pieces free
- 30-day course: 12 pieces free

### **Accommodation and Meals**

- Cost: \$1176 for 12 days (98USD/day)
- Includes furnished apartment and meals.

### **Transportation & Visa Support**

Students are responsible for their flights and ground transportation.

Free Jingdezhen airport/rail pickup is included.

Visa Support, Read more on [ChineseSources.org](http://ChineseSources.org)

## **Application Process**

### **To apply:**

- Complete the application form.
- Apply at least 45 days before your desired start date.

## **Cancellation Policy**

- Full refund (excluding bank transfer fees) if canceled at least 2 months before the course start date.
- Cancellations within 2 months are non-refundable, but we'll offer a spot in the next available course.

## **How to Sign Up**

Contact us at [potteryshowcase@outlook.com](mailto:potteryshowcase@outlook.com) or [seo.shengli@gmail.com](mailto:seo.shengli@gmail.com) to confirm available dates before booking. We'll send you a detailed travel package with pickup services, accommodation, meals, and more.

### **To ask questions, or reserve a spot,**

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