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1. INTRODUCTION

The ceramics certificate course has been designed to provide an introduction to the basic techniques and knowledge involved in the practice of ceramics Industry. Through practical sessions that are designed to impart a range of production approaches, students will have the experience and acquire knowledge in the aspect of slip, glazes model and mould making, drying in different dryers, different glazing techniques and it applications, firing the kiln and the quality control of the products. This course also provides students with a solid foundation to understand and operate the different Equipments involved in any ceramics Industry. Upon completion, students will understand the entire process of ceramic, and acquire the ability to work in any ceramics industry in Pakistan and international job market.

1.1 OVERALL OBJECTIVE OF COURSE

- 1. The main objective of this course is to produce semi-skilled labor (through training of fresh entrants and / or impart formal training to unskilled labor) for the ceramic industry to work as ceramicist.
- 2. This training course is designed to create job opportunities for the semi-literate students on the national and international level so as to impart them the requisite skills to work in different ceramics industries.
- 3. Further, this curriculum is developed by considering the requirements of local market and need of the trade enabling the passouts to meet the market-jobs with a view to reduce the shortage of semi-skilled and skilled workers in this area.
- 4. Provide technical and vocational training basis which reflect the requirements of the industry.
- **5.** The course mostly focuses on practical-oriented skill aided by some theory as it is necessary for understanding the procedures and processes of performing different tasks and functions.
- **6.** This course covers all areas of working in a Ceramics Process Industry including weighing of raw materials, mixing, forming, and finishing drying, glazing and firing.

1.2 COMPETENCIES GAINED AFTER COMPLETION OF COURSE

After completion of this course the student should be able to:

- 2. Explain the basic ceramic-terms and its classifications.
- 3. Describe the ceramics raw materials, their usage & properties.
- **4.** Describe the classification of clay bodies and their properties.
- 5. Express the material mixing methods.
- **6.** Describe the knowledge of different forming techniques used in ceramics industry.
- 7. Express knowledge of slip quality assessment.
- 8. Explain the glaze manufacturing process and its types.
- **9.** Describe the tests to check the quality of the slip and glaze for the particular application.
- **10.** Describe the mould and model making techniques.
- 11. Describe the plaster of Paris, its properties and setting time.
- 12. Express the knowledge of drafting, tracing & scale drawing.
- 13. Describe different types of moulds
- **14.** Explain the Jiggering and Jollying process.
- **15.** Describe the mechanism for drying of ceramics bodies.
- **16.** Explain the working principles of different dryers used in ceramics industry.
- 17. Express the knowledge of proper moisture content required for finishing.
- 18. Elucidate basic principles of joining.
- 19. Express the knowledge of Finishing and Joining techniques.
- **20.** Explain the different decoration techniques.
- 21. Express the knowledge of different glazing techniques.
- **22.** Describe the different types of kiln furniture used in the kilns.
- 23. Explain the stacking of different wares.

- 24. Describe the importance of kiln reading.
- **25.** Describe the combustion and complete and incomplete combustion.
- **26.** Describe the different temperature, pressure and flow measuring devices.
- 27. Safety precautions applicable to ceramics industries.
- **28.** Identification of different defects and their troubleshooting techniques.
- 29. Identify the raw materials used in the ceramics industry.
- **30.** Perform the batching for the desired composition of body and glazes.
- **31.** Perform the crushing of raw materials on Crusher.
- 32. Perform the grinding of the raw materials on Ball Mill.
- **33.** Operate the blunger for the mixing of raw materials.
- **34.** Perform the filter pressing of the slip.
- **35.** Operate the Vacuum Pug mill.
- 36. Draft the new pattern or draw graph to map the product for making model.
- **37.** Make full scale working drawings.
- **38.** Apply various techniques of model making i.e. direct carving, modeling wheel etc as per situation/requirement.
- 39. Make moulds of various types i.e. press molds, slip casting molds, jiggering molds etc.
- **40.** Work on a Modeling wheel.
- 41. Make models for one to three piece moulds.
- **42.** Hand carve model for irregular or geometric shapes.
- 43. Develop different types of moulds.
- **44.** Perform casting keeping in mind the required thickness of the piece & releasing the casted pieces.
- **45.** Inspect/assess the quality of casting slip i.e. density, viscosity and residue.
- **46.** Operate the Jiggering and Jollying machine
- **47.** Operate the hydraulic press to make tiles
- **48.** Make a joining paste

- 49. Perform trimming and finishing of the products
- **50.** Perform the joining of the different parts to the body
- **51.** Inspect and rectify the faults in finished pieces
- 52. Operate the different dryers like Spray dryer and Conveyor belt dryer used in the industry
- **53.** Perform the loading and unloading of the kiln.
- **54.** Make proper stacking of different ceramics wares.
- 55. Perform the routine maintenance of the kiln.
- **56.** Identify the damaged insulation and replace it properly.
- **57.** Control of the kiln important parameters like temperature and pressure.
- **58.** Skills in trouble shooting of during kiln firing, along with exposure routine maintenance techniques that develop an operator.
- **59.** Prepare and maintain the record of kiln reading in logbook.
- 60. Record, identify and perform corrective action during trouble shooting during kiln firing.
- **61.** Identify the different defects in body and glazes
- **62.** Apply all safety precautions about using tools and different equipment used in the ceramics industry.

1.3 JOB OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY AND IN THE FUTURE

The Pass outs of this course may find job / employment opportunities in the following areas:

- ✓ Ceramics (table ware) industry
- ✓ Ceramics (Sanitary ware) Industry
- ✓ Ceramics (Wall and Floor Tiles) Industry
- ✓ Refractory manufacturing factory
- ✓ Ceramics (Insulator) Industry
- ✓ Ceramics teaching and Research Institutes

✓ Self-Employment

Trainee Entry Level: Middle

Medium of Instruction: Urdu, English or Local Language

Minimum Qualification of Trainer

DAE in Ceramics with 3 year experience

• Certificate in Ceramics with 5 year experience

• Matric with 10 years of experience in the Ceramic Industry

Description of the structure of the course

Modul	Title	Theory	Practical	Total
e#	Tiue	(Hours)	(Hours)	(Hours)
1	Preparation of Slip and Glazes	54	144	198
2	Prepare Model and Mould	40	126	166
3	Form articles by different techniques	29	130	159
4	Perform different techniques of drying	17	60	77
5	Perform finishing and joining	20	180	200
6	Make decoration on articles	38	140	178
7	Demonstrate Glaze applications methods	34	160	194
8	Kiln firing	42	190	232
9	Perform the quality control	21	50	71
10	Perform Communications	11	40	51
11	Safety at work	14	60	74
	TOTAL HOURS	320	1280	1600

Duration of the course:

The proposed curriculum is composed of 11 modules that will be covered in 1600 hrs. It is proposed that the course may be delivered in a One Year period. The distribution of contact hours is given below:

Total: 1600 hrs

Theory: 320 hrs (20%)

Practical: 1280 hrs (80%)

Days per week: 06

2. OVERVIEW OF THE CURRICULUM FOR CERAMIST

Module title and aim	Learning Units	Theory	Practical	Total
Module 1: Preparation of Slip and Glazes Aim: On completion of this module the student will be enabled to prepare different types of clay bodies& glazes like raw glaze, opaque & color glazes used in the ceramic industry.	 LU-1: Perform Crushing of raw materials LU-2: Perform batching of raw materials for slip and glazes LU-3: Perform grinding and mixing of raw materials LU-4: Check and adjust the parameters of slip and glazes LU-5: Perform filtration of the slip LU-6: Perform vacuum Kneading of the filtered cake 	54	144	198
Module 2: Prepare Model and Mould Aim: The trainee will be enabled to prepare Models of the desired product, different types of Moulds by using necessary tools and equipment.	LU-1: Make design of the desired product LU-2: Make Model of the desired product LU-3: Make various types of Plaster mould	40	126	166

Module title and aim	Learning Units	Theory	Practical	Total
Module 3: Form articles by different techniques Aim: After completion of this module, the trainee will be able to understand the different fabrication techniques like casting, pressing and jiggering & jollying	LU-1: Make Articles by casting technique LU-2: Filling of mould LU-3: Analyse the casting thickness and time LU-4: Make articles by pressing technique LU-5: Make article by Jiggering and Jollying	29	130	159
Module 4: Perform different techniques of drying Aim: The Trainee will be able to describe the drying, drying time and temperature and the different types of dryers used in the industry and able to dry the given product	LU-1: Drying in Open Air and Sun LU-2: Perform drying in Conveyor belt dryer LU-3: Perform drying in spray dryer	17	60	77
Module 5: Perform finishing and joining Aim: The Trainee is able to understand the importance of the finishing and joining techniques and perform the desired finishing and joining of the given wares	LU-1:Inspect the green ware piece LU-2:Perform finishing of the piece LU-3:Perform cutting of the piece LU-4:Perform joining of the piece LU-5:Refinish the final piece	20	180	200

Module title and aim	Learning Units	Theory	Practical	Total
Module 6 :Make decoration in articles	LU-1: Make under glaze decoration	38	140	178
	LU-2: Make engraving			
Aim: The Trainee will be able to describe the different decoration techniques used and	LU-3: Make embossing			
perform the require decoration of the given	LU-4: Perform over glaze decoration			
ceramics ware	LU-5: Make Engobe decoration			
Module 7: Demonstrate Glaze application	LU-1: Perform glazing by spraying	34	160	194
methods	LU-2: Perform glazing by brushing			
Aim: The Trainee will be able to understand	LU-3: Perform glazing by dipping			
the different techniques for glazing and its	LU-4: Perform glazing by pouring			
correction application to given ceramics ware	LU-5: Correct application of glaze			
Modulo 9 - Kilo firing		42	190	232
Module 8 : Kiln firing	LU-1: Perform loading and unloading of the kiln	42	190	232
Aim: After completion of this module, Trainee	LU-2: Fire the Kiln			
will be able to know the operation of the kiln	LU-3: Record the kiln data			
	LU-4: Maintenance of the kiln			
	LU-5: Demonstrate the process of Trouble shooting			
	Kiln			
Module 9: Perform the Quality Control	LU-1: Evaluate the raw materials	21	50	71

Module title and aim	Learning Units	Theory	Practical	Total
Aim: The Trainee will be able to understand the importance of quality control and different types of defects in the body and perform the	LU-2: Identify the defects on glazed surface LU-3: Identify the defects of fire body			
sorting of different wares as per the quality control policy of the company	LU-4: Perform grading of the products.			
Module 10: Perform Communication		11	40	51
Aim: This module develop the competency to	LU-1: Communicate with seniors / juniors LU-2: Communicate with engineer/ Supervisor			
properly communicate with the peers, engineer, seniors/juniors, electrical and mechanical department and the concerned office	LU-3: Communicate with electrical department			
		14	60	74
Module 11:- Safety at work	LU-1: Identify the protective procedures LU-2: Ensure the cleaning of the working area			
Aim: After completion of this module, the trainee will be able to describe the precautions, safe working environment procedures and how to cope with hazards during working	LU-3: Use of Fire Extinguisher, and safety alarms			

3. CERAMIST TEACHING AND LEARNING GUIDE

Module 1: PREPARATION OF SLIP AND GLAZES

Objective: The Trainee will be able to understand the different processes like crushing, grinding, filtration and the de-airation. Also able to understand the operation of the equipment used in slip house and prepare the slip and glazes of the required composition

Duration: 198 Hours Theory: 54 Hours Practice: 144 Hours

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Perform Crushing of raw materials	 Trainee will be able to: Understand the Ceramics, different raw materials use in ceramics industry Perform the crushing of the raw materials in the Jaw Crusher 	 Ceramics and Raw Materials Types of Crusher Working Principal and operation of jaw Crusher Feed size and product size Trouble shooting during crushing Understand the ceramics and the related raw materials Feed the crusher Properly Operate the Jaw Crusher Assess the material for crushing 	Theory: 8 hrs Practical: 20 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Jaw crusher Sandstone 	Class Room/ Lab
LU-2. Perform batching of raw materials for slip and glaze	Trainee will be able to: Understand the role of different raw materials used for making slip and glazes Prepare the batches of different ceramics bodies,	 Slip Body Introduction Fluxes like feldspar Filler like quartz Clays like china, ball and fire clay Batch Calculations for slip Addition of Deflocculants Addition of suitable amount of water Types of clay bodies Glaze and its types Glass formers Stabilizers 	Theory: 14 hrs Practical: 30 hrs	 Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Weighting scale Raw 	Class Room/ Lab

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
	transparent and colored glazes	 Fluxes Binders Opacifiers Pigments used for colours Addition of Deflocculants Addition of Different colors Addition of required amount of water Weighting Balance Addition of water Glaze Calculations Operate the weighting Balance Identify the materials for Body and glaze Perform Calculation of different batches of Body and glazes Prepare and add the Deflocculants Add the suitable water to the slip and glazes Prepare batches of different colored glazes Make different batches of glazes 		materials	
LU-3. Perform grinding and mixing of raw materials	 Trainee will be able to: Understand the importance and working of different grinders Able to perform the grinding of mixing of the batch in the ball mill 	 Types of Grinders Working principle and operation of Ball mill and jar mill Selection of grinding media used in the mill dry grinding wet grinding Grinding of colours liners in ball mill RPM of Mill Grinding time Loading and unloading of the ball mill Load the ball mill Charge the mill with the grinding media and batch Calculate the grinding time Make adjustment on the rpm of the mill Operate the ball mill Operate the jar mill 	Theory: 16 hrs Practical: 36 hrs	 Models, Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Ball mill grinding balls 	Class Room/ Lab

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-4. Check and adjust the parameters of slip and glazes	Trainee will be able to: • Understand the parameters like viscosity, density and residue • Examine and adjust the	 Unload the ball mill properly Factors affecting quality of slip 2and glazes Density of slip and glazes Viscosity of slip and glazes Residue test for slip and glazes Related Apparatus like Viscometer Hydrometer, Sieves Stop watch Adjustment of the parameters PSA, water percent, particular size analyzer. 	Theory: 06 hrs Practical: 28 hrs	 Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Torsion 	Class Room/ Lab
	quality for slip and glazes	 PSA, water percent, particular size analyzer. Select the viscosity of slip and glaze Measure and maintain the required density of slip and glazes Perform the residue test Add suitable amount of water, Deflocculants and clay if necessary. Perform the PSA, and water test 		balance viscometer Hydrometer Sieves set	
LU-5. Perform filtration of the slip	Trainee will be able to: • Mix and filter the slip in the	 Working principal of Blunger Filling the blunger How to Calculate the mixing time 	Theory: 06 hrs Practical:	Models,Wall ChartsMultimedia	Class Room/ Lab
miration of the slip	blunger and the filter press • • •	 Selection of Filter cloth Plates adjustment Filtrate flow rate& pressure in Press 	20 hrs	 White Board Stationary Blunger 	
		 Charge the blunger Properly Adjust the mixing time Operate the Pump Adjust the filter cloth in plate 		Pug millFilter press	

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
		 Adjust and measure the required pressure in the press Operate the filter press Check the filtrate flow rate Dissemble the plates Collect the cake from the press 			
	Trainee will be able to:	Vacuum Kneading	Theory:	o Wall Charts	Class
LU-6. Perform		 Use of Vacuum pump in the mill Dies Moisture Content of the cake Blank Collection Troubleshooting and de-airing of pug mill. Practical: W Bo Pt 	04 hrs	 Multimedia 	Room/ Lab
vacuum Kneading	Understand the operation		Practical: o White	o White	
of the Filter Cake	of the Vacuum Pug mill		10 hrs	Board	
	Able to perform the vacuum kneading in the Pug mill			o Pug mill	

Module 2: PREPARE MODEL AND MOULD

Objective: The Trainee will be able to make model of the desired product, also make plaster mould and different types of mould

Duration: 166 Hours Theory: 40 Hours Practice: 126 Hours

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Make pattern of the desire product	Trainee will be able to: Draft the basic pattern of any shape	 Relevant Units and their conversion Basics of drafting i.e Side elevation, top, bottom, front etc. scale basic drawing Understanding of the tracing of patterns Selecting of the proper measuring instruments and tools for jobs ✓ Select the basic tools for measuring, ✓ Perform basic mathematical calculations and unit conversions. ✓ Do freehand drawing ✓ Perform basic scale Drawings 	Theory: 12 hrs Practical: 30 hrs	 Models, Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Graph papers Boards Scale Vernier Calipers 	Class Room/ Lab
LU-2. Make Model of the desired product	 Trainee will be able to: Understand different materials, shrinkage margins and tools used for model making Able to Prepare models on Vertical Lathe or Modeling wheel. 	 Materials used for the model making Plastic clay and shrinkage Usage Plaster of Paris usage Modeling wheel Different modeling tools Water and plaster ratio Water and plaster Mixing Take shrinkage margins Operate the modeling wheel Asses the proper modeling tools Place the Plaster on lathe Operate the lathe machine Use turning tools Sharpen the tool Transfer and finishing the design Do Centering and hardness of plaster as required 	Theory: 10 hrs Practical: 30 hrs	 Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Plaster of Paris Clay Modeling wheel Lathe tools 	Class Room/ Lab

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-3. Make various types of Plaster mould	 Trainee will be able to: Identify the tools and equipment required Arrange the tools and equipment required Identify the type of mould required to perform certain job. Prepare different types of requires Moulds 	 Batching of plaster and water ratio Handling Modeling Wheel Different mould types: — Master mould — Case mould — working mould — multiple piece mould separator and mould sealer setting of the mould Jiggering and press mould tools used in mould making Make Plaster mould Keep the mould in proper alignment. Finish the interior & exterior of the mould Employ the soap and shellac Use of the turning box Make Jiggering and pressing mould Create different types of moulds 	Theory: 18 hrs Practical: 66 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Plaster of Paris Turning tools Shellac, Soap 	Class Room/ Lab

Module 3: FORMING OF ARTICLES BY DIFFERENT TECHNIQUES

Objective: The trainee will be able to understand the different forming techniques and from articles by casting, pressing and

jiggering and jollying techniques

Duration: 159 Hours **Theory:** 29 Hours **Practice:** 130 Hours

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Make Articles by casting technique	Trainee will be able to: Describe the slip casting and its application	 Slip casting and related tools Application of slip casting Slip casting moulds Slip properties and quality ✓ Value the casting ✓ Arrange the tools ✓ Identify slip casting moulds ✓ Check the faults in slip 	Theory: 08 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Slip casting Moulds 	Class
LU-2. Mould Filling	Trainee will be able to: • Fill the mould properly	 Filling speed Defects due to filling speed Draining Draining Speed ✓ Control the filling speed of slip in the mould ✓ Manage the position of the poured slip ✓ Drain excess slip from the mould. 	Theory: 06 hrs Practical : 30 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Slip Pouring Container Moulds 	Class room/Lab
LU-3. Analyze the Casting thickness and time	Trainee will be able to: Cast the piece of the required thickness at specific time	 Thickness of the cast Steady Draining speed Angle of Drain Avoiding of bubbles Casting time Relation of casting time with the size of mould Casting time and environment temperature ✓ Get the desired thickness of the cast ✓ Estimate the casting time ✓ Recognize the reasons of casting faults - 	Theory: 05 hrs Practical : 50 hrs	 Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Slip Pouring Container Moulds 	Class room/Lab

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-4. Make articles by pressing techniques	 Trainee will be able to: Identify different pressing techniques Operate the hydraulic press 	 Pressing as fabrication techniques Applications Types of Press use in Industries Dies Pressure Requirements Hydraulic and hand Press working principal Moisture content in the cake Heaters Dies Compressor Gauge Maintenance of the Hydraulic press Granulating Safety measures Comprehend the pressing process Identify the moisture required for pressing Generalised material for pressing Fill same amount of material in press Check the pressure of the press Press the stroke Operate the hydraulic press to make tile Lubricate the dies Perform inspection of the dies Understand the importance of safety precautions 	Theory: 08 hrs Practical : 30 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Slip Pouring Container Hydraulic press Cake 	Class room/Lab
LU-5. Make articles by Jiggering & Jollying	Trainee will be able to: Handle the operation and working of the jiggering and jollying machine appropriately	 Jiggering & Jollying Process Dies and Moulds Heating System Adjustment of Cutter Cutting of Blank Moisture Content in Blank Stroke ✓ Asses the amount of cake for the jiggering & Jollying Process ✓ Perform the Stroke of the machine ✓ Cut the Spare line ✓ Operate the machine 	Theory: 02 hrs Practical : 20 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Moulds Cutters Machine 	Class room/Lab

Module 4: PERFORM DIFFERENT TECHNIQUES OF DRYING

Objective: To make enable the Trainee to understand the importance of drying, its types and the factors that affect the drying rate.

Duration: 77 Hours **Theory:** 17 Hours **Practice:** 60 Hours

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Drying in Open Air and Sun	 Trainee will be able to: Handle the article after the achievement of required shape is achieved. Assemble the articles properly at the designated place in open air/ sun. 	 Proper drying process in Open air/Sun ✓ Understand the importance of drying. ✓ Explain the process and importance of drying. ✓ Identify the method through which the articles are dried in open air/ sun. ✓ Dry article in open air/sun ✓ Identify the defects of drying article in open air/Sun 	Theory: 06 hrs Practical: 10 hrs	 Models, Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Dryer 	Class Room/ Lab
LU-2. Perform drying in Conveyor belt dryer	 Trainee will be able to: Do drying as required Observe drying rate Monitor operation of the Conveyor belt dryer Control Temperature and RPM Identify Warping defects 	 Knowledge of: Drying and Drying Equipments Working of Conveyor- belt dryer Applications Drying Rate Temperature and RPM warping defect in drying Ability to: Understand the drying rate and drying temperature Measure and change the temperature in the dryer Adjust the RPM of the conveyor belt proper dry the article 	Theory: 05 hrs Practical: 25 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Dryer Conveyor Belt 	Class Room/ Lab

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-3. Perform drying in spray dryer	 Trainee will be able to: Operate spray dryer Control the parameters Dry the slip to make granulates using spray dryer 	 Knowledge of: Application of Spray Dryer Working principal and operation of spray dryer Flow rate and temperature adjustment in spray dryer Cleaning of spray Dryer Atomizing Nozzle Ability to: ✓ Control the flow of steam in dryer ✓ Control the flow of slip in dryer ✓ Perform cleaning of the spray dryer ✓ Adjust the temperature of the dryer ✓ Operate the spray dryer 	Theory: 06 hrs Practical: 25 hrs	 Models, Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Dryer 	Class Room/ Lab

Module 5: PERFORM FINISHING AND JOINING

Objective: To make able the trainee to understand the finishing and joining Operations and perform the finishing and joining of the related articles

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Outcomes Learning Elements Duration		Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Inspect green ware piece	Trainee will be able to: Observe quality Identify the defects of the given piece	 Knowledge of: Green ware and green are strength Defects in green ware Warpage Crack Pin holes Ability to: Verify Cracks Check deformation Test out for pin holes Observe the weight proportions 	Theory: 03 hrs Practical: 20 hrs	 Multimedia White Board Stationary Eraser Wheel 	Class Room/ Lab
LU-2. Perform the Finishing of the piece	 Trainee will be able to: Identify the area for the filling Fill manually desired area as per requirement 	 Knowledge of: Final shape of the product Finishing tools and wheel Spare line of the piece 	Theory: 04 hrs Practical: 44 hrs	MultimediaWhiteBoardStationary	Class Room/ Lab

	Maintain the desired moisture	Related Mould		0	Eraser	
					Wheel	
	level in the piece	Moisture content in the piece				
	Remove the unwanted spare	Dimension of the piece			Knife _	
	line in the piece			0	Foam	
	Operate the tools properly for	Ability to:		0	Duster	
	the finishing	✓ Explain the importance of				
	Prepare the desired shape.	finishing				
		✓ Identify and remove the spare				
		line from the piece				
		✓ Understand the tools and				
		wheel				
		✓ Make level the base of the				
		piece				
		✓ Make the corners of the piece				
		equal				
		✓ Verify final shape & spare				
		lines of the green ware.				
		3				
	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 04 hrs	0	White board	Class
LU-3. Make	Trainee will be able to.	Shape of the final article	Practical: 60 hrs	0	Stationery	room/Lab
the cutting of	Perform cutting with appropriate	cutting tools		0	Apron	
	tools	Cutting requirements of the		0	Knife	
the piece	Cut the Piece of the required	piece		0	Foam	
	size	 places for holes i.e. lamps, 			Sponge	
					11 - 3 -	
		teapots etc				

		Ability to: ✓ Use cutting tools properly ✓ Make holes of the required size ✓ Cut the Piece according to perception drawings ✓ Complete the job as per requirement			
LU-4. Perform the joining of the piece	 Trainee will be able to: Identify the pieces to be joined Prepare the paste as required Perform joining and pressing of different pieces Ensure the proper cleaning is done after joining according to health and safety rules 	 Knowledge of: Paste for joining pieces Composition of the paste viscosity and water ratio of the paste Slip as paste Importance of cleaning proper pressing of the joined piece Ability to ✓ Explain the different techniques for the joining of the pieces ✓ Prepare mixture of joining ✓ Describes the paste used for 	Theory: 05 hrs Practical: 38 hrs	 White board Stationery Apron Knife Foam Sponge 	Class room/Lab

		 ✓ Understand the pieces to be joined like kettle etc. ✓ Apply the paste to the right place ✓ Explain the importance of cleaning after joining ✓ Clean the piece properly ✓ Press the piece 			
LU-5. Re- finish the final piece	 Trainee will be able to: Use appropriate tools to refinish the job Clean the piece as per requirement Finalise the product 	 Knowledge of: Final shape of the product tools for finishing Ability to ✓ Finalise the piece 	Theory: 04 hrs Practical: 18 hrs	 White board Stationery Apron Knife Foam Sponge 	Class room/Lab

Module 6: MAKE DECORATION ON ARTICLES

Objective: To enable the trainee to understand the different decoration techniques like under glaze, over glaze, engraving, embossing and Engobe decorations and make the decorated ceramics wares

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Make under glaze decoration	 Trainee will be able to: Perform under glaze decoration on the ceramic wares Select the design Sketch/copy the selected design on Green/dry ware Prepare the colour solution Review the colour solution Apply colour on the ware as required 	 Knowledge of: Under glaze decoration techniques Applications Sketch Tools and brushes Coloring scheme Stroke Color Solution properties Ability to: Understand the selected Sketch on the green ware Explain Coloring the ware as the desire scheme Asses the coloring solution Identify the different techniques Under glaze decoration 	Theory: 08 hrs Practical: 40 hrs	 Slides White Board Brushes of different size Pencils Chromium oxide Colours: Red and Yellow 	Class Room/lab

		✓ Describe Application of design✓ Define the color properties			
LU-2. Make engraving	 Trainee will be able to: Understand the engraving techniques Use the relevant tools accordingly Sketch different engraving patterns on the ware Handle the ware properly 	 Knowledge of: engraving technique for ceramics tools for engraving like blades, cutters Cutting and handling of green wares Pattern for cutting Ability to: ✓ Use the cutting tools Properly ✓ Make different engraving 	Theory: 04 hrs Practical: 20 hrs	Slides Whiteboard Pencils Papers Knives set Cutters	Class Room/lab
		patterns on the wares ✓ Recognise different engraving techniques for ceramics ware ✓ Identify various methods of cutting			

	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 04 hrs	0	Slides	Class
LU-3. Perform embossing	 Trainee will be able to: Value the embossing techniques Recognise he relevant tools Select a design for Embossing Transfer selected design on the ware Demonstrate embossing the required design using appropriate tools 	 Embossing technique for ceramics Pattern Coil making Joining tools used for embossing Ability to: ✓ Make embossing on the articles ✓ Explain different embossing techniques of ceramic ware e.g. Pattern Tools 	Practical: 20 hrs		Whiteboard Pencils Coil Cake Knives set Cutters	Room/lab
LU-4. Perform over glaze decoration	 Trainee will be able to: Identify the various over glazing techniques e.g. enameling, luster, brushing spraying, Stickers and the related tools Decorate the surface of the glaze with the help of different 	 Joining, etc Knowledge of: Over glaze decorations techniques Enamels Screen printing Machine Application of enamels Proper pressing of Enamels paste Luster 	Theory: 08 hrs Practical: 30 hrs		White Board Slides Media Enamels Stickers Luster Spray gun Brushes	Class Room/lab

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	glazing techniques	Luster Application and tools		o Fired	
	Ensure luster viscosity and	Luster viscosity		glazed ware	
	density	Brushing techniques			
	Decorate the piece using	Glaze properties for brushing			
	spray gun	Brushes			
	Operate the screen printing	spraying techniques			
	machine accordingly	Spray gun			
	3,	Glaze properties for spraying			
		Sticker printing			
		Cutting of Sticker			
		Proper sticking to the glazed			
		surface			
		Ability to:			
		✓ Understand different over			
		glaze decoration techniques			
		✓ Operate the screen printing			
		machine			
		✓ Apply enamels to the wares			
		✓ Apply luster to piece			
		✓ Apply decoration with the			
		spray gun			
		✓ Apply sticker to piece			
LU-5. Make	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 14 hrs	o White	Class
Engobe	Apply the Engels fit to the	Engobe slip applications	Practical: 30 hrs	Board	Room/lab
Decoration	Apply the Engobe fit to the	Making of engobe		Slides	

surface of the body by	Colour Adjustment and	Engobe
pouring	addition	o Tub
Demonstrate Engobe	Engobe adjustment to the	o Brushes of
application methods e.g.	wares	different
— Pouring	Engobe composition	sizes
Spraying	Engobe applications like	
	Dipping, pouring, brushing	
Inspect Engobe defects	Engobe by pouring method	
	Cleanliness of body	
	Pores of the body	
	Ability to:	
	✓ Understand various Engobe	
	decoration techniques	
	✓ Classify different Engobe	
	application methods	
	✓ Describe the Engobe	
	application process	
	✓ Explain the process of	
	composition of Engobe	
	✓ Apply Engobe to body by	
	pouring	
	✓ Fit the Engobe to the body	
	Properly	
	✓ Record Engobe defects	
	✓ Know the cleanliness of the	

surface of ware	
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Module 7: DEMONSTRATE GLAZE APPLICATION METHODS

Objective: To make enable trainees to glaze the articles by different techniques like spraying, brushing, dipping and pouring.

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Perform glazing by spraying	 Trainee will be able to: Use tools and equipment for spraying glazes Examine the glaze for spraying Evaluate the viscosity of glaze for spraying Adjust the glaze thickness Apply glaze to the surface with the help of Spray gun Make sure that the booth Exhaust Fan is on Store tools after washing according to health & safety rules 	 Knowledge of: Glazing by spraying applications Tools for spraying glazes Air Brush Spray gun with compressor Spray booth Turning wheel Spray gun Nozzle adjustment Cleaning after use Glaze thickness for spraying Ability to: Explain glazing by the method of spraying Recognise spraying tools Asses the viscosity for glazing Adjust the glaze thickness Adjust the spray head Check the Spray Nozzle 	Theory: 06 hrs Practical: 30 hrs	 White Board Slides Glaze solution Spray gun with compressor Turning wheel Spray booth 	Class room/Lab

		 ✓ Place the piece in the spary booth ✓ Start the Exhaust in the booth ✓ Do glazing by spraying ✓ Perform washing the relevant tools after use ✓ Use the spray both and turning wheel 			
LU-2. Perform glazing by brushing	 Trainee will be able to: Adjust the viscosity of glaze for brushing Perform glazing with brushing Check the thickness of glaze Glaze the ware with the help of brushes 	 Knowledge of: □ Glazing by brushing □ Types of brushes □ Pattern of the design □ Properties of the glaze solution Thickness of the glaze	Theory: 04 hrs Practical: 40 hrs.	 White Board Slides Glaze solution Brushes of different sizes 	Class room/Lab
		Ability to: ✓ Explain the method of glazing with brushing method ✓ Classify the types of brushes ✓ Make Pattern on the ware ✓ perform glazing with brushes ✓ Adjust the desired viscosity ✓ Identify the defects of brushing method			

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Perform • Related tools like Bowl • SI		10011/Lab
	Slides	
diazing by	Glaze	
dipping glazing of different wares by Mixing during application time so	solution	
Proper holding of Piece for O Tu	Tubs	
Dip the pieces in glaze dipping		
Adjust the viscosity of glaze for Dipping time		
dipping • Dipping of tiles in glazes while		
Apply the glaze as per moving side ways		
requirement • Double dipping		
Handle the piece properly		
Perform double dipping Ability to:		
✓ Explain the dipping method		
✓ Recognise the dipping		
equipment		
✓ Maintain the consistency of		
glaze during dipping		
✓ Properly dip the piece in glaze		
✓ Understand holding the piece		
and dipping time		
Trainee will be able to: Knowledge of: Theory: 08 hrs	White	Class
	Board	room/Lab
glazing by • Demonstrate pouring method • water fall glazing method o SI	Slides	
for along	Glaze	
	solution	

	pouring	Glaze thickness			
	Control the flow rate of glaze	Wetting of piece before			
	Operate the water fall glazing	glazing			
	system Control the speed of conveyer belt Manage the glaze thickness	Ability to: ✓ Understand water fall glazing method ✓ Control the glaze thickness by controlling RPM ✓ Control the flow rate of glaze ✓ Pump back the excess glaze ✓ Understand the importance of wetting piece before application of glaze			
		✓ Identify the thickness of glaze			
	Turings will be able to	Knowledge of:	Theory: 08 hrs	o White	Class
LU-2.	Trainee will be able to:	Organize the work place	Practical: 32 hrs	Board	room/Lab
Correct	Recognise the factors which	Importance of the clean area		o Slides	
application	affect the correct application of	Parameters affecting		o Glaze	
of glaze	glazes	correction applications of		Solution	
J 5. g.a.=5	Organise the workplace	glazes like		o Sieves	
	according to the rules of health & Safety	Density of the glaze		 Viscometer 	
	Adjust the viscosity/flow rate	Viscosity of the glaze		 Hydrometer 	
	and density of glaze for	Porosity of the biscuit		o Beakers	
	application of each technique	Thickness of the piece		Measuring cylinder	
	Check the thickness of glaze				

Ability to:
✓ Adjust the viscosity for each
application technique
✓ Flocculate the glaze
✓ Cleaning the glazing tools
after use
✓ Understand the importance of
Safe & clean work area
✓ Explain the density,
viscosity/flow rate and
thickness of glaze

Module 8: Kiln Firing

Objective: The Trainee will be able to understand the firing phenomena in the kiln, types of kilns, kiln furniture, importance of the maintaince of the kiln and the factors which affect the performance of the kiln

Learning	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials	Learning
Unit				Required	Place
	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 08 hrs	o Models,	Class Room/
LU-1. Perform loading and unloading of kiln .	 Trainee will be able to: Recognise different types of kiln and furniture Load/unload different ceramics wares properly Store the green wares safely Level the kiln cars Distribute uniform load and space onto the Slabs. Store the fired products with identification 	 Kiln Classifications Kiln furniture classification Saggers, Slabs, Roller, Kiln Trolley, Shelves Stacking of different wares Loading for required firing Ability to: ✓ Identify the different types of kiln furniture ✓ Perform stacking of different wares like sanitary, bricks, 	Theory: 08 hrs Practical: 40 hrs		Class Room/ Lab
		tiles and table wares ✓ Load the kiln for the glazed wares ✓ Calculate the loading capacity of the kiln car /slabs ✓ Review the cleanliness of the		wares e.g. sanitary, bricks, tiles, table wares	

		slabs before loading ✓ Identify levelling apparatus.			
LU-2. Fire the Kin	 Trainee will be able to: Perform the routine inspection of kiln and its related accessories Draw firing curve Adjust air / gas ratio for the burners Adjust the tie rods of kiln as needed Ignite the burners Maintain different zones of the kiln Adjust pushing speed of the cars Adjust dampers of the kiln. Use appropriate safe technique when pushing and pulling the cars Operate standby generators 	 Knowledge of: Firing requirement (oxidation / reduction) Electric Voltage for firing Gas pressure Various Material Nature Kiln Pressure Ability to: Understand the firing requirement of the ware (oxidation / reduction) Explain electric voltage accordingly Define the required gas pressure Assess the color of the flame Identify the pressure of the kiln Classify the nature of materials to be fired. 	Theory: 10 hrs Practical: 46 hrs	 Models, Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Kilns 	Class Room/ Lab
LU-3. Record the	Trainee will be able to:Maintain the record of the Kiln	Knowledge of:Importance of kiln readingLog book	Theory: 06 hrs Practical: 20 hrs	Models,Wall ChartsMultimedia	Class Room/ Lab

Kiln data	Check air / gas ratio	Firing curve		o White	
	Examine kiln pressure, gas	Trouble shooting data in log		Board	
	pressure	book		 Stationary 	
	Maintain the log book			o Kiln	
	Monitor temperature of different	Ability to:		o log book	
	zones of the kiln at specified	✓ Record the log book			
	intervals.	✓ Measure firing cycle			
		✓ Record and analyze trouble			
		shooting data			
		✓ Use measuring instruments			
		✓ Log the kiln and production			
		data			
		✓ Monitor any abnormal			
		operation / behavior of the kiln			
	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 10 hrs	o Models,	Class Room/
LU-4.	Doubowe the vertice increation of	Importance of maintenance of	Practical: 46 hrs	o Wall Charts	Lab
Perform the	Perform the routine inspection of	kiln furniture		o Multimedia	
proper	kiln and its related accessories	Composition of the kiln wash		o White	
maintenance	Clean the burners regularly	maintenance of burners		Board	
of the kiln	Lubricate / grease the moving	Proper ignition of burners		 Stationary 	
	parts of the kiln.	Lubrication of mechanical		o Kiln	
	Clean the control panels	parts like rollers,		o log book	
	properly	compressor/blower			
	Insulate the hot areas where	Cracked insulation in the kiln			
	required				
	Replace damaged refractory	Ability to:			
	bricks				

Clean gas and air filters	✓ Identify and replace the		
regularly	contaminated kiln furniture		
 Adjust air /gas ratios 	✓ Make and apply kiln wash to		
Clean slabs /rollers periodically	furniture		
 Apply coating to the slabs 	✓ Identify lubricants / greases		
Develop preventive	✓ Use vacuum cleaning of the		
maintenance schedules	electronic parts		
	✓ Assess materials for coating of		
	slabs / rollers		
	✓ Identify various types of the		
	insulation materials and bricks		
	✓ Use different tools		
	✓ Identify the need for calibration		
	of thermocouples		
	✓ Maintain the required materials		
	for maintenance		
	✓ Identify the need for changing		
	the slabs		
	✓ Perform the cleaning of the		
	spark plug		
	✓ Identify the lubrication needs		
	of the rollers and the		
	compressor/blower		
	· ✓ Identify the wear and tears		

	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 08 hrs	0	Models,	Class Room/
LU-5.		Trouble shooting in kiln like	Practical: 36 hrs	0	Wall Charts	Lab
Trouble	Identify the trouble shooting	Tile Break		0	Multimedia	
shooting of	phenomena during kiln firing	Smoke in the zone		0	White	
the Kiln	Take quick action to minimize	Slabs/ Roller break			Board	
	the defects.	Gas leakage		0	Stationary	
	Restart the kiln after power	Over firing and under firing		0	Kiln	
	shutdown			0	log book	
	Adjust the air / gas ratios	Ability to:				
	Purge the kiln before every	✓ Identify the defects due to				
	starting cycle	firing				
		✓ Make Temperature adjustment				
		to remove the defect				
		✓ Remove the tile during firing				
		✓ Change the Roller/ Slabs				
		✓ Clean the burner				
		✓ Detect the leakage in line				
		✓ Stop the leakage				
		✓ Understand the kiln alarms				
		✓ Understand the kiln operating /				
		maintenance manuals				

Module 9: PERFORM THE QUALITY CONTROL

Objective: The Trainee should be able to understand the importance of quality control of the raw materials and the fired products

Learning	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials	Learning
Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Liements	Duration	Required	Place
LU-1. Evaluate the Ceramics raw materials	 Perform the physical analysis of the raw materials for the quality control Inspect the raw materials visually Test the Plasticity Check the Mesh size Check the Moisture Inspect the Colour after firing 	 Knowledge of: Sampling (quartering and Coning) of the different raw materials Mesh size Physical testing on raw materials Visual inspection of the raw materials Moisture test Loss on Ignition test Plasticity test Drying and firing shrinkage Color after firing Ability to: ✓ Understand the importance of these tests ✓ Perform the sampling of the raw materials ✓ Measure mesh size ✓ Identify the plasticity of the clay 	Theory: 08 hrs Practical: 20 hrs	 Models Wall Charts Multimedia White Board Stationary Oven Kiln Crucibles Scale Analytical Balance 	Class Room/ Lab

		 ✓ Measure % age moisture and %age Loss on ignition (LOI) ✓ Identify color after firing ✓ Measure shrinkage 			
LU-2. Identify the defects on the glazed	Trainee will be able to: Identify the different defects of the glazed material of the products e.g. crazing, pin holes, crawling, shiverage etc.	 Knowledge of: different defects of glazes like Crazing, shivering, pin holes Describe their remedies Ability to: Understand the glazing defects Identify the pin hole Identify the crazing Identify the shivering Identify the crawling Understand the reasons and their remedies 	Theory: 05 hrs Practical: 10 hrs	 Slides Models Whiteboard Sheets Defected glazed products Oven Kiln Inks 	Class Room/ Lab

LU-3. Identify the defects on fired body	Trainee will be able to: Identify the defects in ceramics bodies e.g. warpage, crack etc	 Knowledge of: Defects in bodies like warpage crack etc. Describe their remedies Ability to: ✓ Understand the body defects ✓ Identify the warpage ✓ Remove the defects 	Theory: 05 hrs Practical: 10 hrs	0 0 0 0 0 0	Slides Models Whiteboard Sheets Defected glazed products Oven Kiln Inks	Class Room/ Lab
LU-4. Perform grading of the products.	 Trainee will be able to: Make grading on the basis of defects Draw the table for the grading 	 Knowledge of: Importance of the grading the products Quality control policy of the company Ability to: Understand the importance of grading ✓ Perform grading 	Theory: 03 hrs Practical: 10 hrs	0 0 0 0 0	Slides Models Whiteboard Sheets Oven Kiln Inks	Class R

Module 10: PERFORM COMMUNICATION

Objective: To makes enable the trainee to properly communicate with the related persons in the Industry

Learning Unit	Learning Outcomes	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Communica te with seniors / juniors	 Trainee will be able to: Demonstrate communication skill with seniors / juniors Communicate verbally according to the status of seniors/joiners. Select the suitable channel and communicate in written. 	 Knowledge of: Verbal communication, channel of communication and written communication Ability to: Communicate verbally according to the status of seniors / juniors Select the suitable channel and communicate in written. 	Theory: 02 hrs Practical: 08	Related booksWhite BoardPapers	Class Room/ Lab
LU-2. Communic ate with engineers/ Supervisor	 Trainee will be able to: Demonstrate the communication skill Communicate with engineers/ supervisor 	 Knowledge of: Verbal communication Different Channel of communication Importance of written communication. Ability to:	Theory: 02 hrs Practical: 08	RelatedbooksWhiteBoardPapers	Class Room/ Lab

		 ✓ Communication verbally according to the status of engineer / overseer ✓ Select the suitable channel ✓ Communicate in written. 			
LU-3. Communic ate with electrical department	 Trainee will be able to: Demonstrate the communication skill Communication with electrical department 	 Knowledge of: Verbal communication, channel of communication and written communication. Ability to: Communicate verbally/ written according to the status of electrical faults. 	Theory: 02 hrs Practical: 08	 Related books White Board Papers 	Class Room/ Lab

Module 11: Safety at Work

Objective: The Trainee should be able to describe the safe working environment procedures, precautions and how to cope with hazards during accidents

Learning Outcomes Unit	Learning Elements	Duration	Materials Required	Learning Place
LU-1. Identify the protective procedures Trainee will be able to: Identify the various ty protective clothing the and their uses	r uses uses	Theory: 06 hrs Practical: 20 hrs	 Whiteboard Sheets Safety cloths Overalls Ear defender/pl ugs Safety boots Safety Gloves Safety Helmets Safety Masks Safety Goggles 	Class room/lab

	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 03 hrs	0	Whiteboard	Class
LU-2.		• importance of safe working	Practical: 20	0	Sheets	room/lab
Ensure the	Keep the work place clean	environment	hrs	0	Safety	
cleaning of	Provide the Basic first aid	importance of the proper			cloths	
the working	treatment	positioning of the related tools		0	Overalls	
area	Maintain the work place	first aid treatment		0	Ear	
	properly.	Electrical Shock			defender/pl	
	Clean and store the tools safely.	Bleeding			ugs	
		Breakage of bones		0	Safety	
		Minor burns			boots	
		Eye Injuries		0	Safety	
					Gloves	
		Ability to:		0	Safety	
		✓ Deal with minor accidents and			Helmets	
		injuries		0	Safety	
		✓ Make proper placement of			Masks	
		tools in the work place		0	Safety	
		✓ Provide first aid treatment			Goggles	
	Trainee will be able to:	Knowledge of:	Theory: 05 hrs	0	Whiteboard	Class
LU-3. Use		Fire Extinguishers and their	Practical: 20	0	Sheets	room/lab
of Fire	Use the fire extinguisher and	uses	hrs	0	Safety	
Extinguishe	Safety Alarms at the time of	Safety alarms			cloths	
r and safety	emergency			0	Overalls	
alarms		Ability to:		0	Ear	
		✓ Use at the time of fire due to			defender/pl	
				<u> </u>		

electrical short circuit or	ugs
combustion	o Safety
✓ Use the alarm during fire	boots
	o Safety
	Gloves
	o Safety
	Helmets
	o Safety
	Masks
	o Safety
	Goggles
	o Fir
	Extinguishe
	r

4. ASSESSMENT

MODULE 1:- PREPARATION OF SLIP AND GLAZES							
Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates		
LU-1. Perform Crushing of raw materials	8	20	 Explain the different types of raw materials used in the ceramics industries Explain the working principle and operation of different crushers like Jaw Crusher, Gyratory crusher Demonstrate the Crushing of Sand stone in the Jaw Crusher 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task			
LU-2. Perform batching of raw materials for slip and glaze	14	30	 Explain the types of the different clay bodies w.r.t composition Explain the Flux, binder and filler used in the slip body Describe the preparation of slip Describe the use of Deflocculants in the slip Describe Glaze and its types Explain the different colors used in making colored glazes Demonstrate the batch 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task			

			calculations of the stone ware,	
			·	
			Porcelain and tera cotta bodies	
			 Demonstrate to make batch for 	
			different types of glazes	
	16	• 36	• Explain the working principle and	Short Question and answer,
LU-3. Perform grinding			operation of different grinding mills	Oral test, Task
and mixing of raw			 Explain the types of grinding and 	
materials			the selection factors for choosing	
			of the grinding media.	
			■ Demonstrate to do the complete	
			grinding of raw materials in the ball	
			mill	
	6	2 8	Explain the different parameters	Short Question and answer,
LU-4. Check and adjust			affecting quality of slip and glazes	Oral test, Task
the parameters of slip and			 Demonstrate the density 	
glazes			measurement of the given slip	
			 Demonstrate to perform the 	
			residue test	
			 Demonstrate the viscosity 	
			measurement test of the slip and	
			glaze	
	6	20	Define and explain the filtration	Short Question and answer,
LU-5. Perform filtration of			 Explain the operating principal of 	Oral test, Task
the slip			the filter press	
			 Explain the working principal of 	
			blunger	

			 Perform filter pressing of the slip Perform the mixing in the blunger 	
6. Perform the vacuum	4	10	Explain the Vacuum Kneading process	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task
kneading of the filter cake			 Describe the working operation and principal of the pug mill Explain the role of the vacuum pump, dies, cutter in the mill Demonstrate to operate the pug mill and make the blank 	

MODULE 2:- PREPARE MODEL AND MOULD

Learning Units	Theory	Workplace	Recommended formative	Recommended	Scheduled
	hours	Days/hours	assessment	Methodology	Dates
	12	30	Explain different Units of Length,	Short Question and answer,	
1. Make design of the			Area and Volume	Oral test, Task	
desire product			Perform the Conversion of these		
			units		
			Describe the basics of drafting i.e		
			Side elevation, Top, bottom, front		
			etc.		
			 Explain scale drawings 		
			Demonstrate the tracing of the		
			given pattern		
			Demonstrate the use of the Vernier		
			Calipers, Scale etc.		

			 Demonstrate the free hand and scale drawing 		
2. Make Model of the desired product	10	30	 Describe different materials used for the model making Explain the different tools used for Model making Demonstrate the Model making of the given pattern 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
3. Make various types of Plaster mould	18	65	 Explain the different types of Moulds Demonstrate the making of the given size of jiggering mould Demonstrate the making of the Case, Master and working mould 4. Demonstrate the making of the multi pieces mold 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	

Module 3: Forming of Articles by Different Techniques

Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates
LU-1. Make Articles by casting technique	8	0	 Explain the different forming techniques used in the ceramics industries. 	Short Question and answer, Oral test,	
LU-2. Mould Filling	6	30	Explain the filling of the mould with	Short Question and answer,	

			slip Demonstrate the filling of the given mould	Oral test, Task	
LU-3. Analyze the Casting thickness and time	5	50	 Explain the factors for controlling casting thickness Explain casting time Demonstrate to cast the slip for the controlled thickness 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-4. Make articles by pressing techniques	8	30	 Explain the articles made by pressing Explain the different pressing techniques Demonstrate to make the tile manual or automatic 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-5. Perform Jiggering and jollying	2	20	 Describe the Jiggering & Jollying Process Explain the Dies and Moulds used for this process Demonstrate to make cup and plate from the machine 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
MODULE 4: PERFOR	RM DIFFE	RENT TEC	HNIQUES OF DRYING		
Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates

LU-1. Perform drying of the articles	8	25	 Define drying and explain the different drying equipments used in the ceramics industries Perform the drying in dryer 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-2. Perform drying in spray dryer	9	35	 Explain the working principal and construction of the Spray dryer Explain the importance of grain size, Atomization and the controlling factors of low of slip and steam Demonstrate the drying of the slip in the spray dryer 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-3. Perform the joining of the pieces	5	38	 Explain the joining materials for joining of pieces Demonstrate to make a paste Demonstrate the joining of the given pieces 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-4. Re-finishing of the pieces Module 6: Make deco	4	18 articles	 Explain the need of refinishing the piece Explain refinishing and the tools Demonstrate the re-finishing of the given pieces 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
Learning Units	Theory	Workplace	Recommended formative	Recommended	Scheduled

	hours	Days/hours	assessment	Methodology	Dates
LU-1. Make under glaze decoration	8	40	 Explain the under glaze decoration Describe the related tools and the properties of color solution Demonstrate to make the pattern for the under glaze decoration in the given piece 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-2. Make engraving	4	20	 Explain engraving technique and the related tools Demonstrate the engraving in the given piece 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-3. Perform embossing	4	20	 Explain embossing technique and the related tools Demonstrate the embossing in the given piece 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-4. Perform over glaze decoration	8	30	 Explain the types of Over glaze decoration Explain the enameling and its applications methods Explain luster, Spraying and brushing and their related tools Demonstrate to apply the screen printing, Spraying, ,brushing Luster and sticker pasting in the given piece 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	

	14	30	 Explain the Engobe, its making, 	Short Question and answer,
LU-5. Make Engobe			adjustment and application	Oral test, Task
decoration			methods	
			 Demonstrate to apply the Engobe 	
			the body with the help of pouring	
			technique	

MODULE 7: GLAZE APPLICATION METHODS

Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates
LU-1. Perform glazing by spraying	6	30	 Explain the glazing by spray gun and its applications. Explain the working principal and use of the spray gun. Explain the role of Wheel and Spray booth on spray glazing Demonstrate the glazing on the given item with the help of spray gun 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-2. Perform glazing by brushing	4	40	 Explain the application of glazing by brushing technique Demonstrate the glazing on the piece with brush 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	
LU-3. Perform glazing by	8	30	 Explain the application of glazing by dipping techniques and the 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	

dipping			factors of controlling glaze		
dipping					
			consistency		
			 Demonstrate the glazing on the 		
			different pieces with dipping		
			technique		
	8	28	Describe the application of glazes	Short Question and answer,	
4. Perform glazing by			by pouring	Oral test, Task	
pouring			 Explain the water fall glazing 		
			method		
			 Demonstrate the glazing on the 		
			piece with pouring in the water fall		
			glazing system		
	8	32	Explain the parameters that affect	Short Question and answer,	
5. Correct application of			the application of glazing	Oral test, Task	
glaze			 Demonstrate to apply the given 		
-			glaze on the ware by adjusting the		
			related parameters		
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MODULE 8: KILN FIRING

Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates
LU-1. Perform loading and unloading of kiln	8	40	 Define kiln, explain the kiln furniture and its types Describe staking Perform the loading of the given 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	

			different types of wares on the kiln furniture
LU-2. Perform the proper maintenance of the kiln	10	46	 Describe the maintenance of the kiln furniture Describe the maintenance of the burners Describe the importance of the insulation and mechanical parts of the kiln Demonstrate to perform the maintenance of the kiln
LU-3. Ensure the proper control of the kiln	10	48	 Describe the different parameters for affecting the control of the kiln Combustion ratio Temperature Pressure Flow Demonstrate the control of the running kiln by adjusting these above parameters
LU-4. Record the Kiln data	6	20	 Describe the importance of kiln reading Describe Log book and its application Explain the firing curve Describe trouble shooting data

			5. Demonstrate to add the data in the log book		
LU-5. Trouble shooting of the Kiln	8	36	 Describe the trouble shooting data in kiln Explain Over firing and under firing Demonstrate to minimize the gas leakage and change the break roller/ slabs during firing Demonstrate to identify and remove the smoke from the kiln zone 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task	

MODULE 9: PERFORM QUALITY CONTROL									
Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates				
LU-1. Evaluate the Ceramics raw materials	8	20	 Explain the sampling technique for the raw materials Explain the physical tests used for the raw materials Demonstrate the sampling of the raw materials 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task					

			 Demonstrate the physical testing like, moisture, % LOI, plasticity, color after firing on the given raw materials 	
LU-2. Identify defects on the glazed body	5	10	 Explain the different defects on the surface of glazes Describe the reasons of these defects Identify the different defects on glazed surface 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task
LU-3. Identify the defects on the fired body	5	10	 Explain the different defects on bodies Describe the reasons of these defects Identify the different defects on surface 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task
LU Perform grading of the products.	3	10	 Explain the importance of grading and the quality control Demonstrate the grading of the given materials 	Short Question and answer, Oral test, Task

MODULE 10: PERFORM COMMUNICATION

Learning Units	Theory hours	Workplace Days/hours	Recommended formative assessment	Recommended Methodology	Scheduled Dates
LU-1. Communicate with	2	8	Explain communication technique	Short Question and	
seniors / juniors			and communications skill with	answers, Quiz, Task	

Learning Units	Theory	Workplace	Recommended formative	Recommended	Scheduled
LU-3. Communicate with electrical department MODULE 11:SAFETY	AT WOE	8 8	 Explain communication technique and communications skill with electrician/Electrical department Demonstrate to perform the communication with the related person 	Short Question and answers, Quiz, Task	
LU-2. Communicate with engineer/ Supervisor	2	8	 seniors/juniors. Demonstrate to perform the communication with the related person Explain communication technique and communications skill with engineer/supervisor. Demonstrate to perform the communication with the related person 	Short Question and answers, Quiz, Task	

Learning Units Theory		Wo	rkplace	Red	commended formative	Red	ommended	Sch	eduled		
	ho	urs	Day	s/hours	;	assessment	Met	hodology	Date	es	
LU-1. Identify the protective procedures		6	3	20		Describe different personal		Short Question and			
						protective equipments, tools ar	nd	answers, Quiz,Task			
protocuro procodurco						their uses					
						 Demonstrate to wear the safety 	/				
						equipment for eyes, hands, boo	dy				
						and feet					

	J-2. Ensure the cleanir the working area		3	20	 Describe the importance of safe working environment Describe first aid treatment Explain different types of injurie Demonstrate the arrangement of tools and equipments for the clean 	answers, Quiz, task s of	
		5	20	-	Explain the different types of fire	Short Question and	
LU-3.	LU-3. Use Fire				extinguishers.	answers, Quiz, Task	
Exting	Extinguisher and safety			•	Describe the importance of		
Alarms	5				safety alarms		
				•	Demonstrate the extinguishing		
					of fire with the help of fire		
					extinguisher		

5. SUPPORTIVE NOTES

Assessment context:

This unit has to be assessed on the job, off the job, or a combination of on and off the job demonstrated by an individual work.

Critical aspects:-

- ✓ Able to make different batches for body and glazes
- ✓ Ability to operate all the machinery in the slip house
- ✓ Able to make different types of Plaster of Paris moulds
- ✓ Ability to make different items by casting, jiggering and jollying and pressing techniques
- ✓ Ability to operate the dryers
- ✓ Ability to perform finishing and joining
- ✓ Ability to apply glaze on the ceramics ware by spraying dipping pouring and brushing techniques
- ✓ Ability to decorate the ceramics ware by different techniques
- ✓ Ability to operate the kiln
- ✓ Ability to record the kiln data
- ✓ Ability to perform sorting
- ✓ Ability to properly communicate
- ✓ Follow safety rules

Assessment condition:-

- Each unit should be assessed separately.
- The candidate will have to access all the related tools, equipment, material and demonstrations required.
- The candidate will be required orally or by other methods of communication to answer questions asked by the assessor.
- Present evidence related to the skills.

• Assessors must be satisfied that the candidate can competently and consistently perform all elements of the unit as specified by criteria and that he possesses the required knowledge and skill.

Resources required for assessment:-

It includes all tools, equipment and related material, listed in the curriculum

11. LIST OF TOOLS, MACHINERY & EQUIPMENTSR

NO.	NOMENCLATURE OF EQUIPMENT / TOOLS	QUANTITY
1.	Shuttle kiln with all accessories	1 No. (Imported)
	 Volume:- 500 liter 	
	 Maximum temperature:- 1300 deg C 	
	 Fuel- Natural gas fired 	
	 Blower as per specification of the Kiln 	
	 , Suitable for oxidizing & Reduction firing 	
	 Equipped with all temp/fuel control system 	
	Kiln Furnitures	
	 SiC Slabs, Saggers, Pilleretc 	
2.	Ball Mill with complete accessories	1 No.
	Capacity: 100 kg	
	 Grinding Media: Stone balls 	
	Rubber Linning	
	Speed Reducer with RPM controller	
3	Jaw Crusher	1 No.
	Feed size 130	
	 Product size 10 mm 	
4	Vibrating Sieve Shaker	25 set.
	With Standard Sieves sets	
5	Blunger	1 No.
6	Filter Press	1 No.

	Cylinder capacity: 30 to 300 m	
	Filter plate material: Pure Polypropylene	
7	Jiggering and jollying Machine	1 No.
8	Laboratory Oven	1 No.
	Capacity 500 L	
	 Max Temperature: 300 deg C 	
9	Pug Mill with vacuum	1 No.
10	Portable Spray Gun	4 No
11	Modeling Wheel	5 No
12	Torsion Balance Viscometer	1 No
13	MagneticSeparator	1 No.
14	Spray Booth	4 No
15	Lab Scale Kiln	1 No.
	 Max Temperature 1200 deg C 	
	Volume 20 L	
16	Plaster Modeling Wheel	5 No
17	Plaster Mixing Machine	1 No
18	Analytical weighting Scale	1 No
19	Buckets, jugs	10 No
20	Spoons & whisks	20 No
21	Wooden Boards	60 No
22	Plaster Bats	20 No

24	Plaster's Turning Tools Set	2 No
25	Scrapers or Metal Kidneys	10 No
26	Carpenter's Saw	2 No
27	Surforms Blades	30 No
28	Forged Steel Tools	20 No
29	Hacksaw Blades	20 No
30	Variety of Files, Knives, Gouges, chisels	50 No
31	Weighing scale	1 No.
32	Calipers	10 No
33	Flexi curves	10 No
34	• Compasses	20 No

6. LIST OFCONSUMABLE SUPPLIES

SR. NO.	Consumable Items	QUANTITY
	Green wares like	
	Plates	
	Bowls	
1.	Dishes	100 each
	Basins	
	Commodes	
	Bricks	
2.	Pyrometric sager cones	20 set
3.	Insulating Wool	10 set
4.	Kiln furniture like SiC Slabs etc.	20 No
5.	China Clay,	2 Ton
6.	Ball Clay	2 Ton
7.	Pottery Clay	2 Ton
8.	Soda Feldspar	2 Ton
9.	Potash feldspar	2 Ton
10.	Quartz	2 Ton
11.	Lime Stone	1 Ton
12.	Talc	500 Kg

13.	Zironia	300 Kg
14.	Corundum	100 Kg

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