

Port-a-Pottery

For those who'd rather paint at home...and save a little money!

How it Works...

1. Purchase bisque (ceramic shapes) at 30 % off* regular prices!
2. Purchase glazes (colors)** from The Pottery Stop. See pricing on the last page.
3. In lieu of the regular studio fee, you pay only the firing fee, which is 25% of the price of each piece.
4. Create your masterpiece(s) at home.
5. Return to The Pottery Stop to have your pieces fired. Pieces are usually ready 7-14 days after you drop them off.

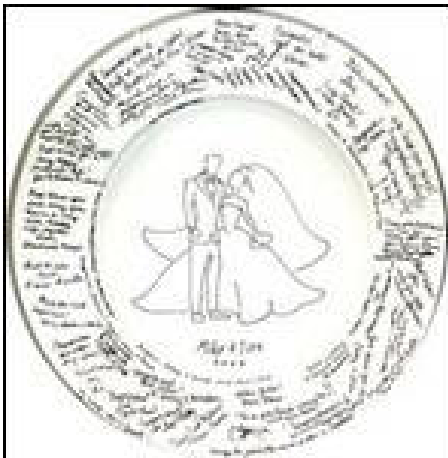
***Discount only applies to bisque purchased to paint off-site. Pieces purchased for Port-a-Pottery CAN NOT be painted in the studio at any time. **Note: You must only use colors and ceramic shapes purchased from The Pottery Stop. The colors you buy are cone-specific bisque underglazes, not paints, and must be kiln-fired. You CANNOT buy glazes at craft stores! We will NOT fire unknown materials in our kilns.**

Port-a-Parties

1. Choose a theme for your party & order your pieces a minimum of 2 weeks in advance. Pricing will depend on the item you choose.
2. Decide on colors. If you are not doing food-bearing pieces, you can choose to do an acrylic party. Purchase brushes, acrylic color and spray sealer at a craft store. **If you are doing food-bearing pieces or prefer the look of kiln-fired glazes, you will purchase glaze colors from The Pottery Stop.**
3. Pick up your pieces and materials and sign our Port-a-Pottery contract. If you are doing acrylics, you will pay when you pick up your materials. If you are having the pieces fired, note that glazes (color) can not be returned. When you return the pieces for firing, you will be charged for all painted pottery and any damaged pottery.
4. Bring your ceramic pieces back to have them fired if you've used glazes. If you used acrylics, you'll use a spray sealer and send the pieces home with the kids the day of your event.
Remember: Acrylics can not be fired in our kilns! Do NOT use your own "paints" on things to be fired.
5. Pieces are usually ready to pick up within 7-14 days after drop off. Pick up date will be noted on your receipt. We will estimate your pick up day when you pick up your materials.

Signature Pieces

Have your guests sign a signature piece at your next special event for a one-of-a-kind way to remember your special day. Here's how:



1. Purchase your piece and a special oven-curing porcelain pen from The Pottery Stop.
2. Paint your design & leave it for firing.
3. Pick your piece up 1 week later unless otherwise noted by an employee.
4. Guests sign with the porcelain pen & you cure the signatures in your oven.

GREAT GIFT IDEA for graduations, weddings, retirement parties, reunions, birthday parties, etc.

Port-a-Party for Adults!

Baby Showers * Bridal Showers *
*** Housewarming Parties ***
Office Parties * Team Building Events



Create your own combination - from dinnerware to decorative items. We can order tables, trays and mirrors to be inlaid with hand-painted tiles. Make your pieces as unique and personal by having them created by the guest of honor's family and friends! See pricing information below.

Pricing Information

- Pottery Discount: 30% off bisque prices (*see restrictions below*)
- Firing Fee 25% of the ORIGINAL (pre-discount) price of the piece.
- 2 oz. colors \$3.50 8 oz. colors \$12 Pints \$20
- Go-Kits (7-2 oz. colors) \$22 (save \$2.50)
- Replacement Brushes \$5 per brush (Only applies to Port-a-Parties who borrow brushes)
- Porcelain Pens (*oven-cured pen*) \$5. Used after firing to put signatures on Signature Platters (see above).

Policies

- Acrylic Port-a-Pottery materials must be paid in full upon time of order. Ceramic Port-a-Party items are secured with credit card. See RETURNS below.
- Off-Site Discount- 30% off piece price. Discount applies to pottery only, **not materials or firing**. No other discounts apply. Pieces CAN NOT be painted in the studio if they were purchased as Port-a-Pottery.
- Returns: **Glazes (colors) may not be returned.** Excess bisque may be returned if there is no visible damage or grease damage (hand lotion, food oils, etc.) to the piece. Customers must present original receipt in order to be reimbursed for returns. Items paid with cash will be reimbursed with a check through the mail.
- Special Orders must be made no later than 2 weeks in advance.
- Firing times will vary. Please allow a minimum of 2 weeks to fire your items.
- The Pottery Stop is NOT RESPONSIBLE for damage to pieces off-site, including damage during the firing process caused by the use of non-fired products on pieces. Do not use paints, pencils or pens on the pottery if it is to be fired. ASK us what can be used. Thanks!