LESSON PLAN FOUND OBJECTS COLLAGE

PRODUCTS AND TOOLS USED

- Low fire white clay (EM 100)
- Bisque Plate (MB-1116 Casualware Dinner Plate)
- Water
- Sponge
- Brushes
- Pallet

Pencil

- Collection of found
- objects for stamping
- Slab roller or rolling pin
- Fettling knife
- Texture roller (Xiem art roller- Doodles X10005)

COLOR USED

- SC-6 Sunkissed
- SC-11 Blue Yonder
- SC-15 Tuxedo
- SC-73 Candy Apple Red
- SC-98 Slime Time



- 1. Roll out a slab that is about 1/8" thick
- 2. Compress both sides of the slab with a rib



- 3. Draw desired plaque shape with your pencil tip on the clay, mistakes can be smoothed over with a rib and
- 4. Cut desired plaque shape using fettling knife



- 5. Smooth out cut edges with damp sponge
- 6. Add texture to your plaque with a texture roller by rolling in desired area



- 7. Add two holes at the top pf your plaque for your hanging string. Push the back of your pencil into the clay to create holes at least ½" in from the top edge of the plaque and at least 4 inches apart
- 8. Clean up holes with damp sponge of finger





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9. Allow plaque to dry slowly, lightly covered with plastic to keep piece from warping. Drying plaque between two ware boards can also help keep your piece flat



- **10.** You can uncover plaque when it is no longer leather hard and allow it to continue to dry until bone dry
- 11. Bisque fire clay to Cone 04



- 1. Begin with properly fired cone 04 bisque. Moisten a sponge and wipe bisque to remove any dust
- 2. Use the pencil to draw different types of lines, dividing the piece into at least 4 sections



4. Once glaze is dry, take an item you found and brush it with SC-15 Tuxedo using the Script Liner or Soft Fan (depending on the size of the item). Gently press it onto a section of your piece and repeat



3. Using a liner brush or Soft Fan (depends on if your sections are large or small) 2 coats of glaze to each section, alternating all colors except SC-15 Tuxedo. Allow glaze to dry between coats



- 5. Sample each found item into desired sections of the piece
- 6. Once design is complete, allow glaze to dry fully and fire piece to Cone 06



