

# Coil Pot

## Create a symmetrical vessel using the coil technique.

- At its widest point the vessel must be a minimum of 5 inches wide but not exceed a width of 7 inches.
  - The vessel must be a minimum of 7 inches high and not exceed 10 inches high.
- You can add handles or other decorative items to your pot (this is not included in the height and width requirements).
  - The pot must have some variance in shape and cannot be a cylinder.

## You have 2 choices

- 1) Your pot can be decorative and must include a combination of at least 3 different coil types: visible coils, spiral coils, wavy coils, and/or straight coils. At least a third of your pot must have decorative visible coils.



OR

- 2) Your pot can be completely smooth but must have a face and other anthropomorphic traits similar to the traditional face jugs I show in class. You must also have a handle or handles if you choose this option.



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Grading: 30 points\*

5 points: The coil vessel meets size requirements.

3 points: The coil vessel is not cylindrical and there is a couple sections where the circumference varies.

2 points: The coil pot is symmetrical or there is a clear attempt at symmetry.

10 points: Good craftsmanship, quality, and effort are apparent. Broken pieces and cracks are minimal. Score marks are not visible. Glaze did not run or stick.

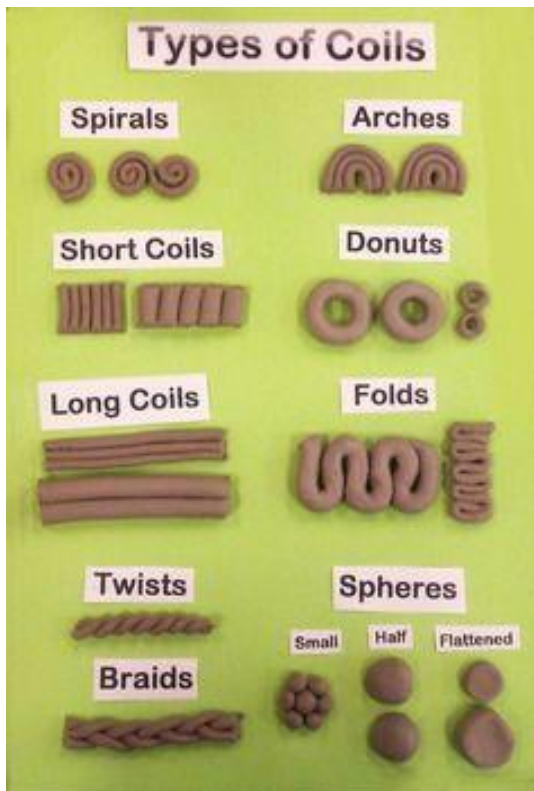
5 points: There are 3 visible coil types covering at least 1/3 of your pot OR the face on your jug has good craftsmanship and details and your jug also includes handles.

2 points: Your name is clearly incised on the bottom of your piece.

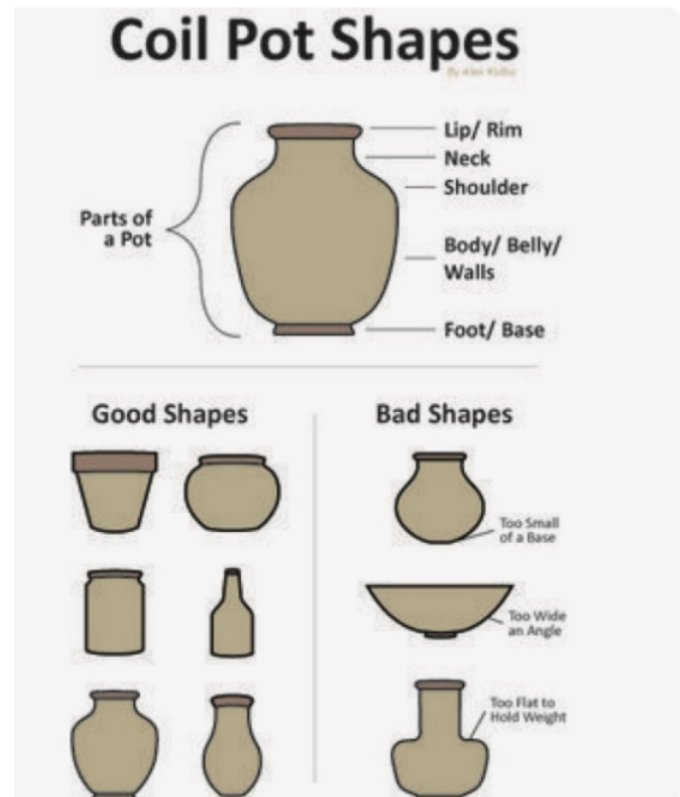
3 points: Questions are answered and explained when turning into google classroom.

\*-3 points if your piece is late when turning into google.

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but here to show some examples



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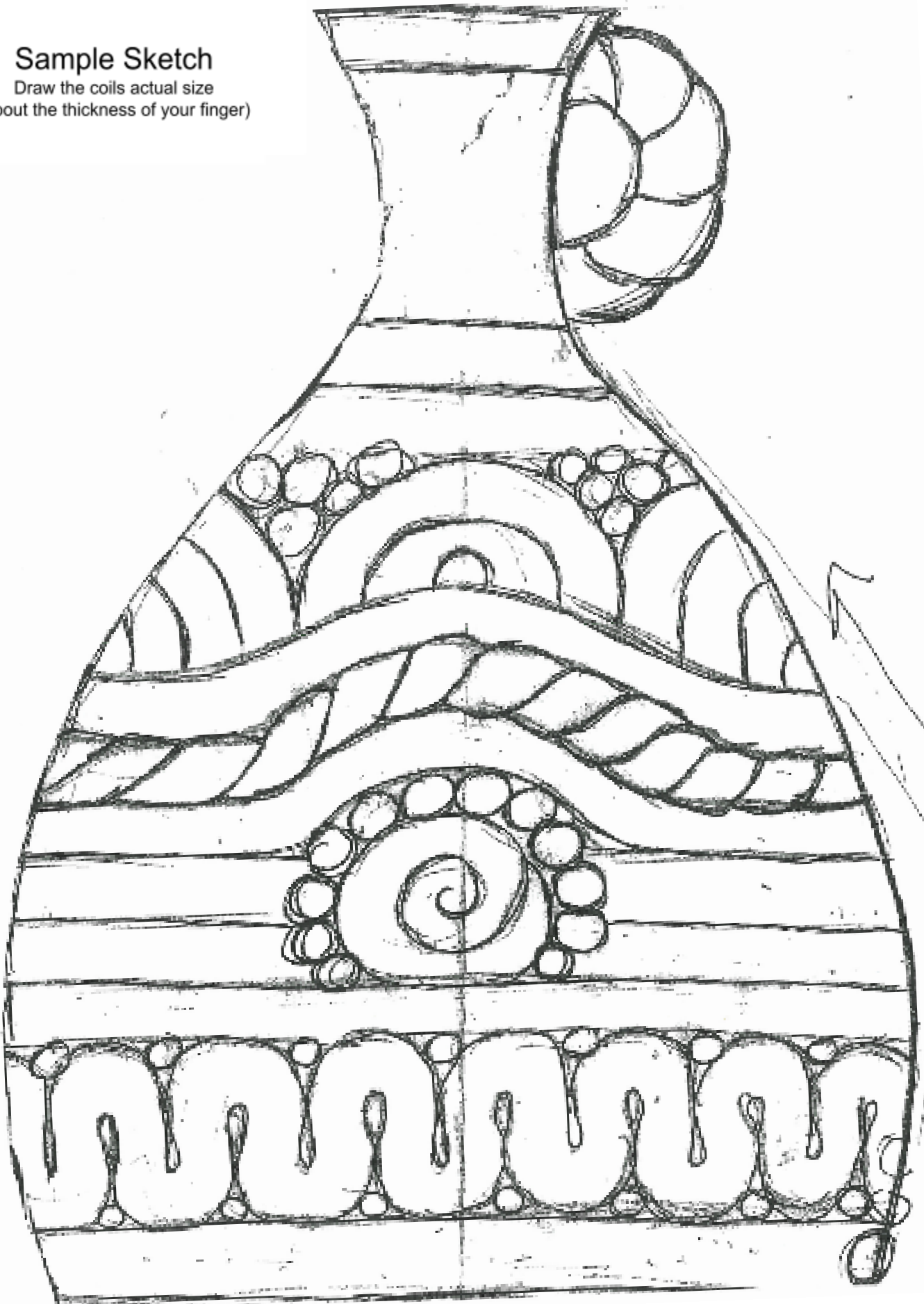


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You can use spheres  
however they do not  
count as one of the  
three required three coil  
types

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## Sample Sketch

Draw the coils actual size  
(about the thickness of your finger)



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_

Draw a sketch of your pot **ACTUAL SIZE** on the attached page. Use a ruler. A sheet of paper (8.5 x 11) is a good reference as well. This will ensure that you will meet the size requirements. If you have visible coils, try and draw them **ACTUAL SIZE** as well. The coils will be about the circumference of your pinky finger.