

**Subject:** Thank you

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**To:** <cliff@day-in-clay.com>

Dear Cliff,

Your beautiful pictures arrived yesterday and the gorgeous piece of signed pottery today. Even though the craziness of the culmination of the school year is upon us I wanted to take a minute to thank you.

It is evident that you are a very talented and knowledgeable artist and your work with the students was superb. They enjoyed the experience tremendously and the impact of the program made up for the fact that we don't have an art room and therefore students' experiences of working with three dimensional art are very limited. They were practically thirsty for it! I looked at the painted pieces as they dried in classrooms and was very impressed with the finished products. From observing your classes and from the feedback I received it is evident that your process was inspiring and motivating as well. Your enthusiasm and dedication to your craft were practically contagious. I also thank you for your flexibility. Working in a tent was a creative solution for us but it presented numerous challenges which you were flexible enough to overcome.

The quick follow-up with your pictures and the beautiful pottery pieces were also very impressive. Given our space limitations we will have to figure out where to display them but I'm committed to finding something that will do them justice.

Cliff, I do want to talk about bringing you back. We still won't have an Art Room next year so I would want another great experience for the students that will fill the void of working with three-dimensional media. Having met our students and experienced our environment you will probably have some ideas for me. School will be out after Wednesday of next week and I work a decent part of the summer. If you want to propose something to us that will be slightly different and interesting for next year please give me a call. I can be reached at: 201-816-7707.

Thank You, Once Again, and My Very Best Regards,

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