

UltraLite Beehive Studio Kiln ©

Firing Cork Clay out of metal Clay

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Install the Metal Clay firing Disk then preheat your kiln with the lid on. Remove the lid and install your piece leaving the lid off . Watch for the smoke to subside and then fire for an additional 30 minutes, turn the piece upside down and fire for another 15 minutes.

A 3/4" bead with will have a small flame and smoke for about 20 seconds. There is no real foul odor and the smoke is minimal. I fired the clay for 30 minutes after the smoke stopped. (Do not cover while firing.)

You might want to fire under an exhaust fan or outside if possible. I just fired it in my garage the flame from the cork clay came out of either end of the bead about an inch and was beautiful.