ESSENTIAL CLAY TOOLS



LOOP TOOL

Used to remove controlled amounts of clay from wheelthrown and sculpture pieces.

METAL RIB

Flexible scraper used for shaping and smoothing clay.

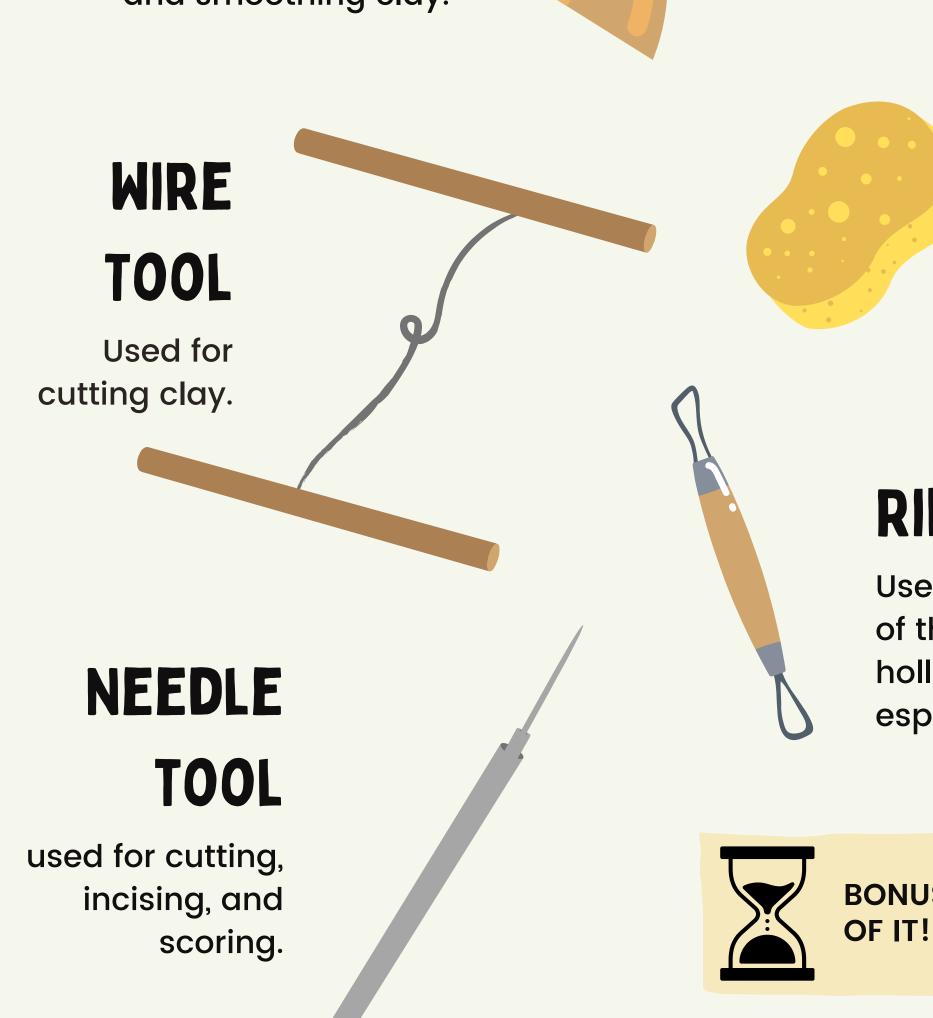
WOOD MODELING TOOL

Used for shaping, cutting, and adding patterns to your work.

WOODEN RIB

Scraper used for shaping and smoothing clay.

SPONGE



Used to clean up your workspace, make the surface of your pottery smooth, clean up extra water that's sitting in and around your piece, and decorate with.

RIBBON TOOL

Used mainly to trim the bases of thrown pots, but also to hollow out handmade shapes, especially sculptural forms.

BONUS TOOL: <u>PATIENCE</u>, AND LOTS OF IT!