

Firing Schedule /// Protocols

Firing Schedule is posted on the CER./Wet Shop [website](#).

School Firing Schedule

Bisque and Glaze Firings will be regularly scheduled every other week.

Class Firing Schedule

Faculty can request class firings(addition to the **School Firing Schedule**) with Technician.

Kiln Signup is available if student needs to fire at a designated temperature(decals, luster, $\Delta 10$ etc.), or have enough work to fill a kiln. Please contact us at wetshop@newschool.edu 3 days before proposed firing.

**Signing up with a group is encouraged!

Kiln Signup is NOT for:

Drying Greenware(as per situation)

Projects should be strategically planned to be bone dry(cool to touch) before bisque firing. While drying a wet piece in a kiln, it is difficult to gauge if a piece is dry to the core. If the moisture is not able to dissipate as fast as the temperature is going up, moisture will force its way out and result in the explosion of the piece. Firing the piece dry can also result in surface cracks, and is also a huge waste energy when we can dry most of the moisture out in room temperature.

Firing last minute work

Kiln Signup is not available for rushed firings, the process of getting approved will take up to 24 hours. After your Signup is approved, please allow 1-3 days for kiln to fire up/cool down and unloaded.

Firing single project or a few pieces

Students should always check if they can fit their projects in the **School/Class Firing Schedule** posted on the Wet Shop [website](#).

** Please be aware that if you are leaving your work for the Technicians to fire, there is always a risk of it breaking either from an accident or poor construction. If you would like to load/unload your own work, please be present at the kiln load/unloading.