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The Art Vendor Advisory Committee will only screen two crafts per meeting. If you want to screen for additional crafts, you will need to complete a new application after you have been approved for two. How many crafts are you applying for? Example: Beaded jewelry and watercolor paintings on canvas are two crafts; ceramic pendants and ceramic bowls are one craft (Ceramic items)

I am applying for two crafts

Please list your two craft items to be screened: **2D art on canvas, ceramics**

Are you a current art vendor adding an additional craft?

No

A family unit is two (2) or more persons jointly engaged in the creation of an art or craft item. Is this an application for a Family Unit?

No

Artist Biography (Please provide a short biography about yourself and your craft):

I am a 21 year old foster youth artist located in the Bay Area currently attending school at UC Berkeley majoring in art Practice. My art tends to focus on symbolic or metaphoric qualities.

1. Describe the items you plan to sell and how each type of item is made. Please be as detailed as possible. Example: I plan to sell digital photographic prints of artwork that I designed in Illustrator and printed on cardstock using a home printer.

2D: pick reference, sketch with pencil, then try your best to replicate it in canvas. Ceramics: start from pinch pot, then shape into larger pot and sculpt shapes of designs

2. Where did you learn your craft? Did you take a class or learn on your own?

I learned in my own, I've been painting and drawing since third grade

Please provide up to two (2) images of your craft in process. The images should include you demonstrating your process. See an example here

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Please provide up to two (2) images of your finalized craft. The images should show examples of what you plan to sell. See an example here

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Please provide an image of your workspace that includes the equipment and materials used in your craft. See an example here.

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Additionally, artists may upload a video (up to five minutes) of their process. See an example video [here](#).

No answer given

4. Is your craft considered an American Indian or Alaskan Native style, traditional or contemporary, arts and crafts? Do you identify as a member of the community that practices this cultural tradition? Are you compliant with The Indian Arts and Crafts Act of 1990?

No

5. What makes your work different from other artists and craftspeople making similar items?

A lot of my work has Anthropomorphic or metaphorical qualities where I like to make items based on other items so that the buyer can feel a sense of purpose for the piece but then also receive mental gratification out of the multilayered meanings of the pieces.

(Optional) Please provide an artist CV or Résumé:

No answer given

(Optional) Please provide any Letters of Recommendation from other markets or studios you may have:

No answer given

6. What artist or business name are you operating under?

Dakota LaValley Paintings

7. Do you have a website, Etsy, Instagram or any other publicly accessible online store or social media account?

Yes

If Yes, please provide links to your public sites:

<https://www.tiktok.com/t/ZP8BkT1rM/>

(Optional) Please upload your logo or signage.

No answer given

(Optional) Please upload your image of display

No answer given

8. Does your artwork comply with all federal, state, and local laws and ordinance, including, if necessary, lawful authority to use logos or other images protected by Copyright or Trademark laws?

No

9. Are you using any sports or company logos such as SF Giants or other recognizable branding that is not your own?

No

10. How are you ensuring customers can tell a difference between your work and commercial or mass-produced items?

I sign my work

11. What steps have you taken to ensure that you are not violating any copyright or other laws?

I don't think I can violate any laws if it's all original art

12. REQUIRED Please upload recent receipts for any tools and materials. Receipts must be for the same tools and materials used to create the items in the work samples you provide. Receipts must show that the materials were shipped to you/your address. See an example here. Optionally, you can upload images of your workspace. The image of your workspace must include the equipment and materials used in your craft. Receipts and/or images of your materials used in the production of your craft are required for approval. You will not receive a license until you have provided this information.

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13. If you are unable to provide a copy of your receipt, please provide the reason you are unable to do so

I don't take pictures of my receipts and I haven't bought anything new within the last week.

14. Describe the safety procedures you use in your craft. What, if any, safety equipment do you use? How do you store and handle any toxic or hazardous material?

I have a storage compartment for all my art stuff

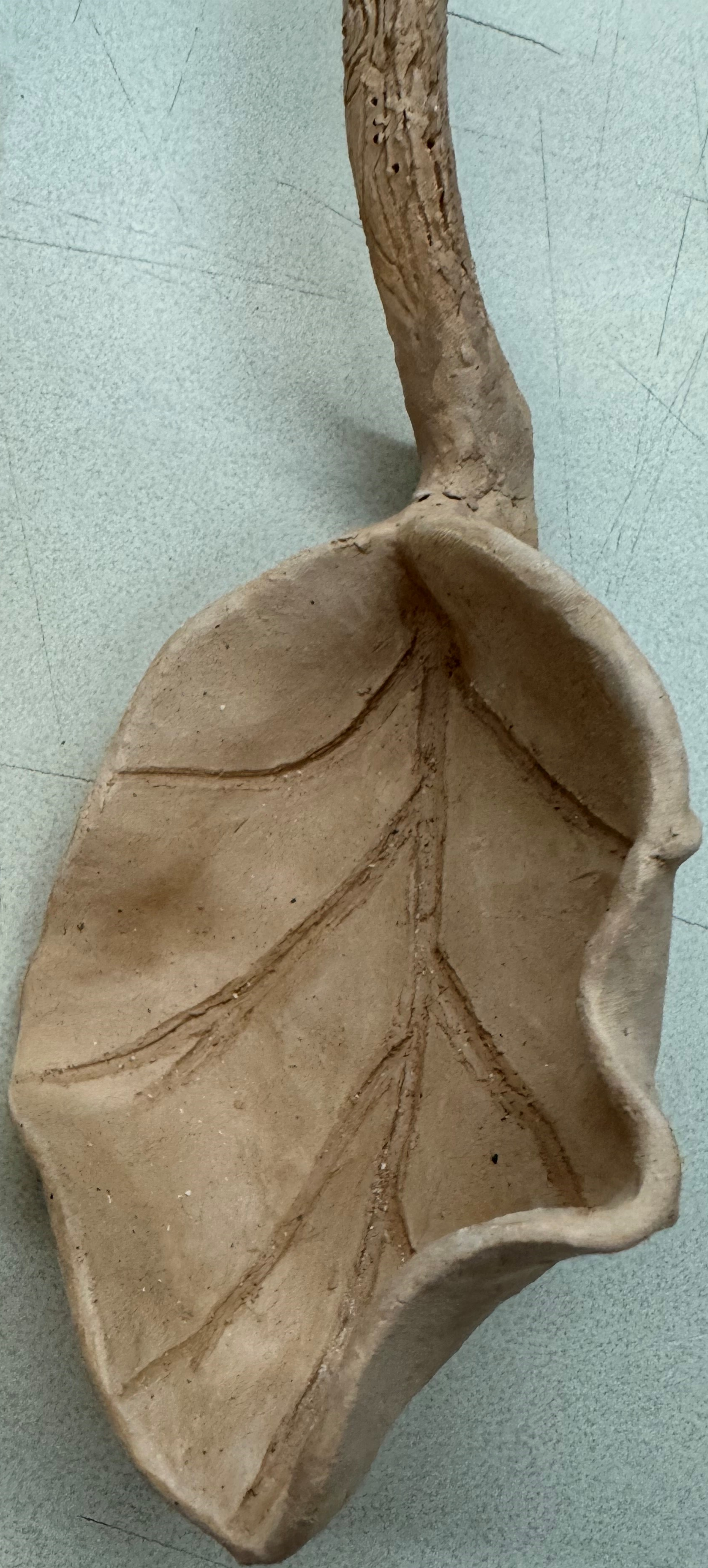
















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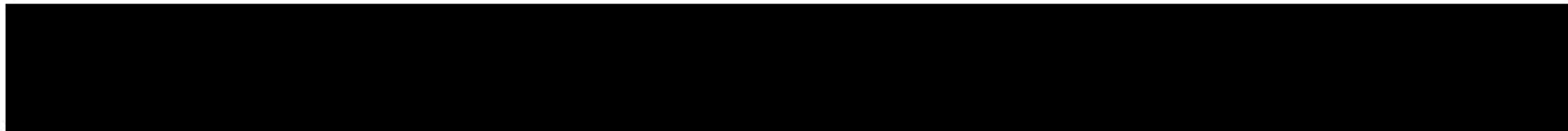
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