

We will make clay tiles



We will use:



Clay tools



Tile cutter



Clay

Vocabulary

carve	To cut the clay to make a shape, design or pattern
construct	To build or make something
decorate	Adding patterns and layers
knead	To press, fold and stretch the clay
malleable	Something that can shaped or formed
pinching	To grip something tightly between your finger and thumb
rolling	To move an object by turning it over and over on a surface
slab	A portion of clay that has been flattened into a sheet.

Clay Techniques



Rolling a ball of clay



Rolling snakes with clay



Squeezing the clay



Pulling and pinching the clay with your fingers



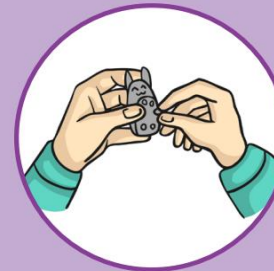
Carving details into the clay with tools



Smoothing out the clay with your fingers



Creating holes or hollows in the clay with tools



Joining pieces of clay together

Year 1 learn about their local area in the Geography topic; 'What's around the corner?' We will look at the physical and natural environment and use it as inspiration for making our clay tiles.

