

## WELCOME TO THE NWTC ARTISAN AND BUSINESS CENTER

### we're glad you're here

### **GENERAL POLICIES**

- Students must sign in each day that they enter the studios. This includes brief stops to check the status of items.
- Food is prohibited in studio spaces. Beverages with lids are allowed.
- Students must wear close-toed shoes and appropriate clothing.
- Students must wear any/all PPE for designated tools and equipment.
- Pieces must be built to be handled. Artisan Center staff and faculty are not liable for any broken works.

### **PICKING UP COMPLETED WORK**

The Artisan and Business Center guarantees that work created in class will be held for two weeks following the last day of instruction. After that, ABC staff may dispose of projects. If you know you will be unable to make it to the ABC in that time frame, please arrange an extended pick-up window with office staff in person or by emailing <u>artisan.center@nwtc.edu</u>.

### **CLASS BONUS TIME**

Class Bonus Time is additional time to work in the studio outside of class hours and it is available to students who are currently enrolled in **ceramics classes and pyrography classes**. Class Bonus Time is available for the weeks the class is scheduled as well as one week after the class ends to help wrap up any projects. There is no cost to utilize Class Bonus Time, but all participants must sign-in at the lobby.

### **STUDENT'S RIGHT TO KNOW**

- **Discrimination and Harassment Prevention:** NWTC is committed to embracing the worth of every individual and promoting a respectful environment. Discrimination and harassment of protected categories in its employment and educational programs is prohibited. For questions or concerns, contact Mohammed Bey, Chief Diversity Officer @ mohammed.bey@nwtc.edu or by phone @ (920) 498-6826.
- **Disability Act Statement:** NWTC complies with all provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act and makes reasonable accommodations upon request. Please contact Disability Services for more information regarding the support services available to you, call 920-498-6904.
- **Campus Closure Day(s) Procedure:** In the event a campus closure is necessary, instructors and/or office staff will provide detailed information within 24 hours of the college cancellation.
- **Class Plans:** Instructors retain the right to make changes based on the timeline of the class, feedback from learners and/or logistical issues.
- **Use of Technology:** Use of cell phones, tablets, and other hand-held devices may be a distraction to other students. Please answer all calls outside of the classroom and refrain from using devices during class time.

# LONGARM FUNDAMENTALS

### **INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION**

INSTRUCTOR: Lynn Konitzer PHONE: 920.544.5018 EMAIL ADDRESS: artisan.center@nwtc.edu

### **CLASS DESCRIPTION**

Experience how adding longarm quilting can enhance the look and design of your quilts and sewing projects! Skilled longarm instructors will discuss the motivations for using a longarm quilting machine and guide you through the processes of learning to sew with one. The primary focus of this foundational class is on education and support to empower independent operation of our professional grade longarm quilting machines.

## **CLASS PLAN**

DAY	AGENDA	COMPENTENCIES COVERED
1	1. Introduction to the longarm machines	achines Students will be able to:
	<ul> <li>Discussion and demonstration of machine controls</li> <li>2. Learn how to thread and place bobbins</li> <li>3. Practice loading and advancing quilts</li> <li>4. Introduction to free motion quilting</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Turn longarm machines on and off</li> <li>Properly thread and place a bobbin</li> <li>Change needles</li> <li>Wind and change bobbins</li> <li>Load and unload a quilt</li> <li>Check machine tension</li> <li>Demonstrate how to clean longarm machines after use</li> </ul>
2	1. Review machine and loading quilt	
	2. Review free motion quilting	<ul> <li>Demonstrate use of pantographs</li> <li>Demonstrate knowledge of side straps/basting to</li> </ul>
	3. Introduction to pantographs	prevent puckers
	<ul> <li>Discuss the function of a pantograph</li> <li>Demonstrate how to use a pantograph</li> <li>Understand how to purchase mater for independent quilting</li> </ul>	
	• Set up a pantograph	
	4. Practice pantographs	



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