Design your own pottery
The famous Hopi-Tewa potter Nampeyo developed a new style of pottery by picking up pieces of broken pots from ancestral village sites and incorporating the ancient designs into her own.

Use these potsherds to inspire your own design on this pot:

If you like your design, take it home and try this project:
1. Buy a plain ceramic mugs and an oil-based Sharpie paint marker.
2. Draw your design onto the mug with the Sharpie. Dry your mug overnight.
3. Place your mug in a cool oven and turn the temperature to 350°F. Bake for 30 minutes, then turn off the oven and let it cool completely before removing the mug, so the mug won’t crack.
4. Hand-wash the mug after each use. The dishwasher may ruin the design.
5. Snap a photo and post it on social media. Remember to tag #MNApottery

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