

Floating Handles

1. If you have any saved pots that you haven't sold yet, make sure to sell them all. If you go to your profile page, and you look in the "Your Pots" section, it needs to be totally empty.
2. Start a new pot. This is going to be a "throwaway" pot, so no need to shape it, decorate it, or color it. Just fire it as is. Once fired, click the check mark in the upper right corner, but DO NOT publish or sell it. Just click "Save". Once it's saved, click the back arrow in the upper left corner.
3. Start another new pot. This still won't be your final pot, but the handles you put on it will be your final handles, so keep that in mind while you're shaping it. (Just my opinion, not at all mandatory, but I usually try to make sure this pot is tall and somewhat thin. If it's too short, the handles won't be "floating" and if it's too thick, there might not be room for handles at all! Once you've done it a few times, you'll get the hang of how to do it so you get the handles where you want them).
4. Once it's shaped how you want it, fire it. No need to color or decorate it, but you do need to put your handles on. Place them however you want your handles to be on the final pot. Now, this time, instead of clicking the check mark, click the back arrow in the upper left corner.
5. Go to the "Your Pots" section of your profile page and select the "throwaway pot" from step 2. Sell it.
6. Once this pot is sold, click the check mark that appears in the upper right corner. It will then take you back to the first screen. You should see a pot in progress that already has the shape of the pot from step 3-4. Either click on the pot itself or on the arrow on the left.
7. Before you start shaping your final pot, it's important to visualize where your handles were. With that in mind, go ahead and start shaping your final pot. (It helps if it's shorter, that's how the handles float.) Fire it.
8. Once it's fired, you should see the handles you put on the pot from step 3-4, but now they are on your new pot! And hopefully, they are floating!!! Decorate and color and publish for us to see!!

A Note About Coloring Your Floating Handles:

You normally color the handles by coloring where the top of the handle hits the pot, but if your handles are floating, their tops don't touch the pot at all! I've found that usually you can color the handles by coloring the very very bottom of the pot, but not always. Sometimes you just have to try coloring everywhere until you find the place on the pot that will color the handles. Trial and error basically! Good luck!