



# Wall Planters & Bookend Planters

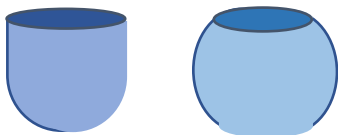
Cut a thrown form & join to a slab to make these planter variations!



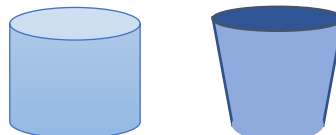
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## 1 Form the main planter shape on the wheel and trim

- Rounded shapes work best for wall planters
- Don't go too big – consider total weight with soil and plant
- Trim a curved base with no foot



- Wide, straighter-sided, flat-bottomed shapes work best for bookend planters
- Ensure pot has a sturdy rim
- Trim a flat base with little or no foot



If drainage is needed, throw a pot with integrated saucer

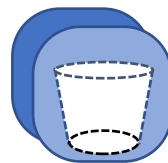
## 2 Roll slab(s) of the appropriate size and shape (approx. 0.5 cm thick)

Keep slab on a flat surface and avoid over-handling or flexing to prevent warping, compress with rib

Roll one slab, a bit wider than your pot, and about twice as long

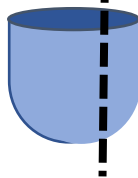


Roll 2 slabs, each large enough to cover a cross-section of the pot

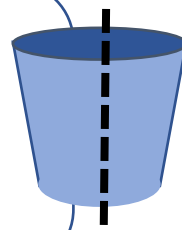


## 3 Cut the pot & join to slabs when leather-hard

- Cut about 1/4 - 1/3 of the pot off
- Score and slip the cut edge of the pot
- Align to slab & score slab
- Join the pieces and smooth/tidy seams

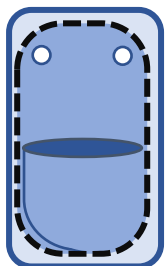


- Cut the pot in half
- Score and slip the cut edges of the pot halves
- Align to slabs & score slabs
- Join the pieces and smooth/tidy seams



## 4 Trim the slabs to fit the pots, finish

- Leave as much slab at the top as desired
- Consider adding textures or sprigs at this point
- Add one or more holes for hanging
- Dry slab down, support interior if needed



- Trim slab to align to the edge of the pot
- Consider leaving part of the slab at the top to keep plant from contacting books etc.
- Consider adding textures or sprigs at this point
- Dry slab down, support interior with wadded newspaper

