

Over the years Ephraim Pottery has used a variety of marks to distinguish production years, potters, sculptors and glazers who have worked on our pieces. Some years saw the implementation of a clock-face system of tick marks around the central logo for dating, e.g. 11 o'clock for 2011, 10 o'clock for 2010, etc.

The last page of this guide includes special marks to denote 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25-year anniversaries for both the company and the individual artists, as well marks for other custom or experimental pieces.

In 2019 Ephraim Pottery launched a functional line of pottery and tableware called Ephraim Elemental. These pieces are handmade from stoneware clay that is fired to a higher temperature and finished with our food-safe, watertight glazes that we design and create in our studio's glaze laboratory.

Ephraim Elemental pieces bear the Ee stamp with a two-digit year of production in the upper left corner.



2025
LARGE PIECES



SEASONAL
COLLECTION

CHESS VASE
COLLECTION



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2024
LARGE PIECES



SEASONAL
COLLECTION

CHESS VASE
COLLECTION



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2023
LARGE PIECES



SEASONAL
COLLECTION

CHESS VASE
COLLECTION



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo



SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials



GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2022
LARGE PIECES



SEASONAL
COLLECTION

CHESS VASE
COLLECTION



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo



SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials



GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2021
LARGE PIECES



SEASONAL
COLLECTION

CHESS VASE
COLLECTION



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo



SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials



GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2020
LARGE PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo



SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials



2019
LARGE PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo



SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials



2018
LARGE PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo



SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials



2017
LARGE PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2016
LARGE PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2015
LARGE PIECES



2015
SMALL PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside logo

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2014
LARGE PIECES



2014
SMALL PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside a circle

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

2013
LARGE PIECES



2013
SMALL PIECES



POTTER'S MARK
Impressed initials
inside a circle

LK

SCULPTOR'S MARK
Impressed
script initials

BH

GLAZER'S MARK
Script initials
in black glaze

From 2009 to 2012 the potter's initials were included within the small marks, e.g. KH for Kevin Hicks.



2012
LARGE PIECES



2012
SMALL PIECES



2011
LARGE PIECES



2011
SMALL PIECES



2010
LARGE PIECES



E P
P O
H T
R A
I R
M Y

2010
SMALL PIECES



EFP

2009
LARGE PIECES



E P
P O
H T
R A
I R
M Y

2009
SMALL PIECES



EFP

2008
LARGE VASES

EPHRAIM
POTTERY



2008
SMALL VASES



2007
LARGE VASES

EPHRAIM
POTTERY



2007
SMALL VASES



2006
LARGE VASES

EPHRAIM
POTTERY



2006
SMALL VASES



2005
LARGE VASES

EPHRAIM
POTTERY



2005
SMALL VASES



2004
LARGE VASES
and TILES



2004
SMALL VASES



2003
LARGE VASES
and TILES



2003
SMALL VASES



2002
LARGE VASES
and TILES



2002
SMALL VASES



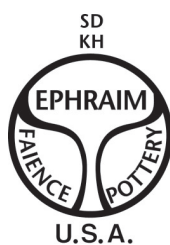
2001
LARGE VASES
and TILES



2001
SMALL VASES



2000
LARGE VASES



2000
SMALL VASES



2000
TILES



1999



1998



1996-97



EPHRAIM POTTERY ANNIVERSARY SERIES

Marks celebrating the studio's 10, 20, and 25-year Anniversary Collections.

25 EPHRAIM
POTTERY

25TH ANNIVERSARY
2021-2022



20TH ANNIVERSARY
2016-2017 (LARGE)



20TH ANNIVERSARY
2016-2017 (SMALL)



10TH ANNIVERSARY
2006-2007

ARTIST ANNIVERSARY SERIES

Marks celebrating individual 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25-year Artist Anniversary Series milestones with the studio.



25TH ANNIVERSARY
OAK TREE



20TH ANNIVERSARY
DRAGONFLY



15TH ANNIVERSARY
ACORN



10TH ANNIVERSARY
GINKGO LEAF



5TH ANNIVERSARY
LOTUS FLOWER

EXPERIMENTAL MARK

Impressed mark introduced in 2006 to designate an experimental piece. Previous experimental pieces were unmarked, marked with a handwritten "E" inscribed into the wet clay, or written in black ink on the fired clay. Most post-2006 experimentals bear this mark, but some are still hand-marked with this symbol or a handwritten "E" in black ink. A very small number of experimentals created after 2006 are unmarked.



FAREWELL TO THE FARM

Additional mark used from June 2009 to June 2010 to identify pieces in the Farewell to the Farm Series which marked the studio's move from rural Deerfield to Lake Mills, Wisconsin.



FAREWELL

CUSTOM MARK

Impressed or glaze fired mark used to designate a custom commissioned piece.

