

**TABLE 6.2 Attributes of Various Methods of Pottery Manufacture**

<b>METHOD OF MANUFACTURE</b>	<b>ATTRIBUTES OF POTS OR POTSHERDS</b>
Pinching and drawing	Small pots; uneven walls; indentations on walls left by finger and thumb
Coiling	Cracks or breaks along parallel lines; variations in wall thickness; round/smooth edges of potsherds
Slab modeling/building	Rectangular containers; seams; differences in thicknesses of slabs
Molding	Differences in texture between inside and outside of pot or potsherd; parting agents (to prevent clay from sticking to the mold); seams
Throwing	Rilling (a series of small ridges and grooves on the outside of the pot); flat bases; walls may be uneven from top to bottom but not around the circumference