

Subdue your Skew

A demonstration of Practical Woodturning Techniques

Practicing woodturning, like any other discipline or craft, should involve a structured and focused approach.

Using and becoming comfortable with the skew chisel and other basic woodturning tools takes practice.

A spindle exercise, a candlestick and candle with on-the-lathe joinery are turned from kiln dried construction grade 2x4 lumber. This is to illustrate how inexpensive or free wood may be used for practice.

Spindle exercise from *Educational Woodworking for Home and School* (1907) by Joseph Park turned during the demonstration.

