

Link Community Charter School

Virtual Art Show

Team Nia

2020-2021

Surgical Masks Recreated

Scholars designed surgical masks
using art materials of their choice.

The Jaws of a Appetite



A shark inspired me to design it. The challenge was paint over the colors. I learned how to have many more patients. I want them to know that I worked hard with it.

Uthman A.
Team Nia

I used watercolor paint, paintbrushes, and water. I was inspired by a lot of things one being pretty colors and the other being representation. I didn't have any challenges. I learned about blending and it came out nice. I want people to google it and actually find out what i'm talking about.



Isabelle M.
Team Nia



Zariah C.
Team Nia

Amazing world of Riah

For this artwork I used pink and white acrylic paint as well as a pink marker to plan my drawing out. Something that inspired me to do this artwork was the thought of a pattern and my name. A challenge was making sure the paint was smooth on the mask the first time I painted the mask. I learned that with acrylic paint you can add layers once it is dry. I want people to know that your artwork does not have to be luxurious in order for it to be a beautiful piece of art.

I decorated this mask with purple, pink, and blue paint. I really like these colors because they match really nicely with each other. Also they are the colors of the bisexual flag. Pink represents the attraction to girls, blue represents the attraction to boys, and purple represents the attraction to both sexes. I had no problem making this mask, and I think it looks really nice.

Naomi C.
Team Nia





I used paint for this artwork. I created this because black and white and the most valid colors, so I used them to create my mask. It was hard for me to get the paint to stick and as you can see it is still messed up a little bit. I learned that I have to take my time with stuff like this. I want people to know that my artwork did take a lot of time.

Ajahna Y.
Team Nia

The materials that I used were acrylic paint and that's it. Nothing really inspired me to create this artwork, I just glanced at a diamond emoji and said to myself "that will look great on my mask". There were two challenges I faced, getting the paint to form correctly and writing the words correctly, but I easily turned those problems into a great masterpiece by staying calm and focused. I learned that when I create a vision and I put my mind to something, I can easily get it done. I want people to just admire and love it as much as I do.



King K.
Team Nia

Butterfly



Samina D.
Team Nia

I used a mask and paint. I wanted to do something different and hard, and I thought a butterfly would be perfect. I was starting to get mad because it wasn't looking how I wanted, but I remember to make good art, you first have to make bad art to improve. I learned that not all art has to be a masterpiece. I wanted people to learn that I know how to overcome adversity.



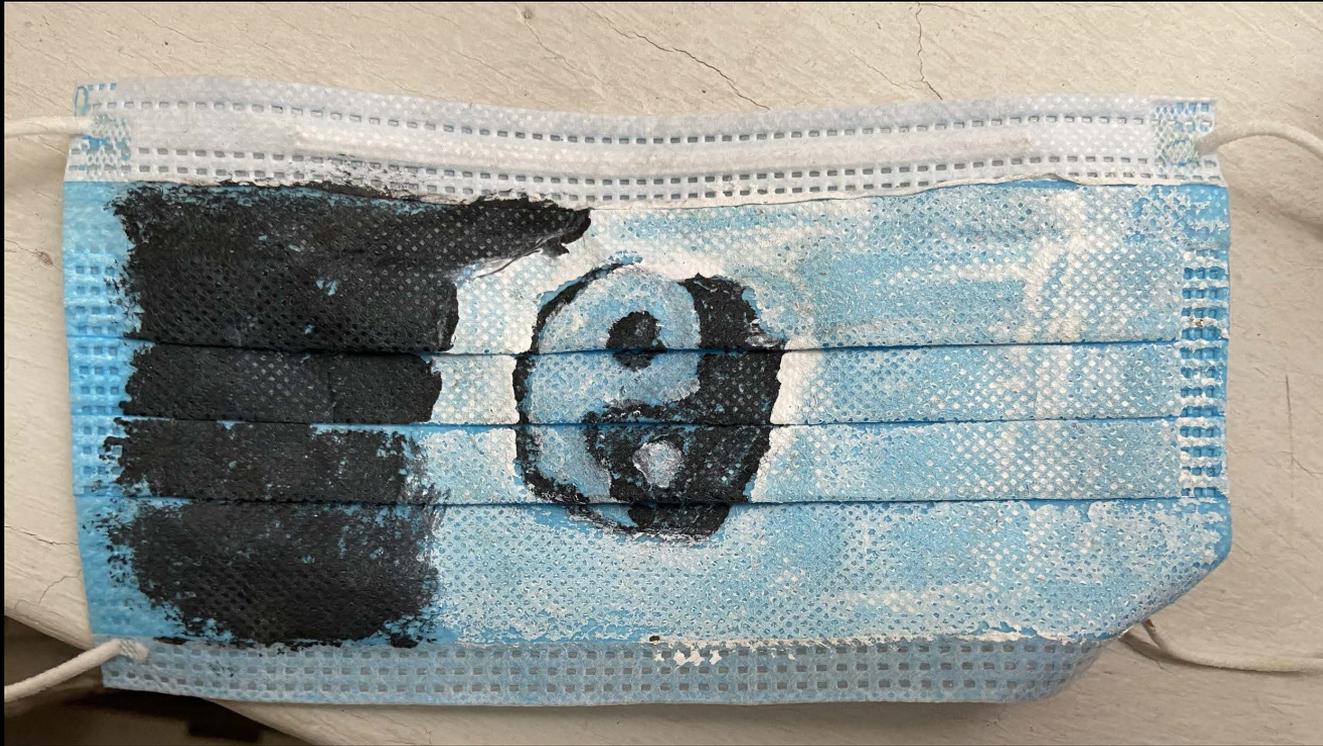
I used five different colors which were pink, white, blue, black and yellow. What inspired me to create this artwork was my liking for gradients. A challenge was placing the yellow on top of the pink and blue blend. I overcame this by waiting for the paint to dry and then using a fair amount of the paint. What I learned from this was that mistakes make you better. I want people to know that my work is expressed through things I like.

Alanna H.
Team Nia

For the surgical mask I use a mix of purple & white to make a lighter purple, At first I didn't know what to put so I said what the harm in putting red heart , it will make the mask pop ! It was actually quite hard being able to do the heart I couldn't wait too I put the red hearts on the wet mask which kinda messed of the shape & forms if the heart. I learned that you have too be patient to be able to have a pretty out look, I just want me too say that my mask had pretty colors .



Alanna R.
Team Nia



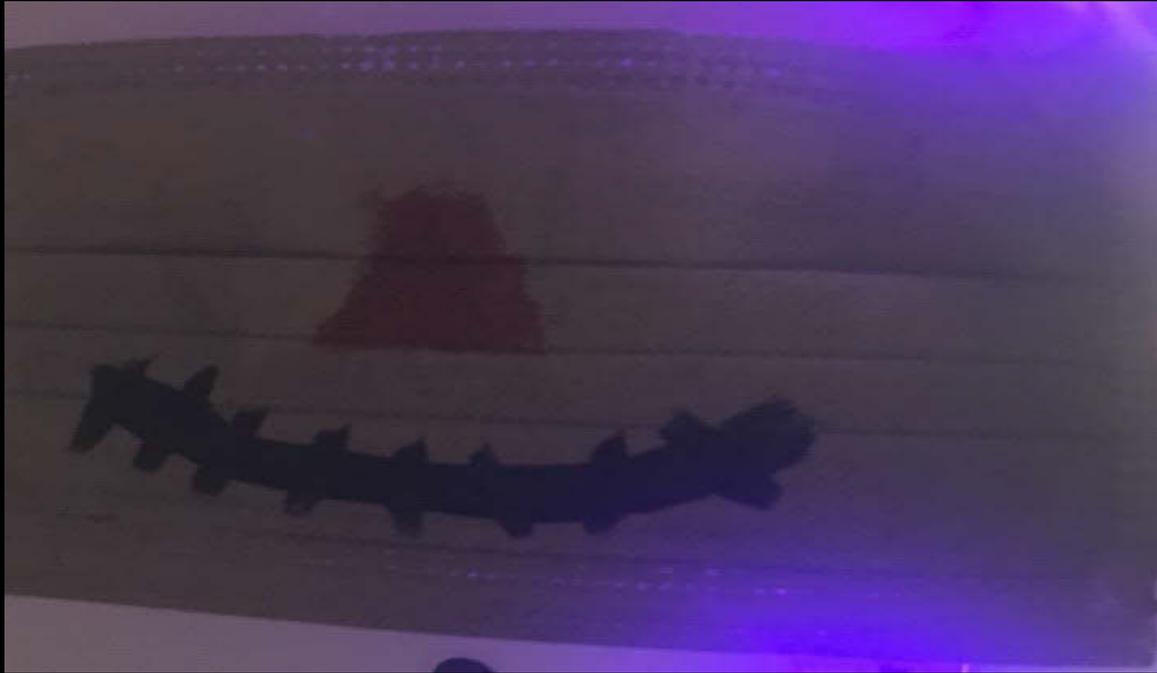
Frederic K.
Team Nia

The materials that I use were white acrylic paint and black acrylic paint. What inspired me was that the Yin Yang symbol that has a deeper meaning to me. I learned that you could use a logo that could represent you and incorporate that into your artwork. I want people to learn that you could use a logo that represents you and express that through art.

The materials that used for this art work were black, yellow, white, black, red paint, and paint brushes. I decided I wanted to paint this on the mask because I remembered about Joker and his smile. I had a challenge where the white paint kept mixing with the black but I overcame it by letting that coat dry and I painted it white again. I learned nothing from painting that. I want the viewers of my mask to know that the red stuff is red lipstick and not blood.



Omar W.
Team Nia



For this project I used a paint brush, paint, and a mask. My ideas was to draw a scarecrow because it was fall at the time. One challenge for me was painting and making it look good. It came out well but it could've been better.

Saffie B.

Team Nia

I used dark blue and white paint with some q-tips to make like a moon orbit mask. Well I was inspired by the moon when I looked outside of my room. Well some of the paint went somewhere it should have not gone but I think it still worked out pretty well. I learned how art really can work in different ways. I want people to look at the moon at night before the sleep so they see truly the moon's true beauty.



Samuel O.
Team Nia



WALLET

The image shows a series of hand-drawn sketches on lined paper, illustrating the components of a wallet. At the top, there is a sketch of a rectangular object with a central vertical line, possibly representing a card or a small pouch. Below this, there are two more rectangular sketches, one on the left and one on the right, which appear to be the main body of the wallet. In the center, there are three curved lines, likely representing the stitching or the rounded corners of the wallet. The word 'WALLET' is written in capital letters in the center of the page. At the bottom, there are two parallel dashed lines, possibly indicating the stitching or the edge of the wallet.

Shoe Design

Our Scholars became shoe designers in this art lesson.

Lightning Flash



I used color pencil marker and sharpie. I like flames and dragons and the concept just come together. The challenge was coloring it in the right shades. I learned that you just gotta keep trying with it. I want people to know that I am really creative.

Uthman A.
Team Nia

Zariah Hamburger 1's



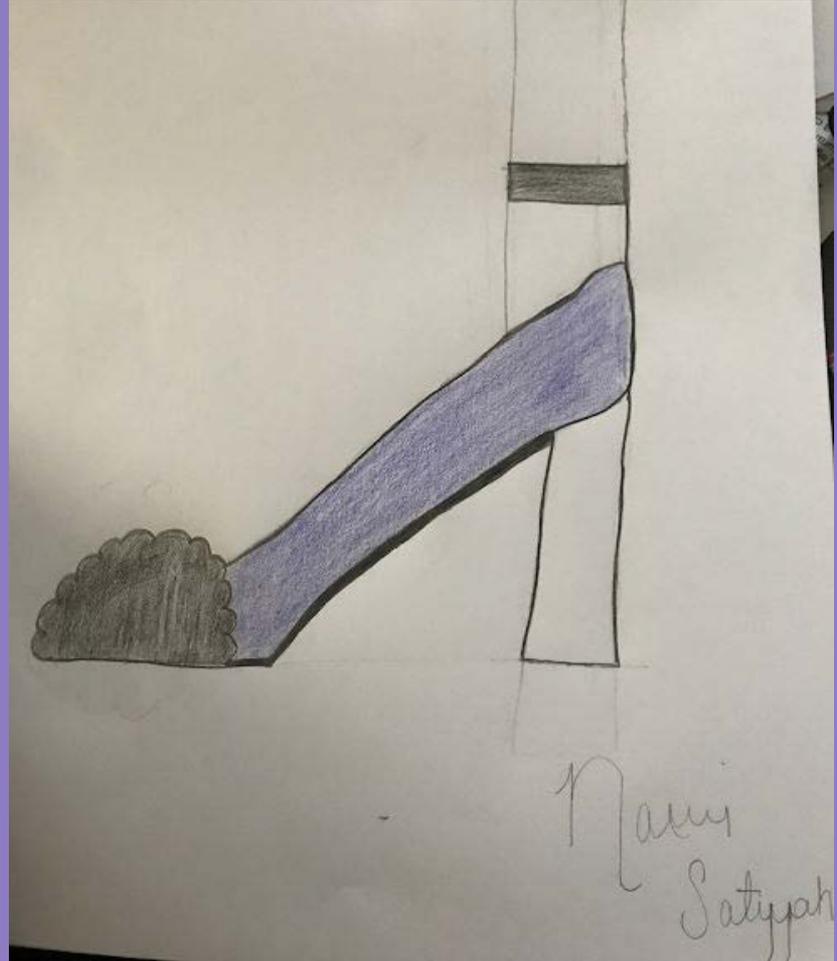
The materials that I used to make this was a number 2 pencil, and colored pencils. Something that inspired me to create this artwork was my liking in eating hamburgers. A challenge for me was the wing or in this case the lettuce because something just didn't really look right about it. Something that I learned from creating this artwork was how well I put details into the work that I do. I want people to know that my work is normally me expressing my liking in different aspects and, or how I feel.

Zariah C.
Team Nia

The Puffy Shoe

In this art piece I used colored pencils. I love the color purple, so I made sure to include that in my shoe. At first when I drew it, it seemed very bland. So I added the puff to add a little bit of pizzazz to it. I think I did very well in this art piece, and I want people to know that I put a lot of work into it.

Naomi C.
Team Nia





Saffie B.
Team Nia

Air Force One

I used only pencils and papers for my designs of my shoe. I own this type of shoe and at first I wanted to create one of my other shoes which you said was too small and I could not make it bigger. I didn't really have any challenge doing my shoe. I learned how to do a proper shoe lace on a shoe from this drawing. I want people to go out and buy different kinds of Air Force One.



Samuel O.
Team Nia



The materials I used in this artwork were, water color paint, pencil, thin and thick sharpie and a ruler. The anime character named Chopper inspired me to make this shoe.



Omar W.
Team Nia

Abstract Shoe



On this piece of art I used different colored acrylic paints. I was inspired by other shoe designs that looked different and used a range of different colors. One obstacle I had was fixing the painting after I messed up but decided to keep it the way it was and just start coloring it in. From creating this I learned that not every piece of art has to be perfect.

Chyna I.
Team Nia

Shoe



Samina D.
Team Nia

I used my sketch pad, a pencil, and my water color markers to make my show art. I wanted to make this shoe because I wanted it to look like who I am on the inside, which is a pastel, fun person. I wanted to layer a bunch of color onto the shoe, however because the markers are water color, the paper would tear, but I was able to layer by letting each layer of marker dry. I learned I need to improve on my shoe making skills. I want people to know that my artwork is a representation of me.

I used paint. Something that inspired me to create this artwork is Air Force 1s. There were no challenges. I didn't really learn anything after creating this artwork. I learned how to draw Air Force 1s.



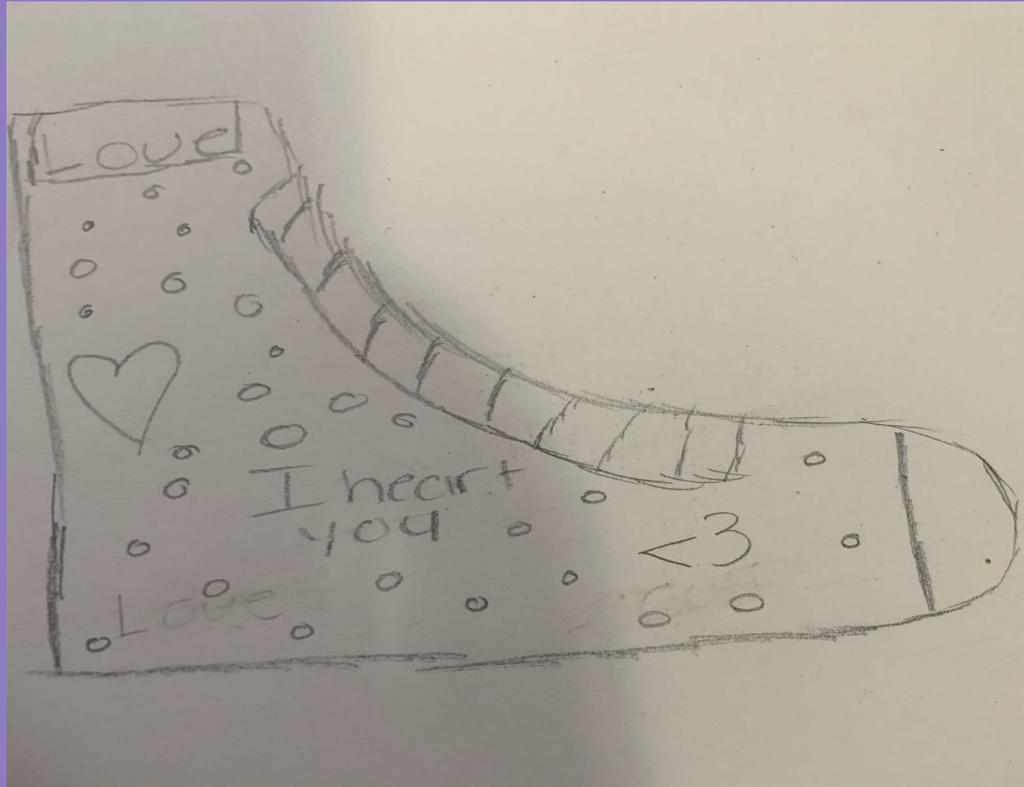
King K.
Team Nia



Get Back Gang Forever

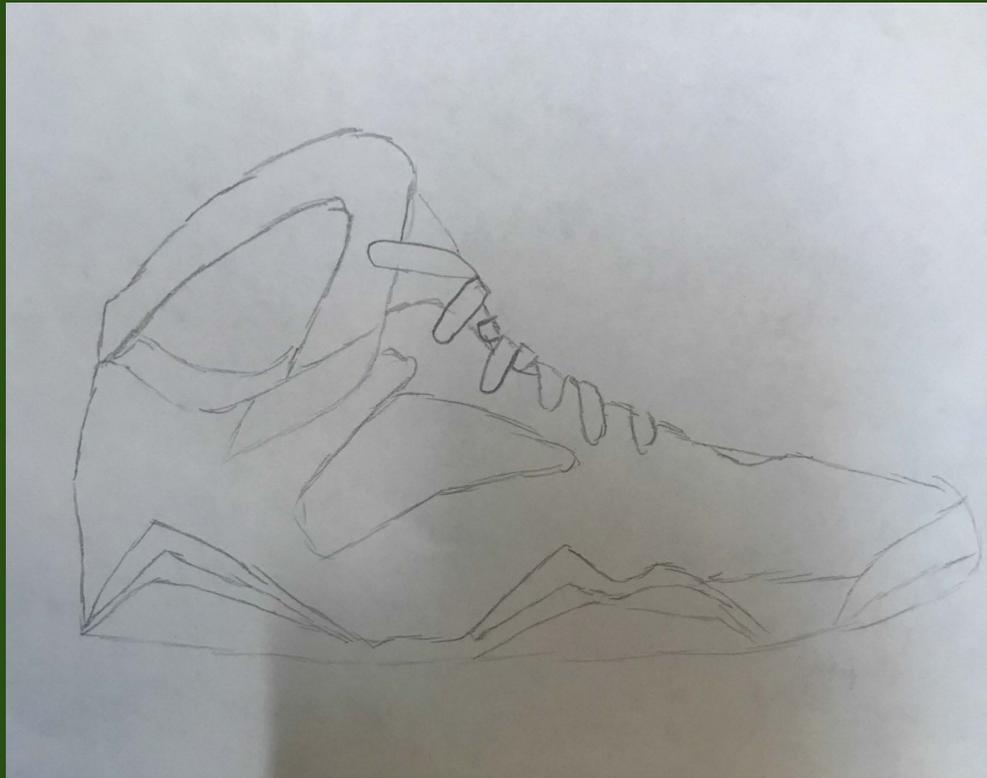
I used pencil, a sharpie marker, pastel crayons. I just was abstract. The challenge was the wings and i just keep trying to overcome it. I learn that not everything comes easy. I put my hart on to this.

Lekhi B.
Team Nia



For my artwork, I used pencil. I created this because I love sweet girly things. It was hard for me to draw the shape of the shoe, but I got it. I learned to be patient. I want people to know that this was my first time drawing a shoe.

Ajahna Y.
Team Nia



Gabriel C.
Team Nia

Jo

rdan 7

The reason I drew the Jordan 7 is because this is my favorite shoe ever made.

Name Design

Our Scholars created name designs using a reflection technique with oil pastels, markers, or colored pencils. Some Scholars used the digital app wordart.com to create their name design.

80's Sparkle

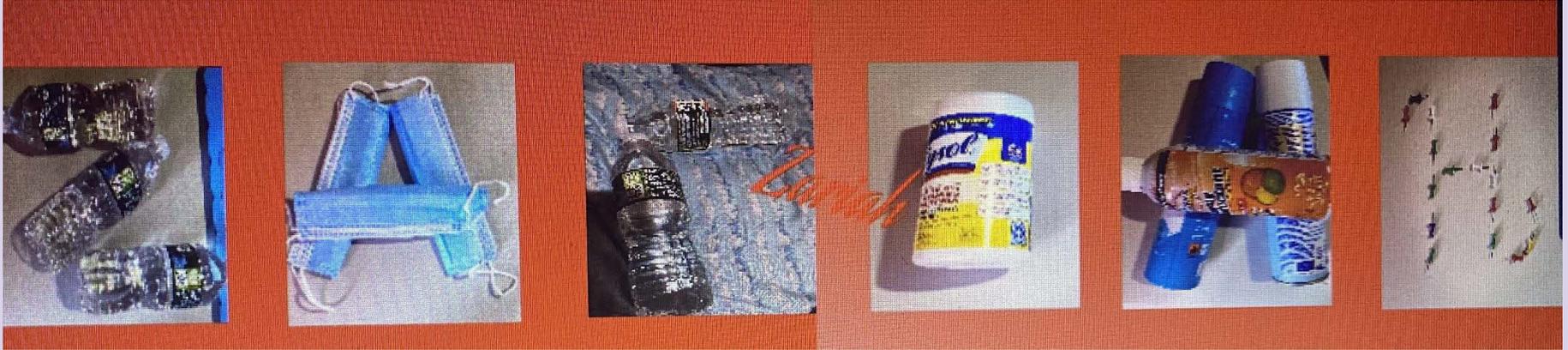


I used a chunky letter M, makeup, makeup brushes, and fake flowers. I made this art because my name is very important to me. A challenge was making sure I was able to upload the pictures, but I figured out how. I learned that anything can be art. I want people to know how creative I am.

Samina D.

Team Nia

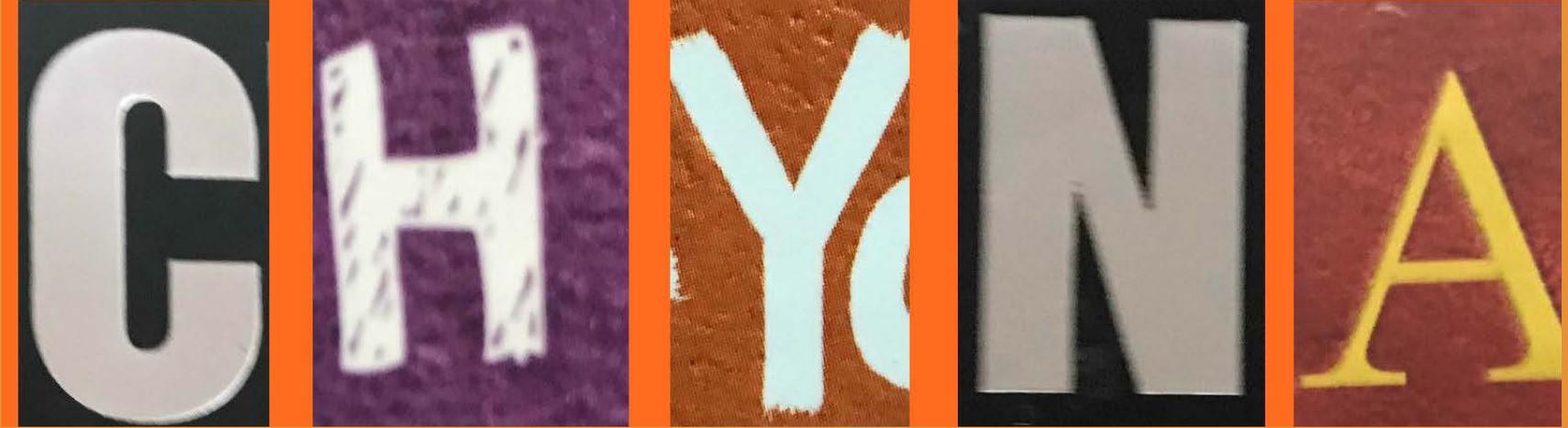
Be Corona Free



The materials that I used were Poland spring water bottles, face masks, lysol container, lysol spray/sanitary spray, and push pin thumb tacks. I also used the sketch.io app to organize everything. Something that inspired me to create this artwork was quarantine/COVID and the amount of cases that New Jersey has. One challenge was finding objects not on google to create the letters in my name as well as, finding a set theme for my artwork. I overcame it by just calming myself down when I felt as though I was getting a bit worked up. This helped me because, one I did that I automatically thought of a way to connect my name artwork to something going on in the world now. I learned that it's easier than we think to stay sanitized and away from coming in contact with corona. I just want people to know the more they stay sanitized and distanced, the swifter the numbers may go down and you can travel.

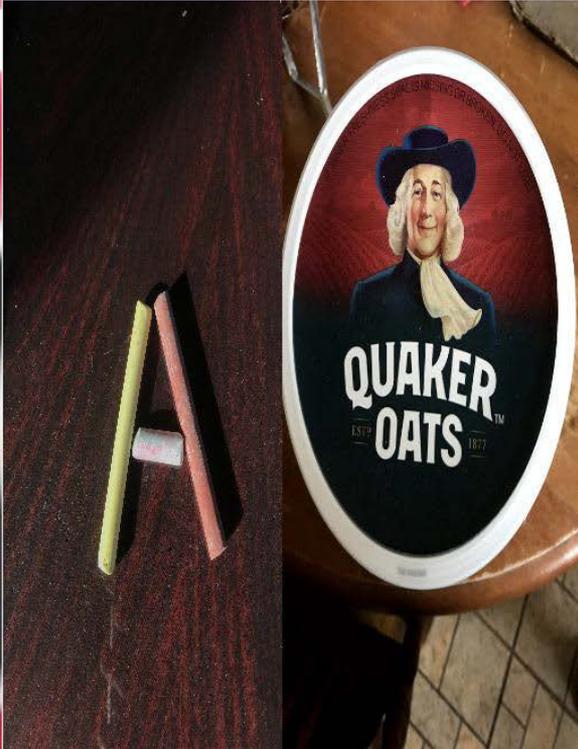
Zariah C.
Team Nia

BOOK ART



Chyna I.
Team Nia

The materials I used were letters from books. What inspired me was when I was looking around for items to use for this project and saw how many books I had. A challenge I had was finding all the letters for each letter of my name. And I overcame this by putting all my books together and checking each one for letters. While making this I learned that books can be used as a form of art.



I think my work came out really nice. The only obstacle I really had to get over was finding the letters. At first I couldn't find anything to make the letter M, but I found a way. I used letters from boxes and chalk. I also used books and containers.

Naomi C.
Team Nia



I used pencils, ruler's shoelace, charger wire to create my own Name Photomontage. What inspired me to do this artwork was my name and the significant meaning to my name. I did not have a problem with this artwork. I learned you can create anything from anything. I want people to know the name SAMUEL

Samuel O.
Team Nia

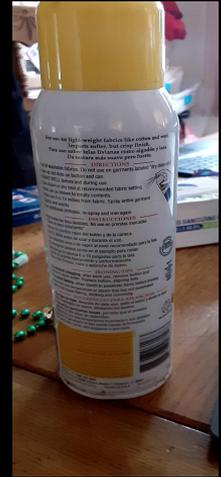
Name Photomontage



Gabriel C.
Team Nia



Omar W.
Team Nia



I used everything in my house. What inspired me was everything that I say online. Challenge was finding stuff that made my name And I just made my name. Not everything comes easy. This was a challenge.

Lekhi B.
Team Nia



I used things that I like. Like lipgloss, bodywash, and body spray. There wasn't a challenge. I learned that this artwork was pretty easy. I want people to know that I love girly things like the things in my pictures.

Ajahna Y.
Team Nia



I used my iphone to take pictures of objects starting with my name inspired me. I had no challenge. I learned different ways of art forms and that objects can represent art.

Alanna R.

Team Nia



I used scissors, a letter opener, air freshener, coffee mug, tape dispenser and stapler. I was inspired to use everyday office and household items that my family and I use daily. I didn't want to use predictable items. There was a challenge fitting my entire name on the document. I had to resize some photos. Which was not the biggest deal and once I resized I was satisfied with the jpeg. I learned that once again I can create art using everyday household and office items. I want people to know you don't have to think so hard just try and be creative in your way.

ALANNA H.
Team Nia



**King K.
Team Nia**

Turkey in Disguise

Scholars created unique pieces of art by tracing their hands and using art media of their choice.



Among Us Takeover

The materials I used are paint, Sharpie, and pencil. Something that inspired me to make this artwork is a popular game named Among Us. One challenge that I overcame was putting the action color black but I realized that it wouldn't look right because the background is already black, so I changed it to white. I learned that if I really have a vision of what I want to do, I just need the time and effort to do it and I'll get it done. I want people to just look and admire my artwork.

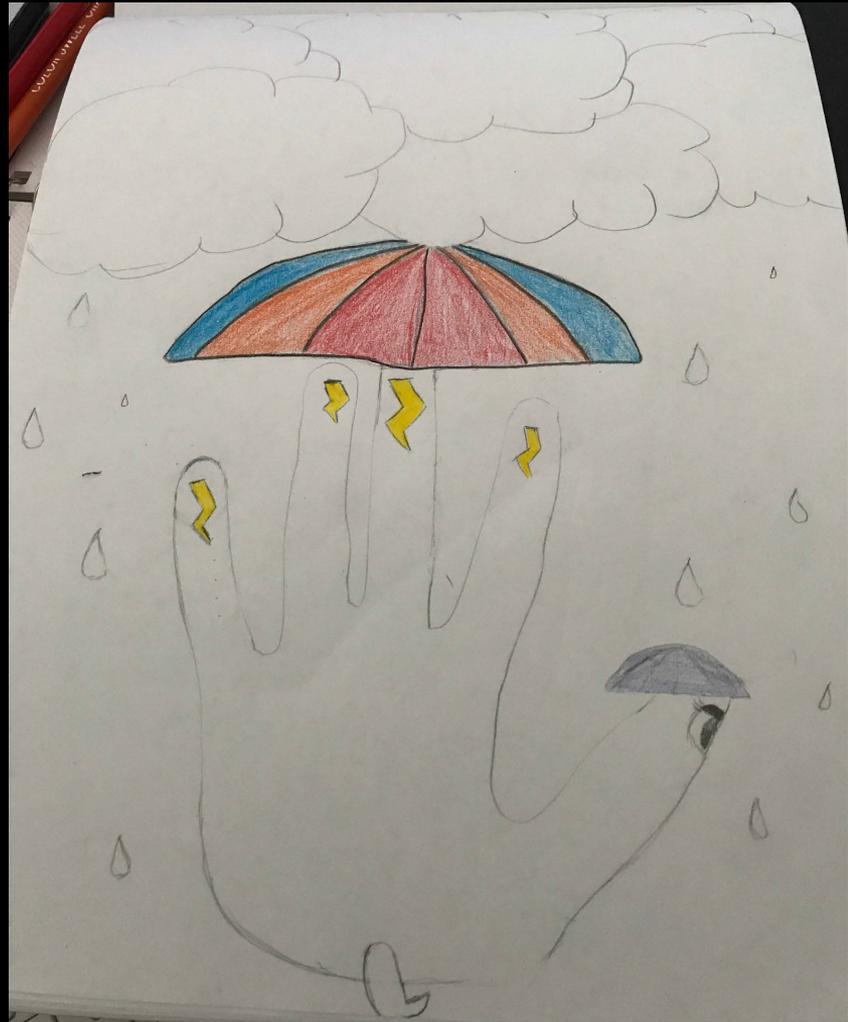
King K.

Team Nia

The Rainy Turkey

For this art piece I used colored pencils, and regular pencils. This morning it looked like it was supposed to rain, therefore I used that as inspiration for my art. My color choice was at random. I just thought these would look nice together. I am really proud of how the final product looked.

Naomi C.
Team Nia





Among US

The materials I used were paper, water colors, and paint brushes. I wanted to create something fun and different. The challenge was trying to finish. I will be sending you a picture of the finished product, but I was able to get the actual hand done. I learned I should branch out and use my watercolors more often. I want people to know that I am more than just academics with this fun artwork.

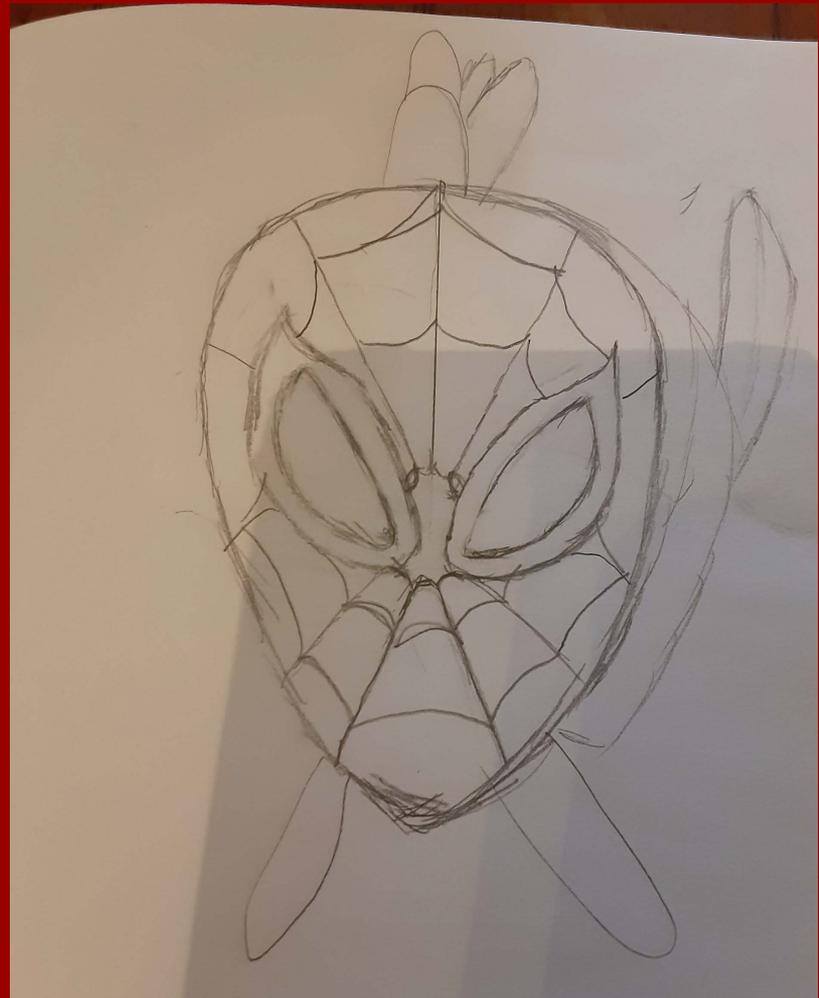
Samina D.

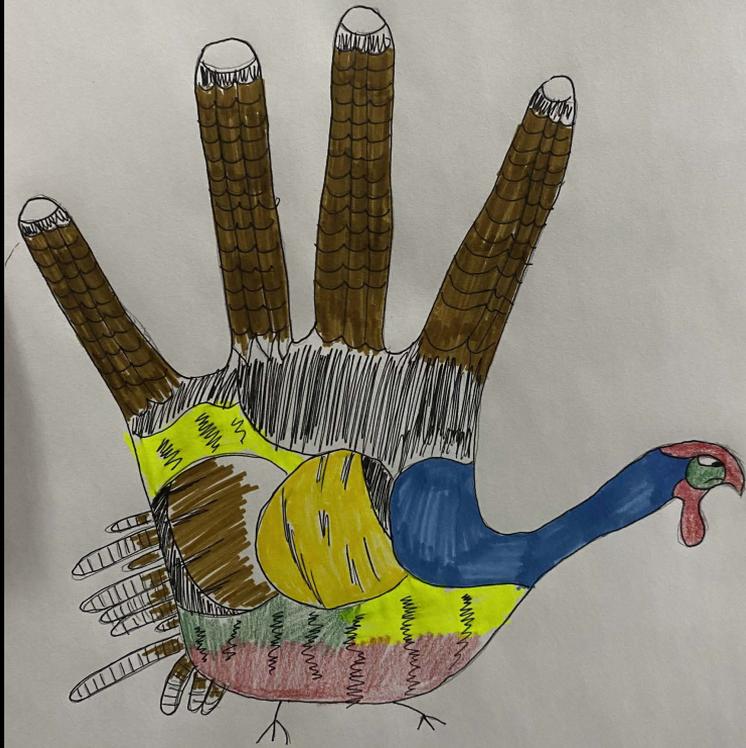
Team Nia

The Turkey Spiderman

I mainly used a pencil. While I got into marvels due to spider man and it was easy. I didn't have any challenges really. I learn that not everybody can be a superhero. While this took a while.

Lekhi B.
Team Nia



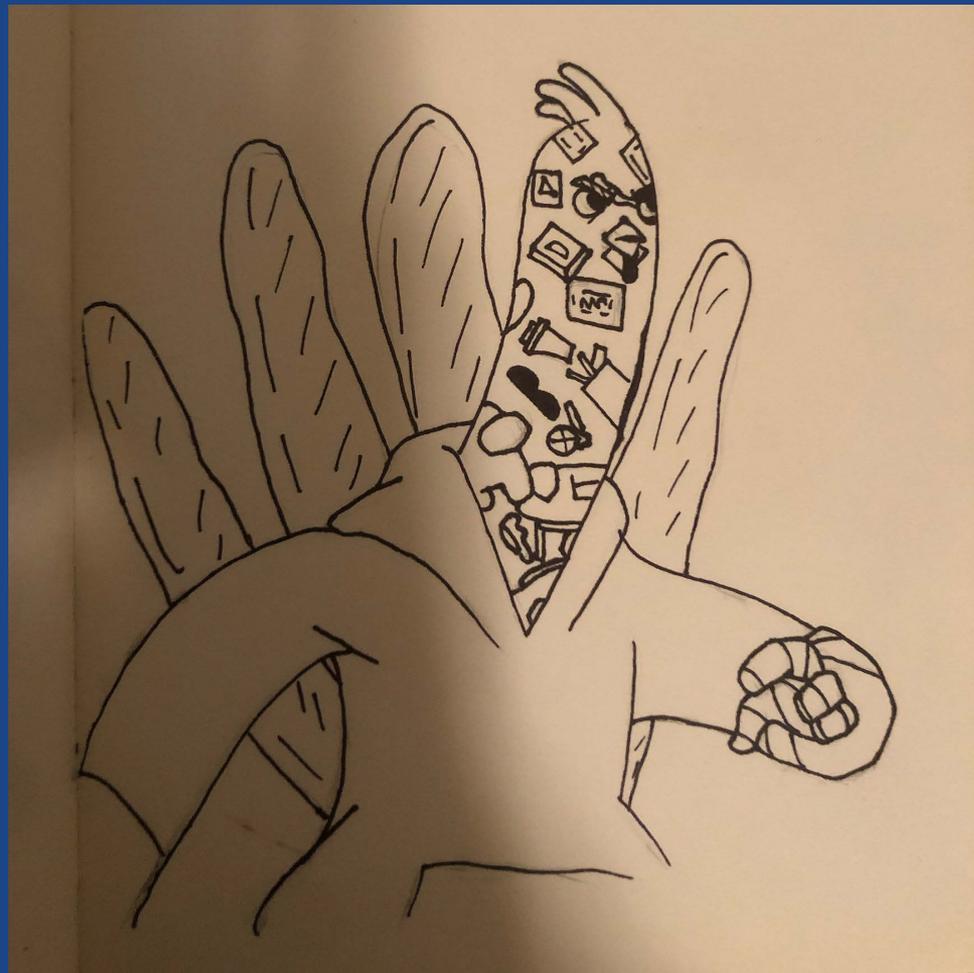


I used colored pencils and markers. A challenge was shading and I overcame this by substituting other materials. I learned how to use different vibrant colors. What I want people to know about my artwork is that it isn't perfect and to always try to create new things.

Alanna H.
Team Nia

Rantō shichimenchō
(Brawl Turkey in English)

Omar W.
Team Nia





The Unknown

The materials that I used are a pencil, and colored pencils. Something that I learned from creating this artwork was a little of how to do ombre/blend in my colors. Something that I want people to know about my work is that the girl in the image is a black girl and the colors “behind her” is inspired by the thanksgiving colors. One challenge was figuring out what I was going to create..I overcame this challenge by doing research.

Zariah C.
Team Nia

I used a pencil and some music to get me to actually do the work. I was looking at the different turkeys so that's what inspired me to do something different. The challenge I had was coming up with something I thought no one would do.

Jasim C.
Team Nia





I used color pencils, white and Black paint and pencils. The thing that inspired me was colors and Thanksgiving. I learned that you can use many colors to create something beautiful. I had no challenge creating this artwork.

Samuel O.
Team Nia



I used the Sketchio app. I created this artwork because I like the colors that's on my hand. It was hard for me to get the hand right, but I got it. I learned to move slow or your hand is going to mess up. I want people to know that making hands aren't easy.

Ajahna Y.

Team Nia



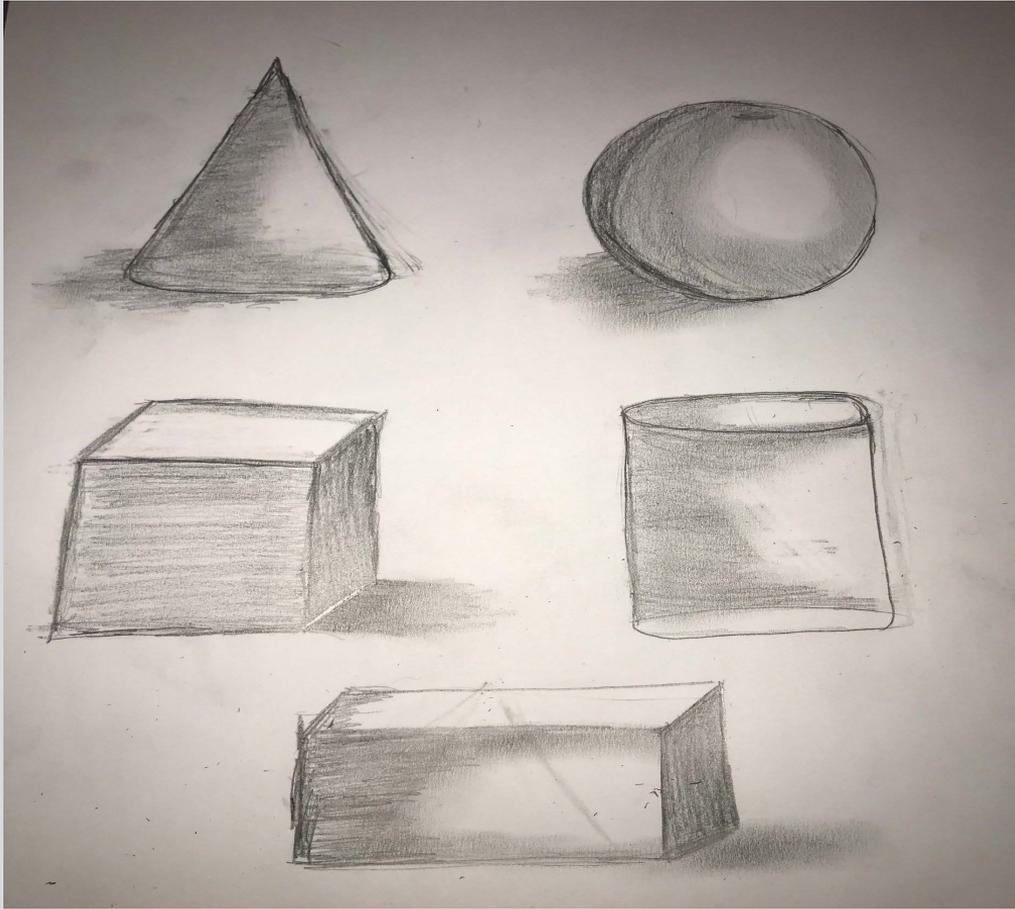
Kurama

I used pencil and sharpie marker. The hardest part was coloring it with the crayola maker. Something that inspired me to make this is a fox. I learned that not all artwork is going to be quick and easy.

-Uthman A

Form Drawings

Scholars turned shapes into forms using a value drawing technique.



Shape Forms

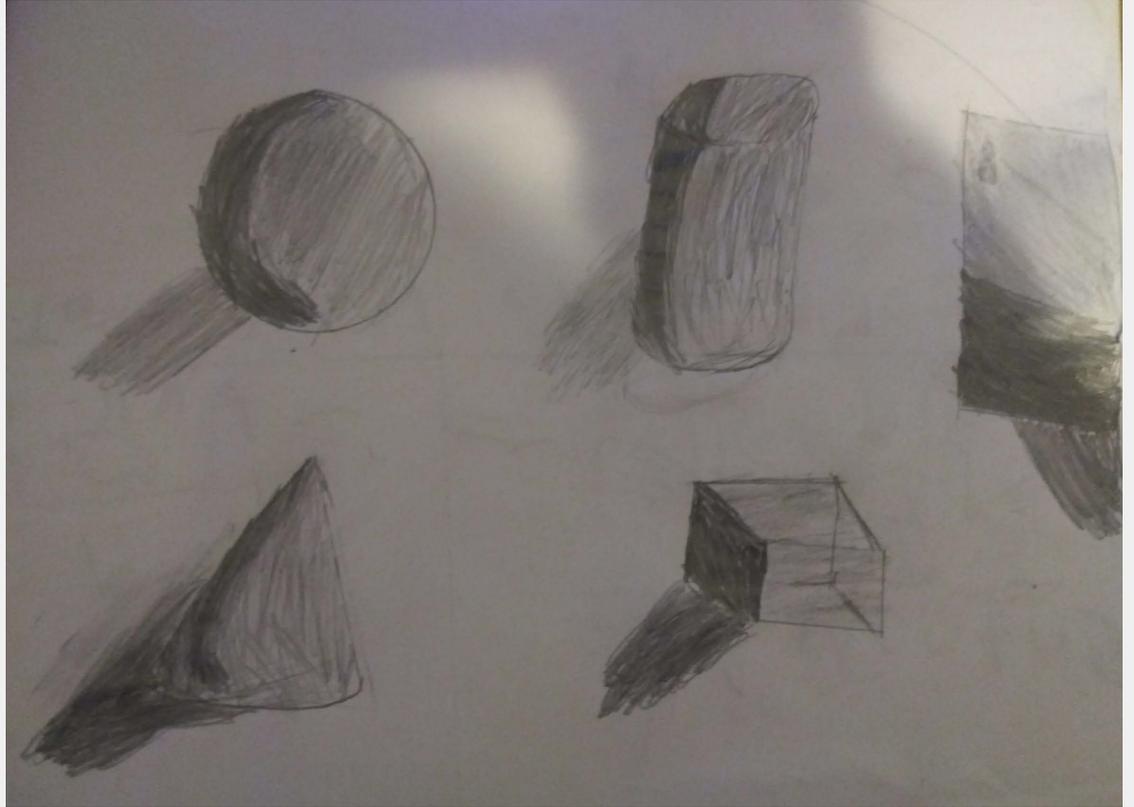
I used sketchpad paper and pencils. A challenge I had was finding the right shapes and putting shadows in the right places. I overcame this challenge by erasing unnecessary shadows. From this artwork I learned different positions and forms of shapes.

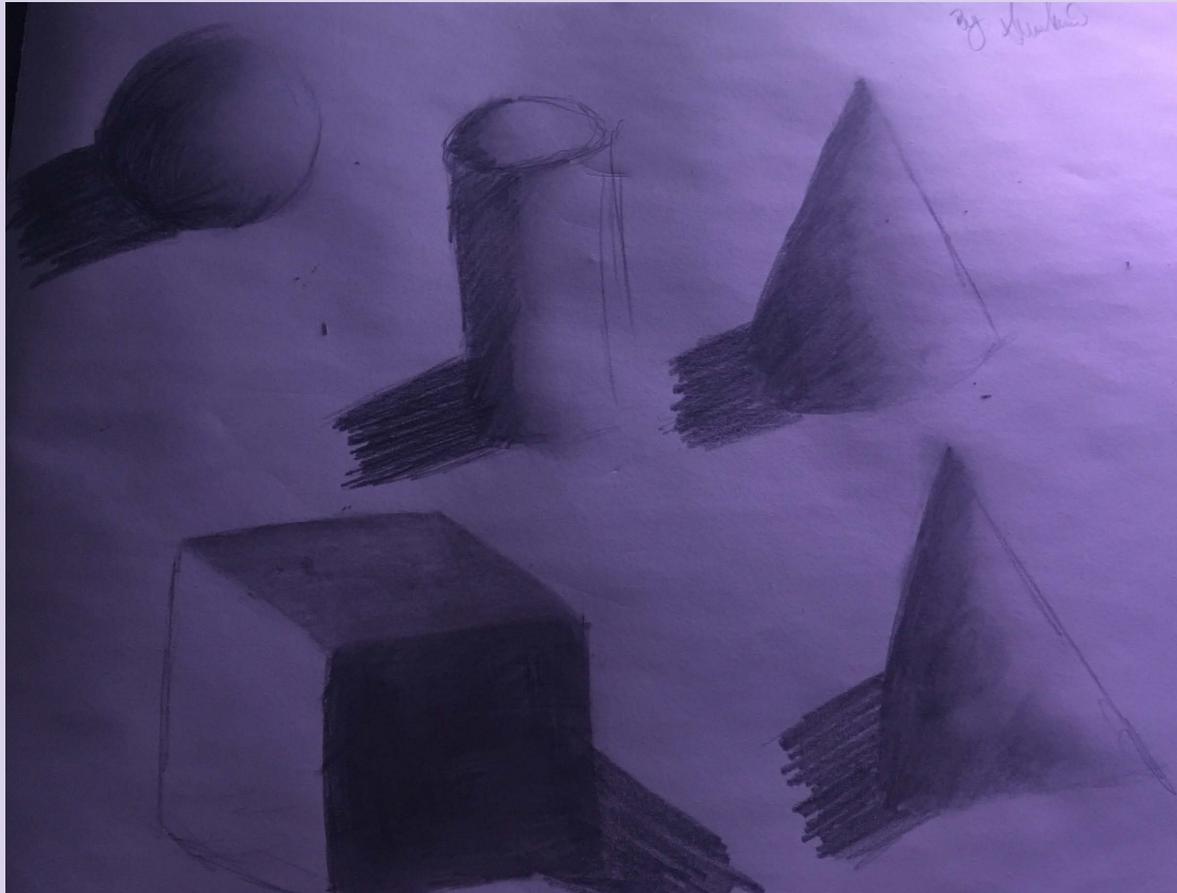
Chyna I.

Team Nia

I used pencil, paper to create my shapes to forms. The thing that inspired me was that it was my art project. I had to shade it light and dark which was very difficult at first then I got the hang of it. I learned how to properly do 3d shapes and turn shapes to forms.

Samuel O.
Team Nia



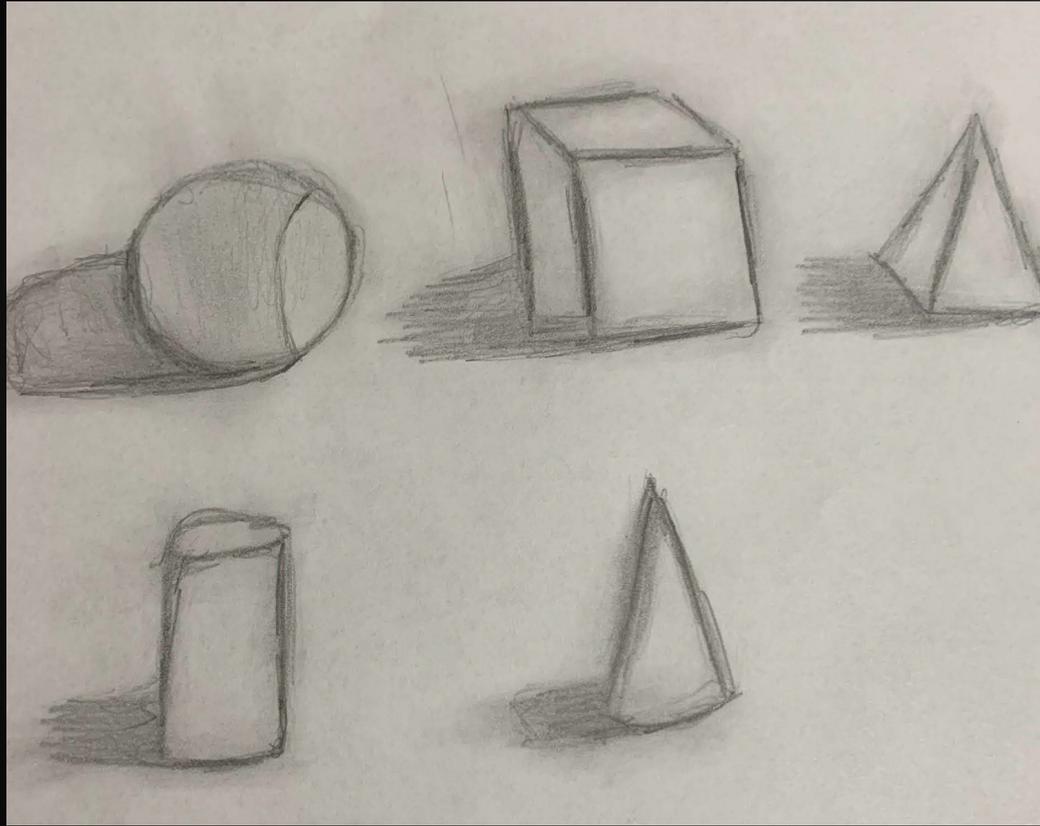


Forms

The materials I used were paper napkins and a pencil. I wanted to make something similar to Ms. Howard to improve my drawing skills. The challenge was the shading. But I was able to overcome it by trying my best and moving on. I learned that I can shade very well. I want people to know that I can draw realistic and unrealistic drawings.

Samina D.

Team Nia



3D Shapes

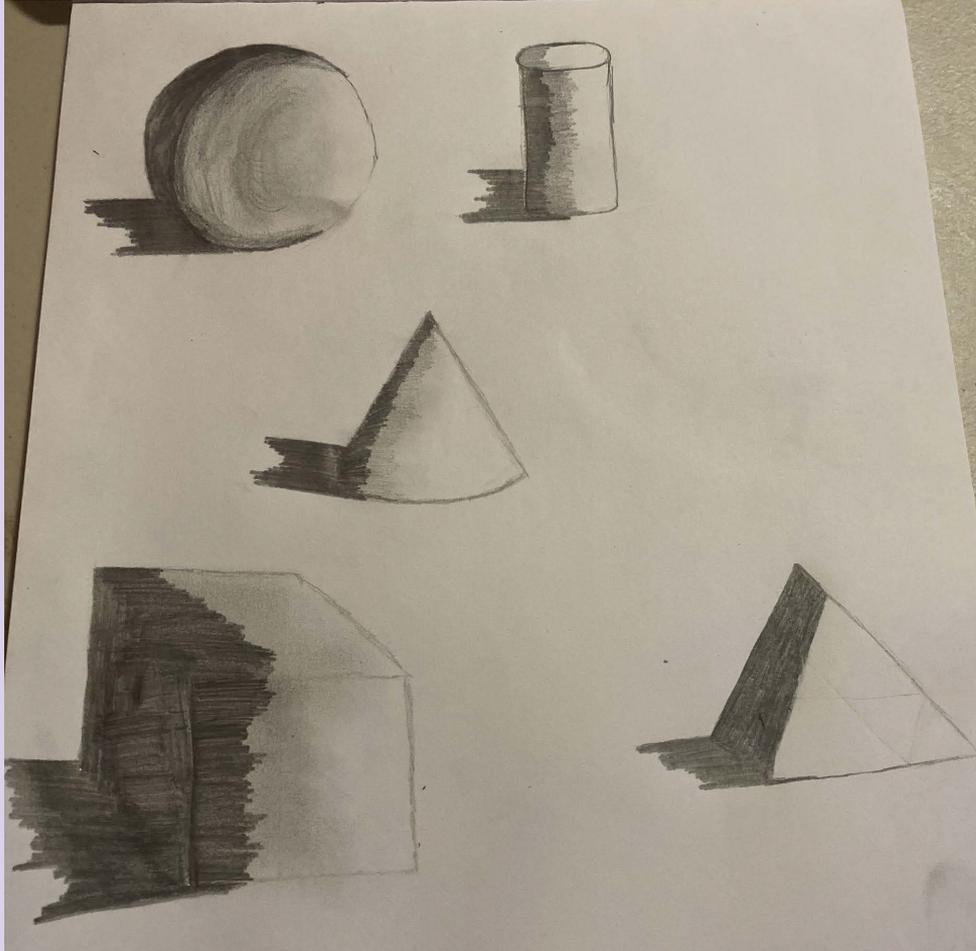
Something that inspired me to draw this is because I really like drawing 3d things. The challenge that I had to overcome was trying to shade it properly. I had to overcome this by me keep trying I want people to know that it was not easy to draw. I learned that I always have to try my best.

Uthman A.
Team Nia

The materials that I used was a pencil and paper. What inspired was abstract. The challenge was getting the right shadow to make it look like it's on a surface. I overcame it by trying my best. I learned that anything is possible. I put my blood sweat and tears into this.



Lekhi B.
Team Nia



SAS (Shadows and Shapes)

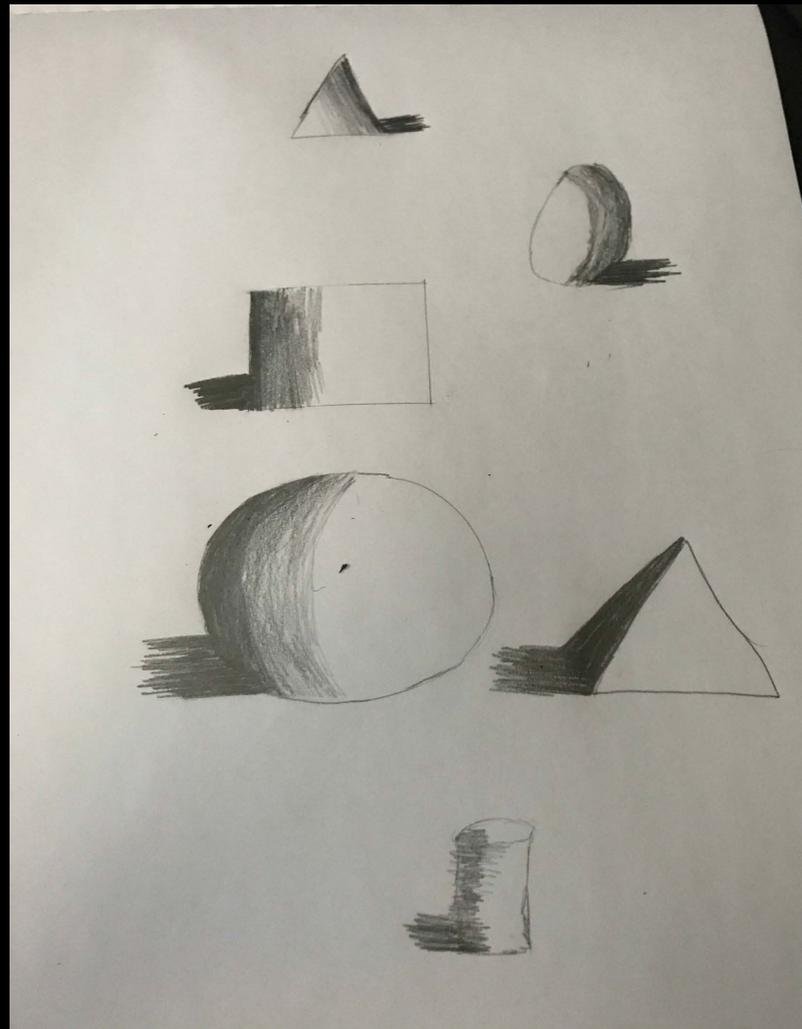
The only materials that I used for this activity was a pencil and a water bottle to make the circle. What inspired me to make this artwork was the example/directions Ms.Howard gave us. A challenge was the shading but I tried to overcome it by doing my best with following the way Ms.Howard did hers. I learned that if there is no shadow then the object will just look as if it is floating. I would like for people to know that the shadow is there so that it will look like the object is on top of something and not just up in the air as Ms.Howard taught us.

Zariah C.

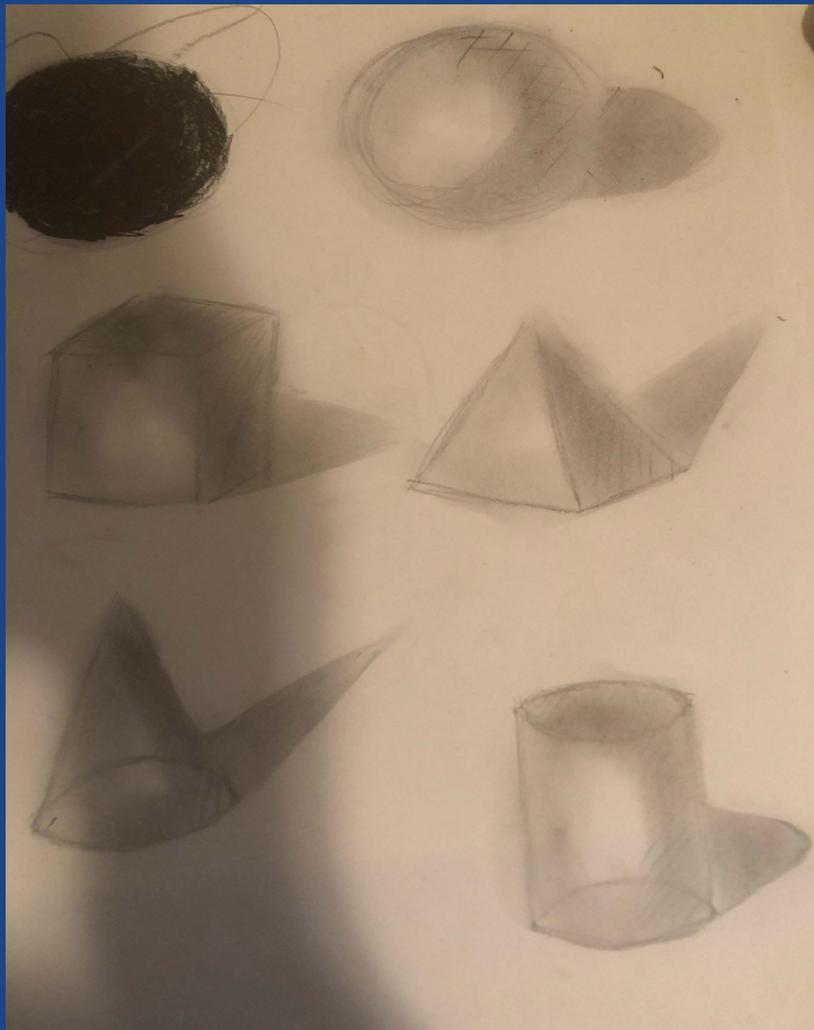
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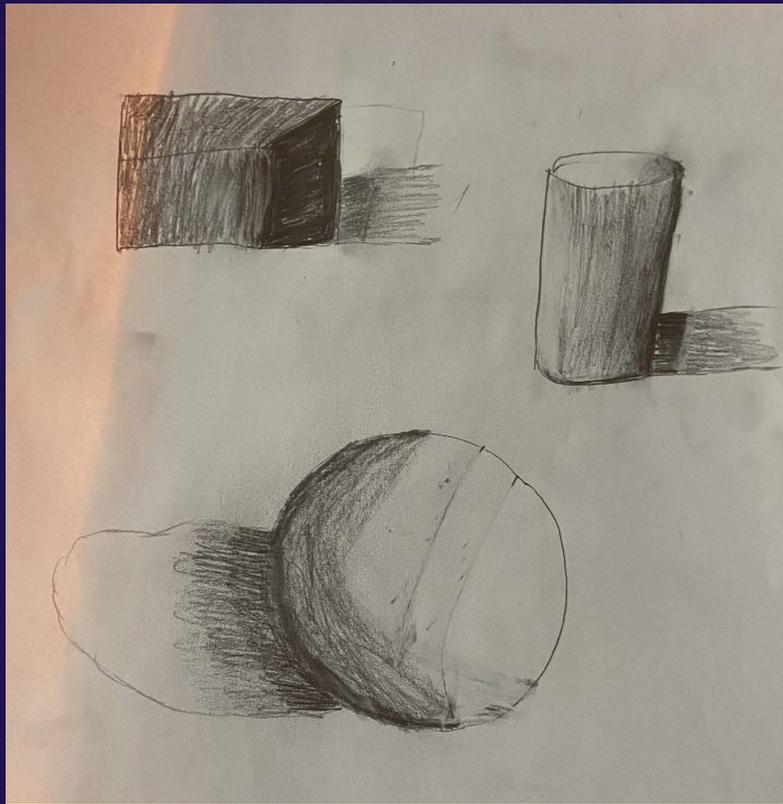
I like how this turned out. I had a little trouble doing some of the shapes, but in the end I think it looked good. I used a pencil and a ruler to do this. The pencil helped me with shading and the ruler helps with making my lines straight. I learned how to place shadows behind shapes, and bring more life to them. I think it is very neat and well put together.

Naomi C.
Team Nia

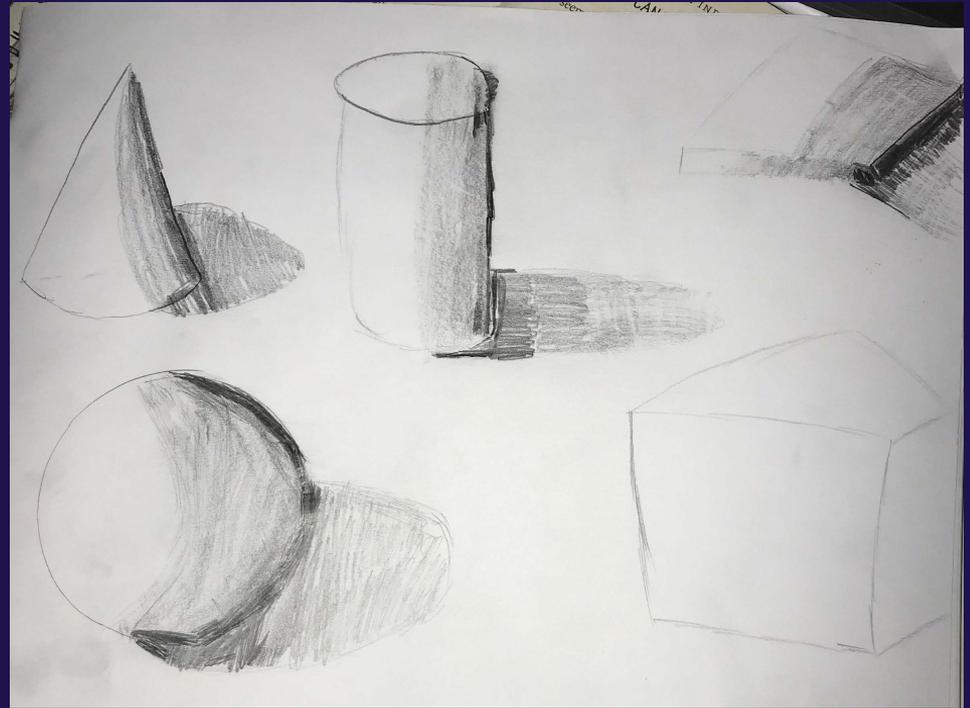


Omar W.
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Frederic K.
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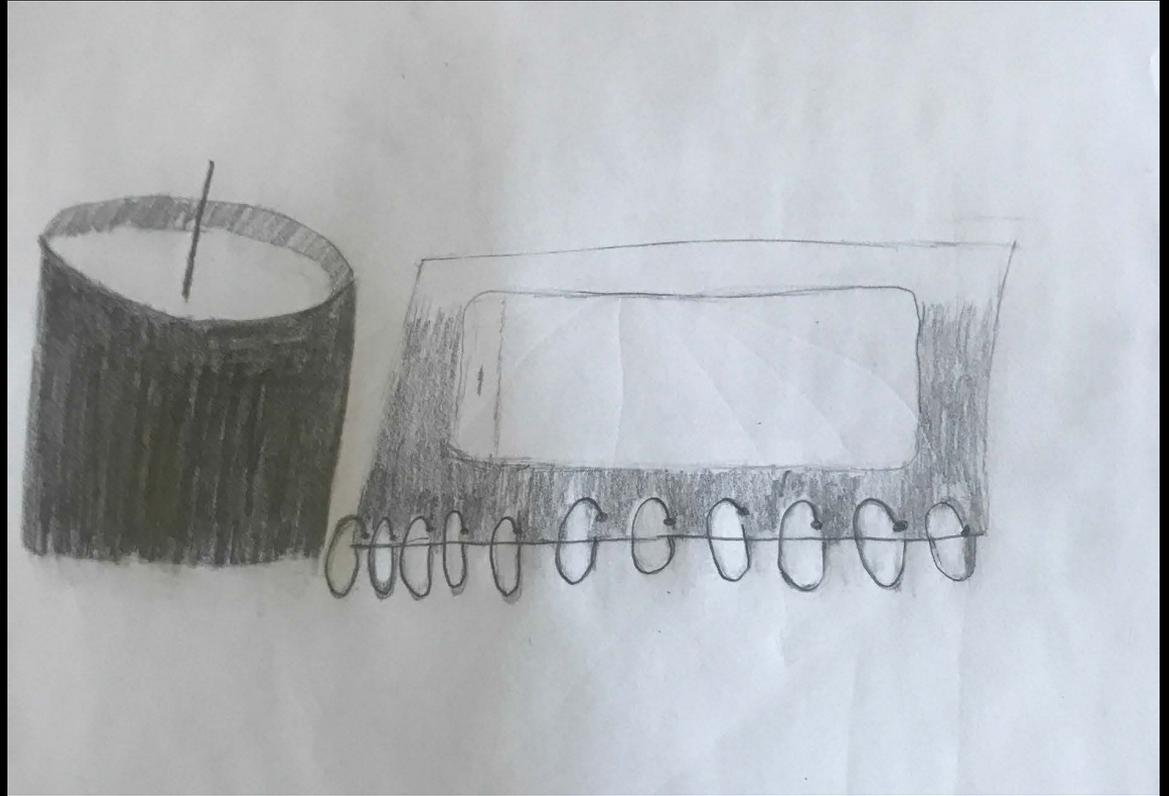


Gabriel C.
Team Nia

Still Life Drawings

Scholars drew a still life using items that are meaningful to them.

This art piece was inspired by the things I use in my everyday life. I drew my planner because without it I would be so unorganized. Additionally my phone helps me keep track of time, due dates, emails etc. Lastly, I drew a candle because they are literally everywhere in my house and are lit often. I think this piece came out very nicely.



Naomi C.
Team Nia

Rainbow smile

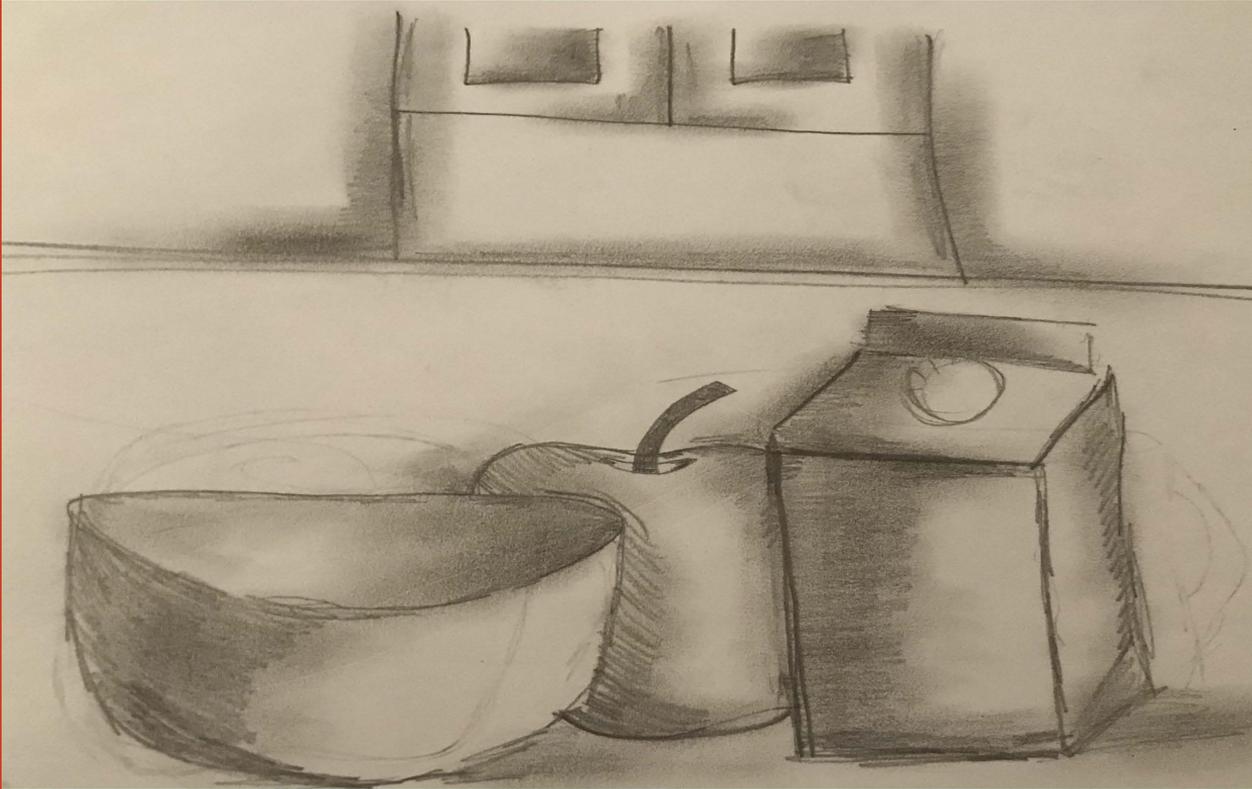


I used paper, pencil and napkins. I wanted to make something that I connected to and so I used a light, lotion bottle and a fake pine tree plant. The challenge was the shading and making sure it looked good. I learned that I can do cross hatching and shading. I want people to know that I am well rounded and can sketch things too.

Samina D.

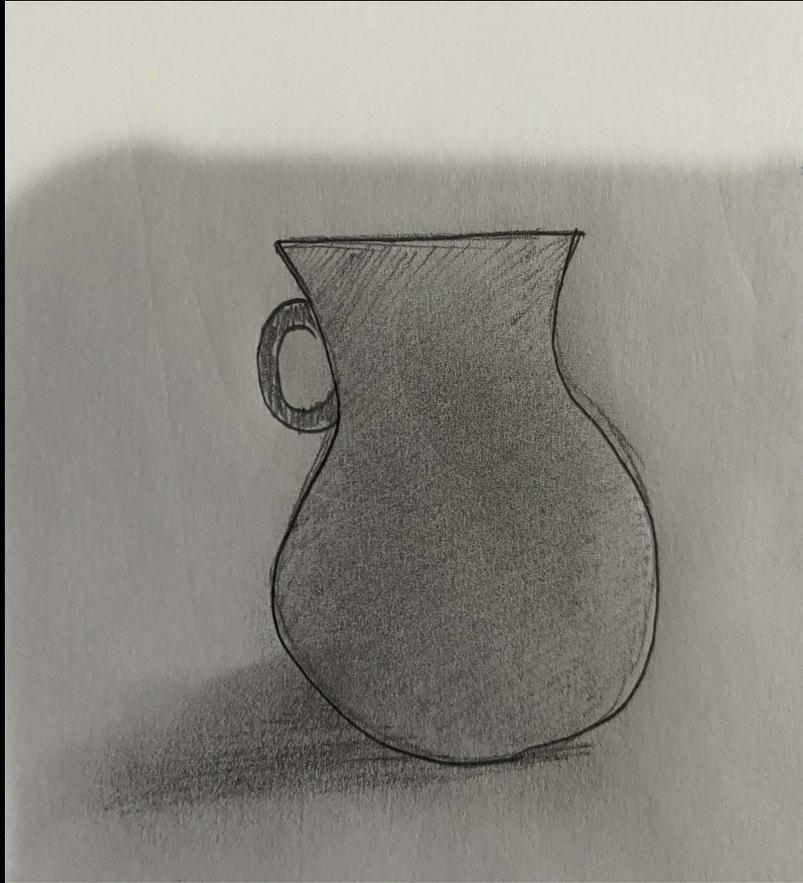
Team Nia

Still Life in the Kitchen



The materials I used were pencils and sketchbook paper. I was inspired by looking for items to use for my still life drawing and collecting items from my kitchen. A challenge I had was choosing which exact items I wanted to use as a reference.

Chyna I.
Team Nia



I used a pencil for my artwork. A challenge was shading a round object and I overcame it by shading towards the bottom to create a shadow. I want people to know that my art wasn't difficult to make.

Alanna H.

Team Nia



I used a pencil, and my finger. I was hard for me to get it to look 3D at first. I learned that it can get pretty messy but it's worth it. I want people to know that looks can be deceiving. It's not that hard.

Ajahna Y.

Team Nia

The artwork I created was something I found enjoyable in my home but I made a mistake but I use my mistakes as a masterpiece. I want to teach people its ok if you mess up and you could one day make a mistake and could become famous from it.

Frederic K.

Team Nia





Realistic Shadows

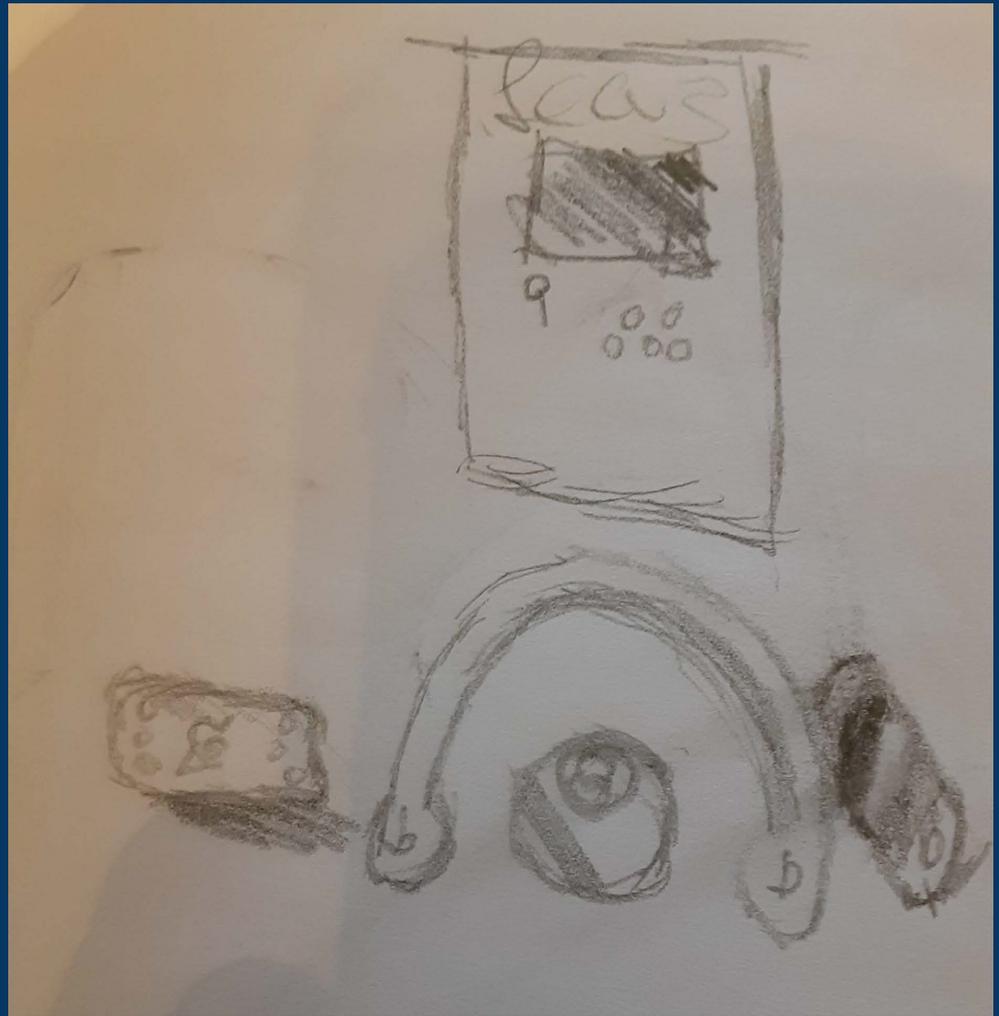
The materials I used were a pencil, an eraser, and the video Ms.Howard provided. The video that Ms.Howard provided to us is what inspired me to create this artwork. A challenge was the drawing itself but once I started shading my drawing seemed to have come together a little bit more. I learned a little bit more on how to shade. Something that I would like people to know about my artwork is that I couldn't think of a fifth item to draw so I just drew two cups.

Zariah C.

Team Nia

I used a pencil and went hard on the led to get the shadow. While it was abstract. It was difficult to draw the shadows. I learned that this was the 5 thing that I wanted as a kid. While I put my blood sweat and tears into this. It, anime playing pool gameboy, phone and headphones.

Lekhi B.
Team Nia



Entertainment Center



Something that inspired me to draw this was my entertainment center where I play my games. The hardest part of this was mostly the shading. I want people to know that I worked hard on this and that it was nowhere close easy.

Uthman A.
Team Nia

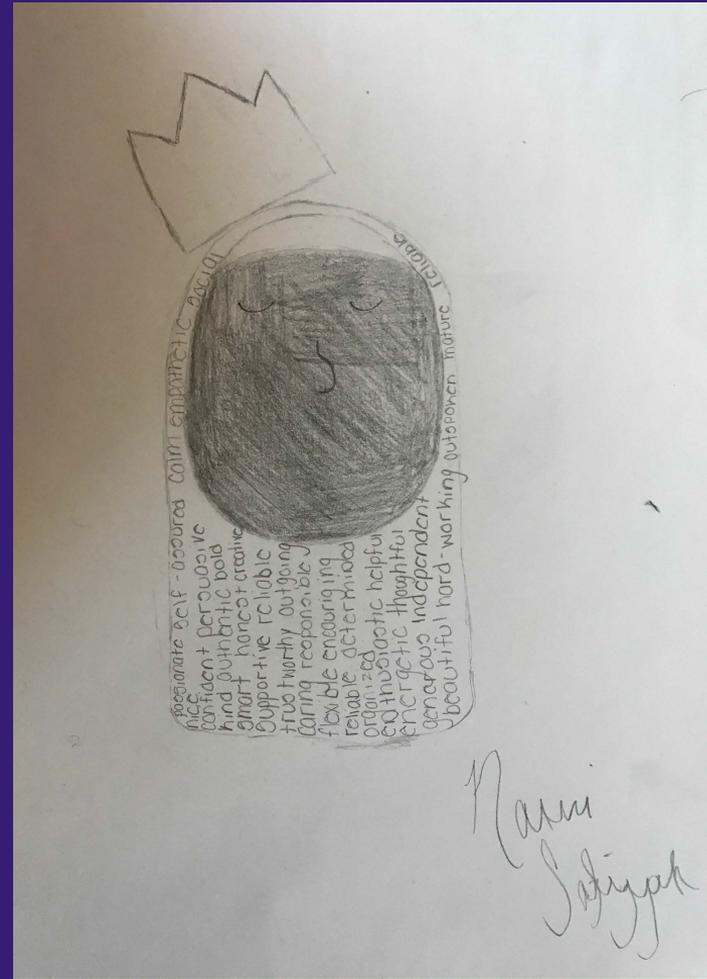
Micrography Self-Portraits

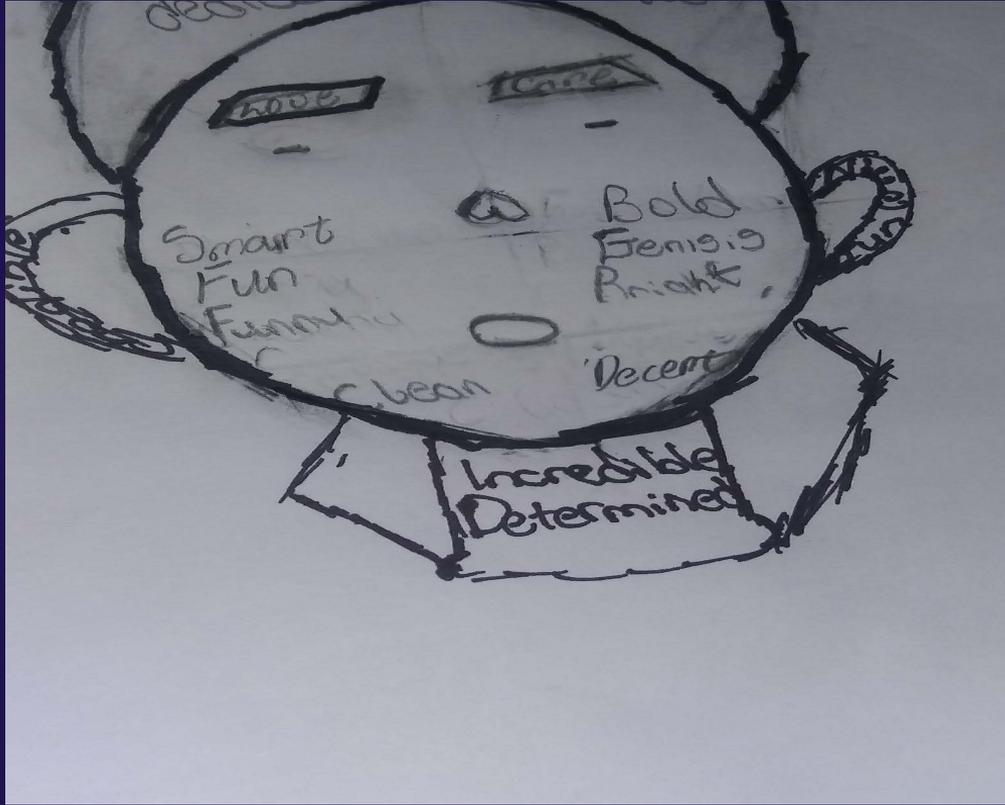
Scholars created a self-portrait around words that described who they are.

I Am

I like this artwork very much. I created myself. However instead of using the words as my outline, I put them in my hijab. That would symbolize how they make me the person who I am. I used a pencil to write and shade in the face. I learned that many art pieces of muslim women are drawn without a face, and just show their hijab. I don't know the reason but I believe it represents modesty.

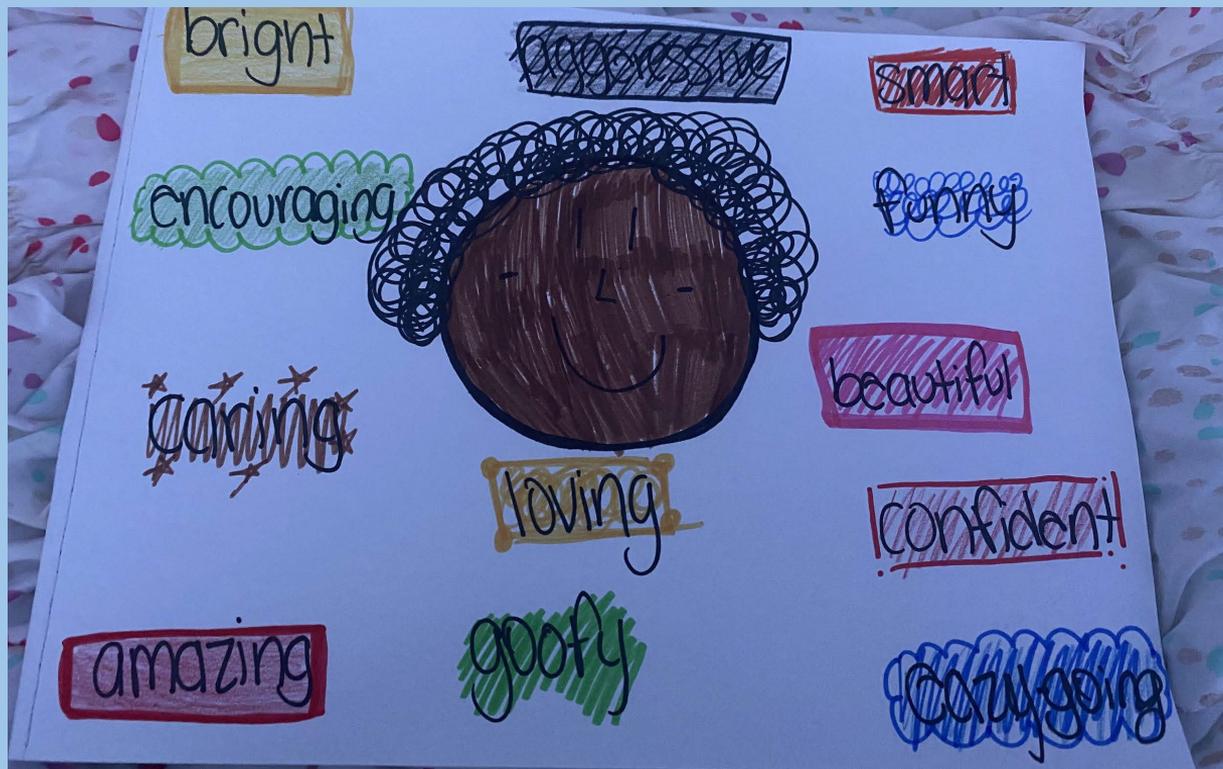
Naomi Craig
Team Nia





I used a pencil with a sharpie to create my art work. The thing that inspired me was that it was my Grade. It was very hard to write my words on my face. I want people to know that I spent a lot of time.

Samuel O.
Team Nia



Words of the Face

I used my drawing book ,
colored pencils & markers .
Nothing inspired me, and I had
no challenge I enjoyed
creating my artwork . I
learned I am very creative &
I just want people too know I
am bright & colorful

Alanna R.
Team Nia

Gabriel C.
Team Nia



Winter

Scholars created a unique winter artwork using materials of their choice, including snow.

Summer in Winter



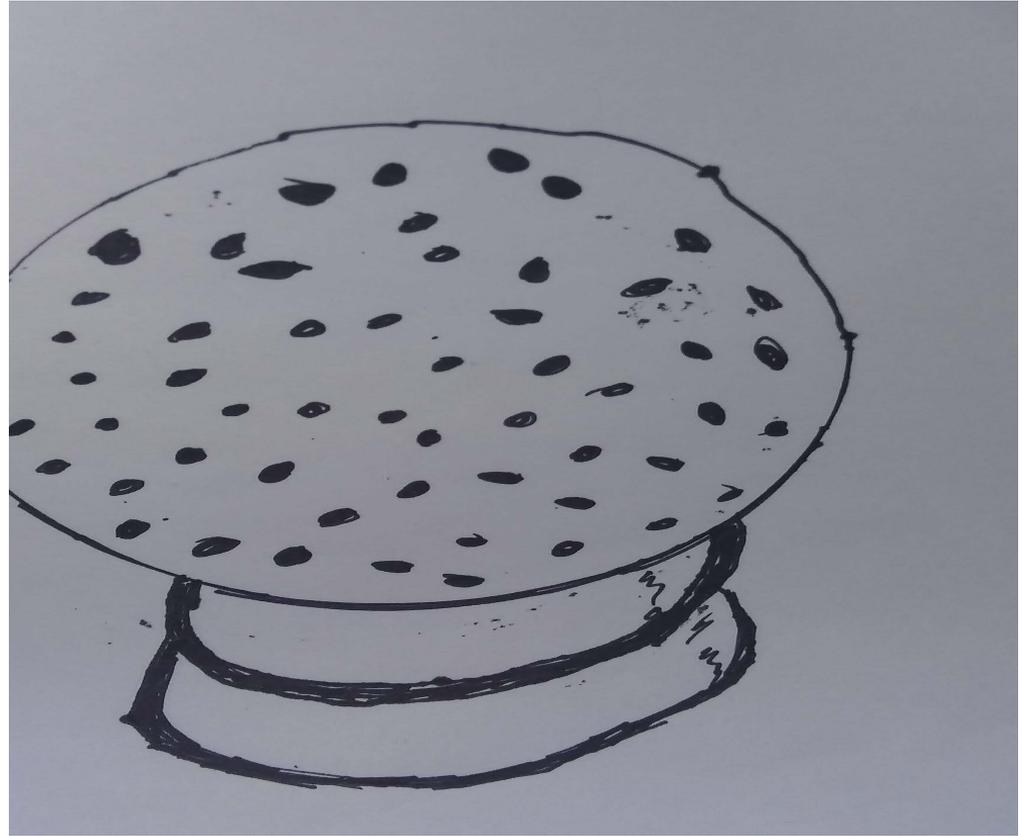
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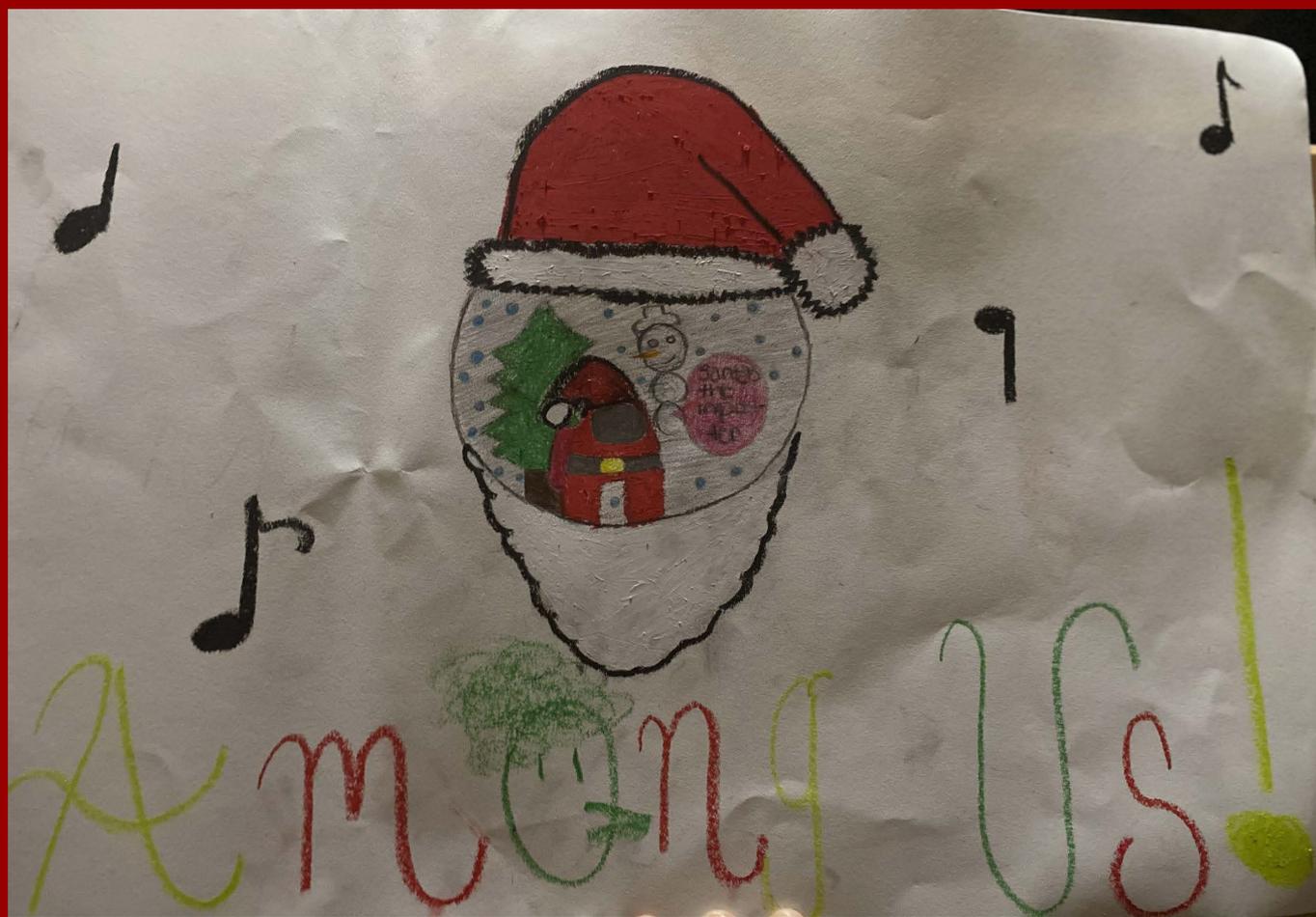
I used a canvas, and paint. I wanted to create something that felt close to my personality. At first I wasn't able to make a nice butterfly, but I was able to work around it. I learned that I am as versatile as a butterfly. I want people to know how much I have improved on my art skills.

I used sharpies to draw my snowglobe. It was my artwork that was due for this week and it was for my grade. I had to create a circle which was very hard. I want people to know that snowglobes are kind of easy and fun and also difficult.

Samuel O.

Team Nia





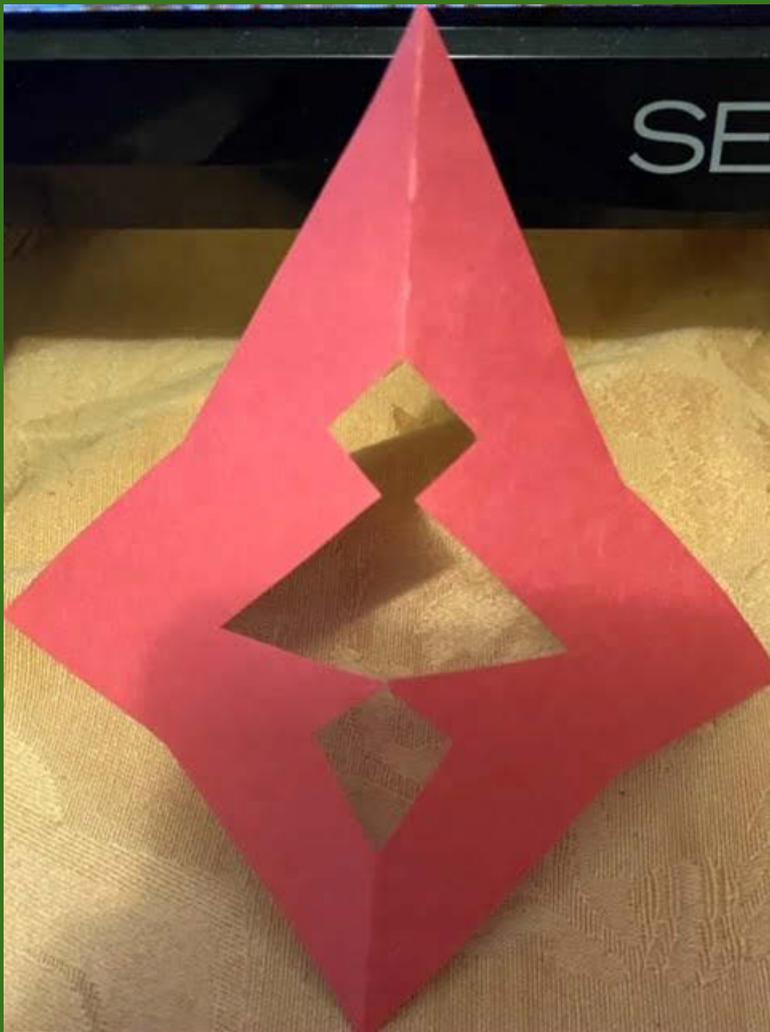
I used pencil, and pastel colors for this artwork. Something that inspired me to create this artwork is among us and the outfit santa wears. A challenge was thinking of an idea, but after thinking really hard about two things that's not that similar I came up with an idea. I learned that with creativity you have to have a lot of determination. I would like people to know that the name is globe because the setting is in a globe and the "us" comes from among "us".

Zariah C.
Team Nia

I used my ipad and my apple pencil.
What inspired you to create this
artwork? Nothing inspired me to
make this artwork. I didn't have
any challenges while making this. I
learned that I have a new art style.
I want people to know that I did it all
by myself.

Omar W.
Team Nia





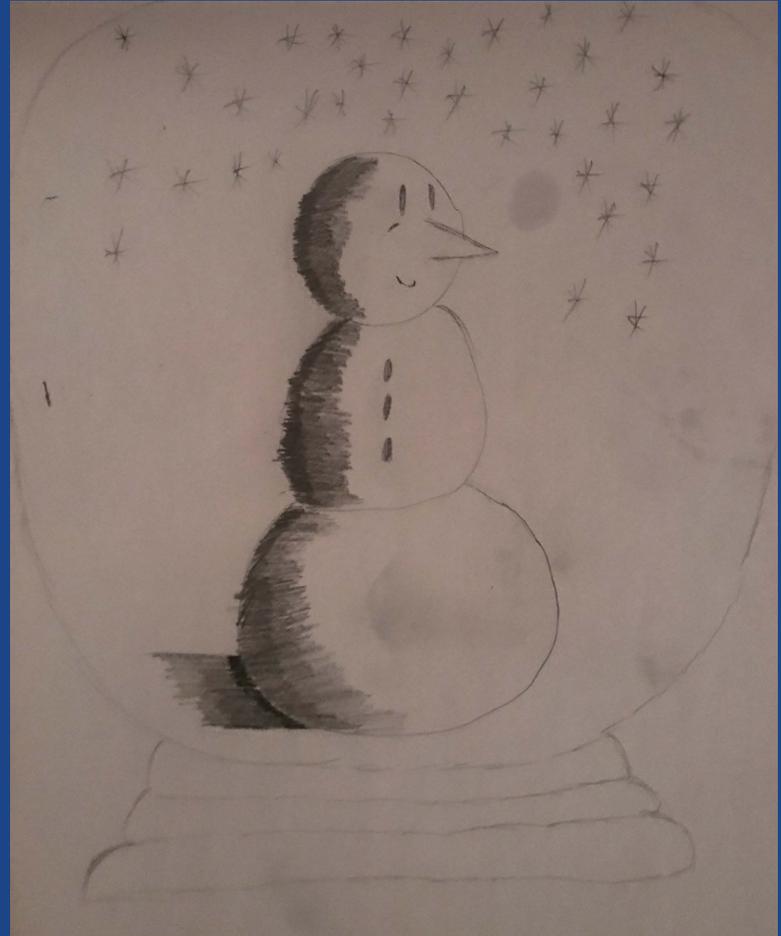
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The Lonely Snowman

There is only one snowman so he is lonely. I also added snowflakes in the snow globe. I used a pencil to draw this. I also drew a shadow to give it a 3d affect.

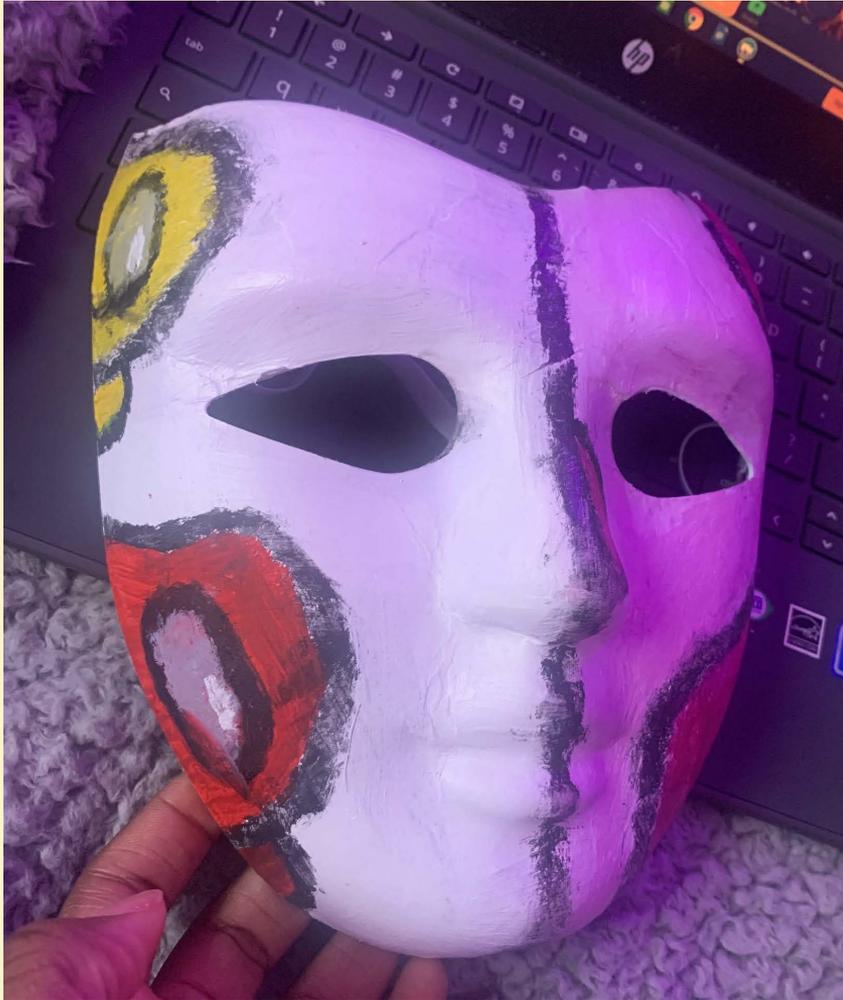
Naomi C.

Team Nia



Masks

Scholars designed unique masks using paint and other embellishments.



I used acrylic paint, and face paint. I was inspired by among us because it's my favorite game. It was hard for me to get the people correct. I learned that drawing characters isn't easy. I want people to know that I had a lot of ideas and didn't know which one to do.

Ajahna Y.

Team Nia

I used red & black paint. Something that inspired me was my past draws with splashing paint on my mask , I had trouble at first figuring out what I was going to do but i figured it out. I learned how to paint better and I want people to know I am going to get better at painting .

Alanna R.
Team Nia





Sr. Bartholome

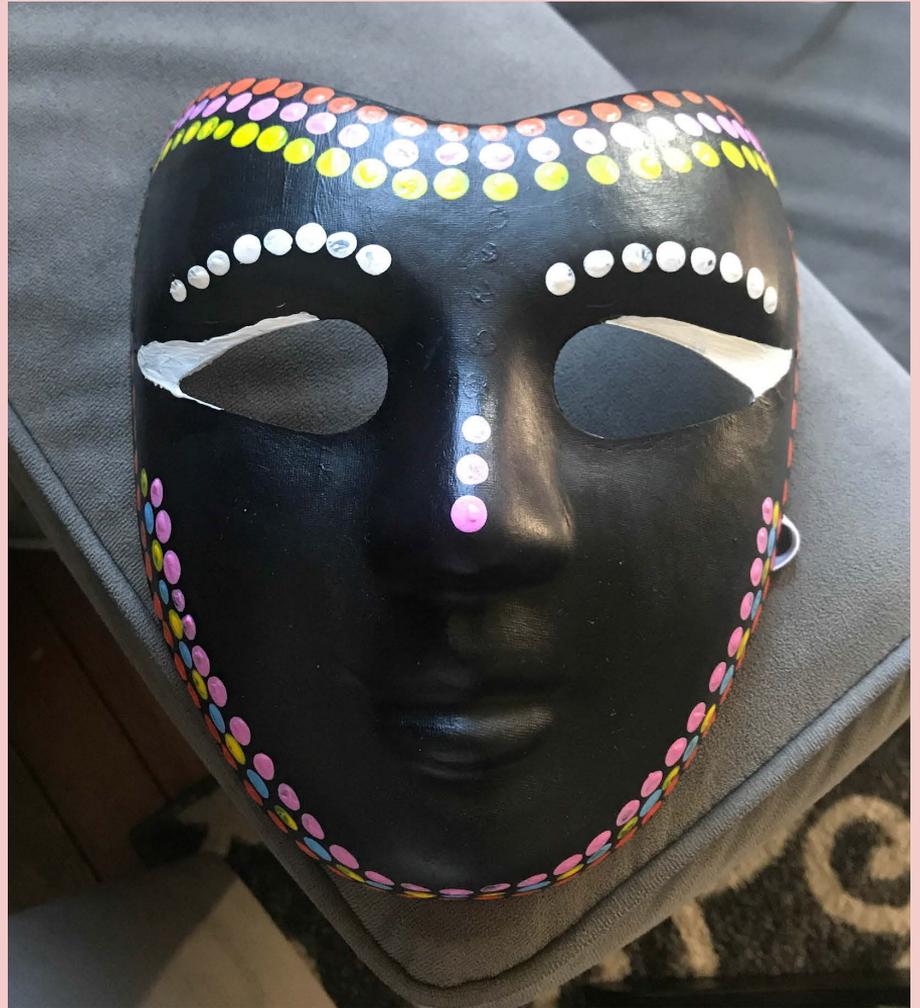
The materials I used was paint and a mask form. I used red, yellow, black and tiny bits of white paint. What inspired me to make this was my favorite anime called Jujutsu Kaizen and a guy named Sakuna. I learned from this art if you stick your mind to something you will get what you want. I want people to understand you can use anything and turn it into art.

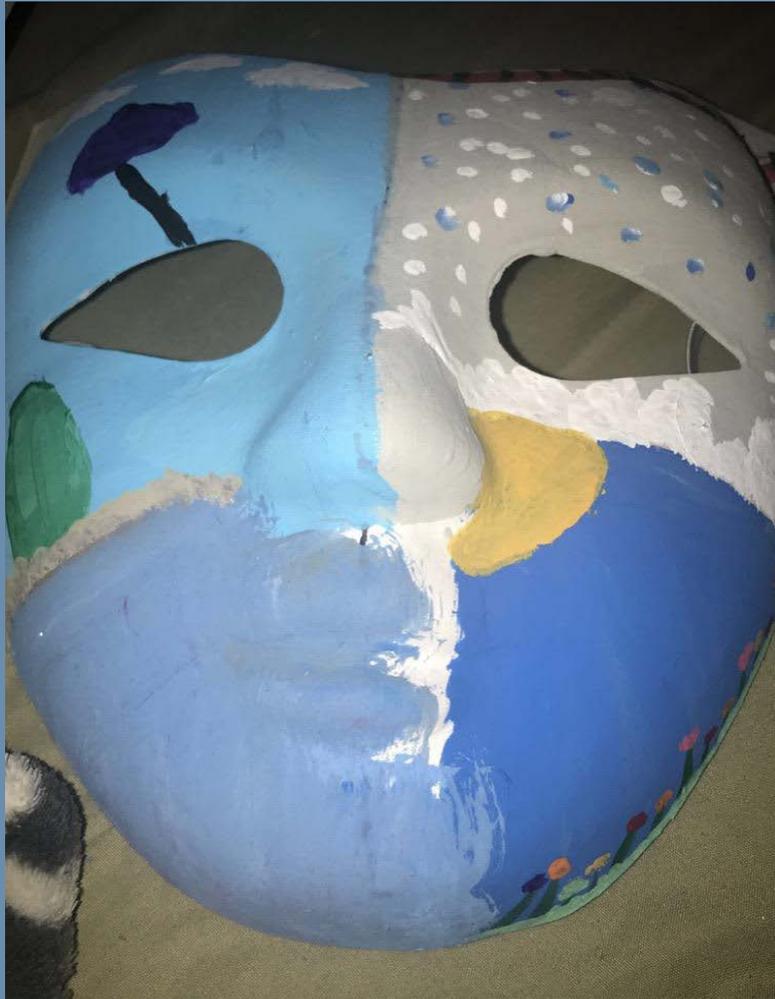
Frederic K.
Team Nia

Neon

I used acrylic paint to decorate this. I painted the entire thing black so the light colors could really pop. One challenge I had while creating this was making both sides symmetrical. It was hard at first because I couldn't figure out how to get the same amount of dots on each side. However, I managed to get it right so both sides looked the same.

Naomi C.
Team Nia





Seasons

I used a mask and paint. I did the three seasons Summer, Spring, and Winter. Something that inspired me to do this artwork were the seasons. You can have fun in all three of them and they're my favorite seasons. A challenge was the painting part because I had to be very careful.

Saffie B.

Team Nia

I used a pencil as a start then I moved on to paint with the colors white black and red. It was my grade that inspired me to create this mask. It was a challenge because it was difficult to not color over another color. I want people to know that I put a lot of time and effort into it.

Samuel O.
Team Nia





Patrick in the Heavens

I used acrylic paint, a mask and paintbrushes to make my mask. I wanted to create something that went with the theme of my bedroom, and so I used the bright pink colors. The idea of the mask is to have a skin color around and the face is a whole world. I learned that mask's aren't my forte and I like to work on canvases and other things. I want people to know that I tried something new even if it was hard.

Samina D.

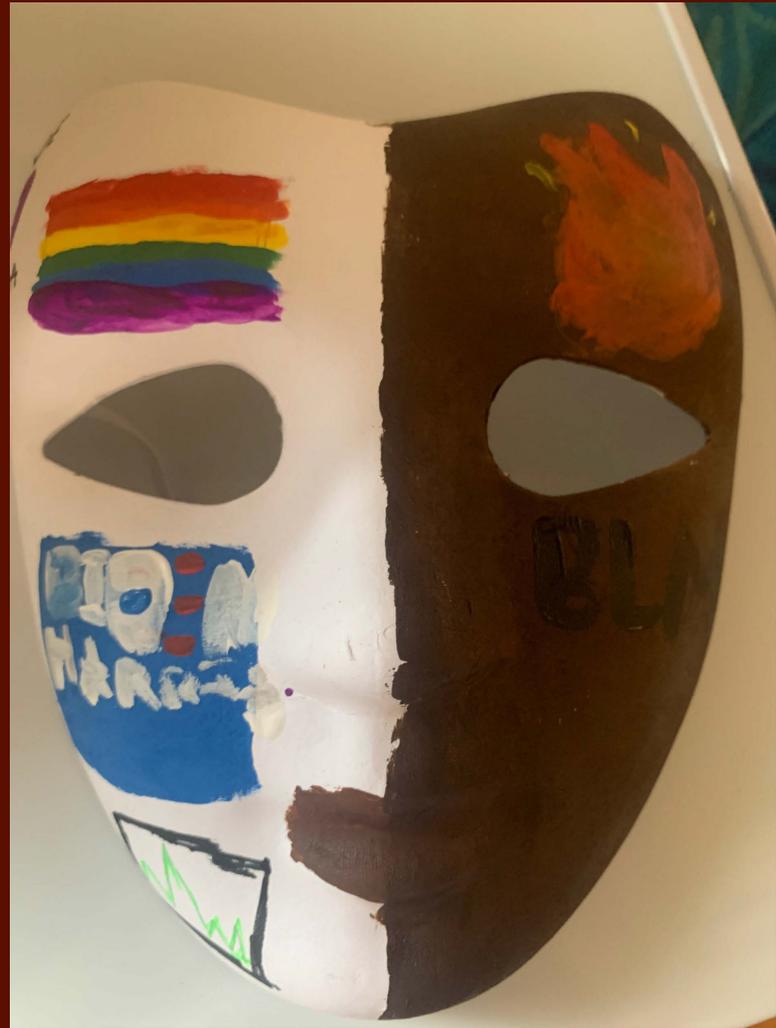
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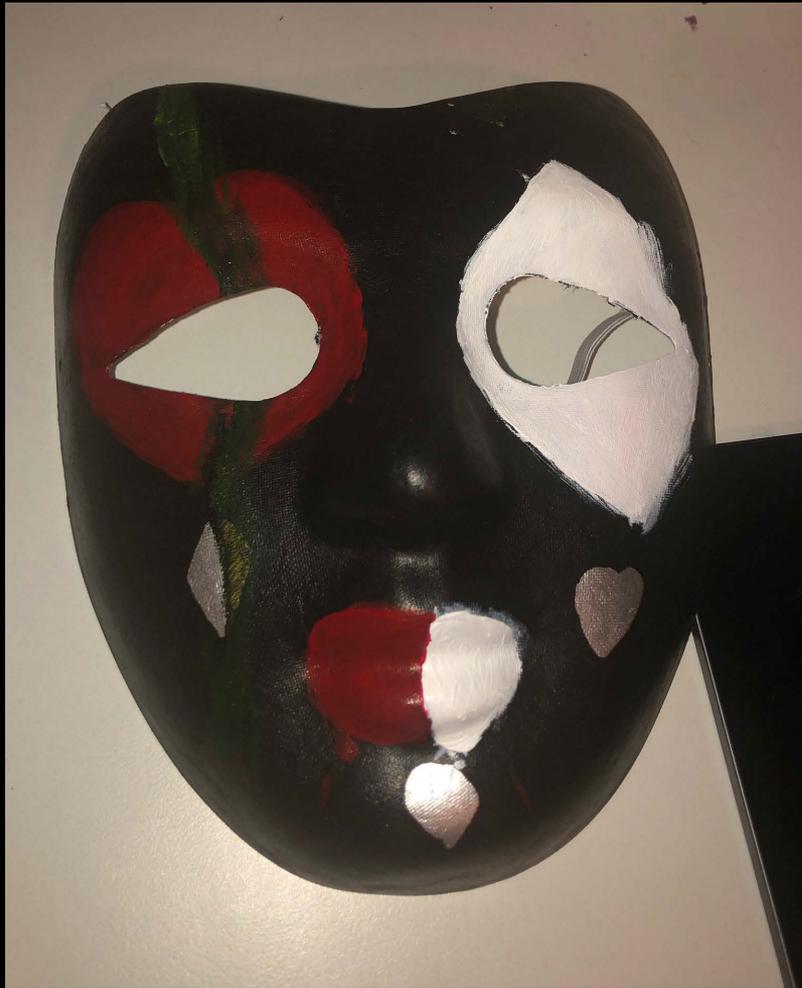
Tragedies

I used pencils and paint. I was inspired by how terrible last year was. I tried to capture 2020 but I was kind of in a rush. I was rushing and I could of cleaned up more lines and stuff. I didn't learn anything. I want people to know that I didn't capture much tragedies because I felt like the whole thing was a tragedy.

Isabelle M.

Team Nia





I used black, red, white, and silver paint for this mask. Nothing inspired me to make this mask. I had no issues while creating this. I learned nothing from this. I have nothing special that I want people to know about my artwork.

Omar W.
Team Nia



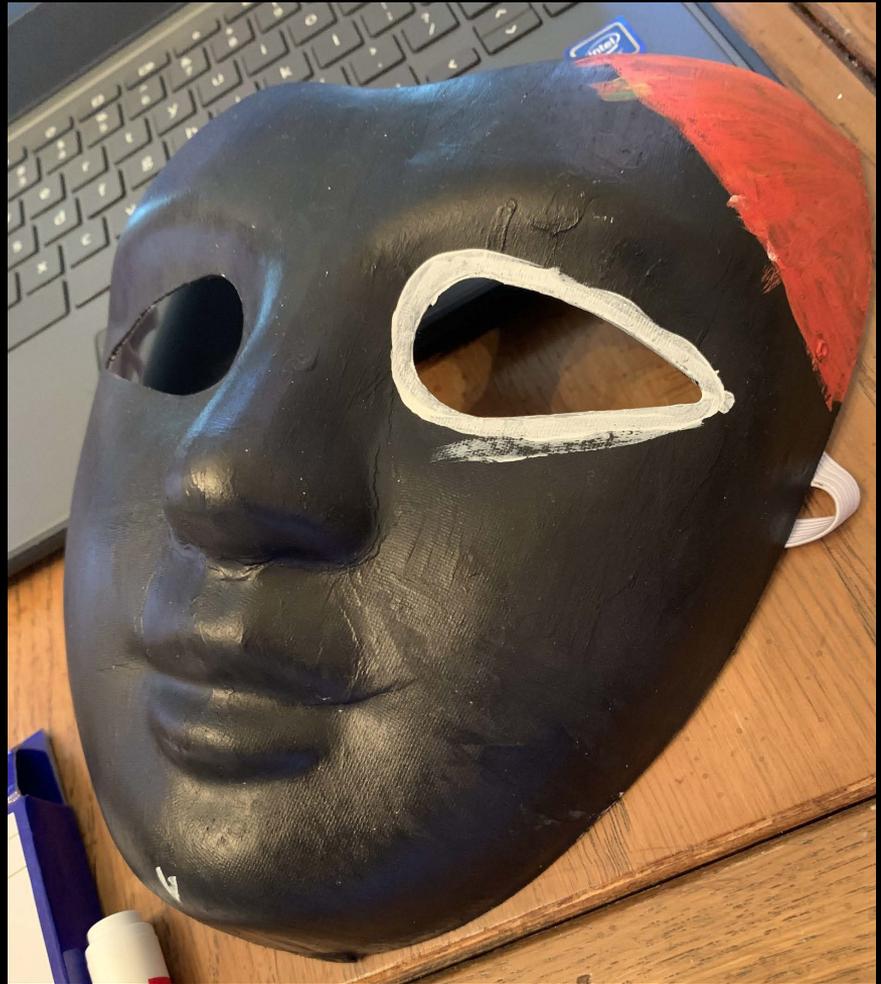
Red Painted Mask

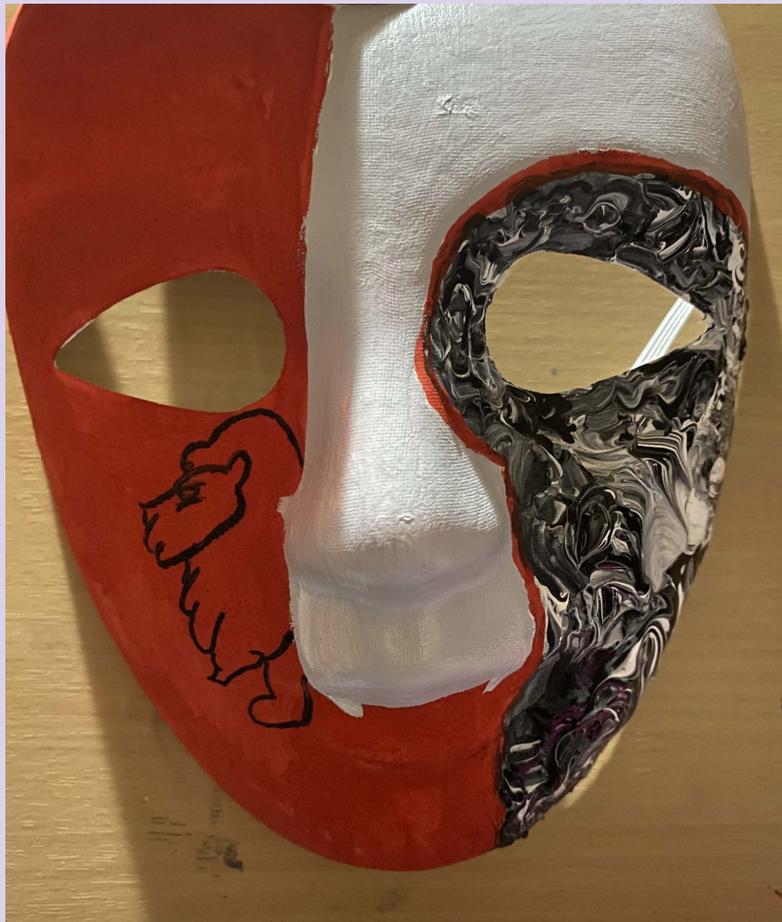
The materials I used were pencils to sketch the designs on the mask. And red, white, and blue acrylic paints to paint the designs and the background of the mask. A challenge I had was painting over darker colors that I thought I wanted as the background of the mask and trying to figure out what color I actually wanted the background to be. I overcame this challenge by coming to the conclusion of using the red paint to cover the whole mask. One thing I learned from creating this mask is that mistakes can be easily corrected.

Chyna I.
Team Nia

I used yellow, white, black and red paint. What inspired me was a show called Naruto. The character's name is itachi. The blood moon was hard to get it right then I used white to make it lighter and red to make it darker. I learned that nothing goes the way you expect it to go. I want to let the people know that this was hard but it's still done.

Lekhi B.
Team Nia





Face to Face

The materials that I used were the mask that Ms.Howard provided, the acrylic paint, a pencil, and a marker. Something that inspired me to make this artwork was kinda the lion king, and patterns. A challenge was coming up with an idea, and painting. However, I just went with the flow and started sketching out ideas on the mask and painted over whatever I didn't want. I learned how to mix the paints to make a design like marble without the paint turning all grey. I would like people to know that on the right half of the mask is a marble design.

Zariah C.

Team Nia

The materials I used are paint. Nothing really inspired me to create the artwork. A challenge that I overcame was making sure one color didn't get mixed up with another color. I learned that you can complete anything you put your mind to. I don't want people to know anything about my work

King K.
Team Nia



Anbu Black Ops



The materials that I use was acrylic paint and white ink pencils. Something that inspired me was the anime Naruto. The challenge was having to add on layers and that I had to wait for it to dry. I want other people to see that it took a lot of patients. I learned to have a lot of patients.

Uthman A.
Team Nia

Gabriel C.
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Amiyah W.
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Assemblage

Scholars created sculptures
using recycled materials.



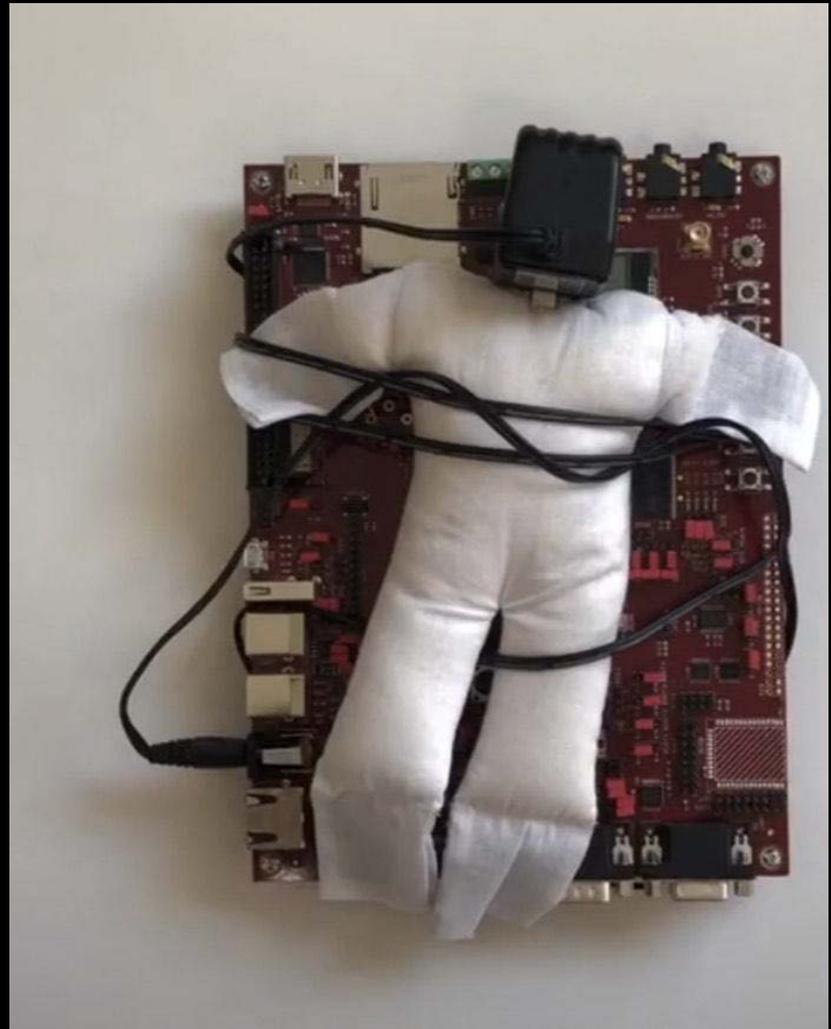
Alanna H.
Team Nia

I used index cards to make paper rolls, gift wrapping tissue paper, construction paper and fuzzy wire. My mother inspired me to create a forest because she loves nature. I learned that you can create simple and meaningful art pieces using left over items around the house without spending a lot of money. I want people to know the creativity in using recycled materials as an art form.

Assemblage sculpture

The materials I used were little computer pieces, my grandfather's old charger, and my sister little stuff doll. The challenge I faced was trying to cut the doll head off and put on one of the computer pieces. It was a struggle and it wouldn't come off and I learned that patience is key.

Frederic K.
Team Nia

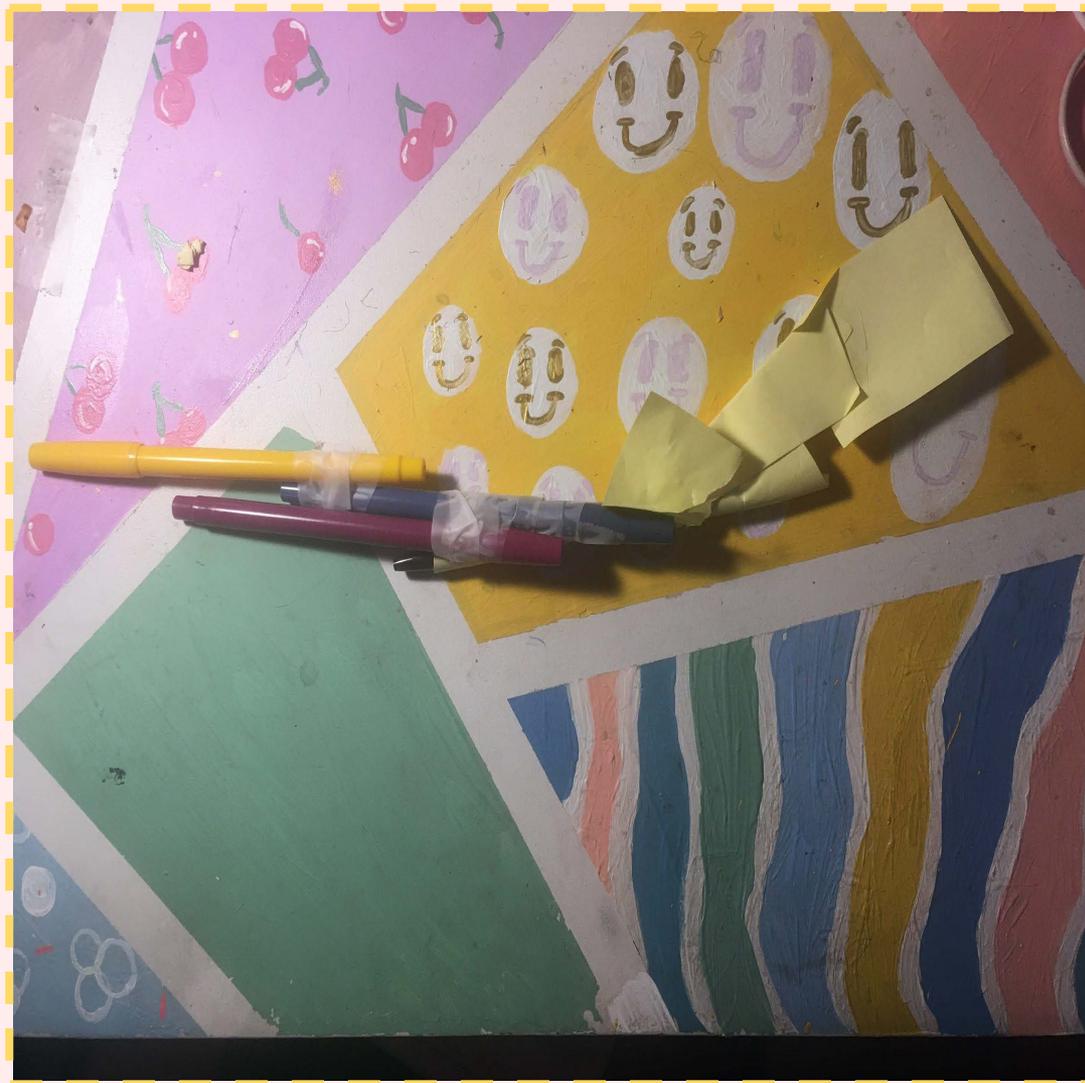




Quirky but with a twist.

I used the materials provided from the school such as a q tip, acrylic paints, the circle things from the winter project, string, magazine, and cardboard. Humans inspired me to do this artwork. A challenge was shaping everything, so I just made it look unique and made the body parts of sizes people wouldn't expect in an artwork. I learned how to glue down the different objects in a way that they would stick on cardboard. I would like people to know that my goal wasn't to make the arms/ other body parts match each other's sizes, I basically did however the sizes resulted.

*Zariah C.
Team Nia*



Plastic Picasso

I used a pen tube, because I have a lot of empty pen tubes, which are plastic. I also used paper and tape, because you can reuse paper. I wanted to make something that can be recycled and reused in a way. One challenge was thinking about what to make. So I decided to do something abstract. I learned that when in doubt, make something no one has ever seen. I want people to see my creativity more.

Samina D.
Team Nia

I used a box paint Pencils and some little decorations that I had. I was inspired by wanting to paint and I had a box and so I just did that. I don't have any challenges I need to overcome while working on my art. I didn't learn anything new while working on my art. I want people to know that my boxes cute that's all.

Isabelle M.
Team Nia



Koh's Son

I used a button 3 wires plastic and pipe line. What inspire me was the avatar in one of the episodes when a creature called the face stellar. It was hard getting the button to fit in the wires but I still got it done. Not everything is as easy as you think. This was difficult.

Lehki B.
Team Nia



Ted

I used 3 boxes to create this. I named it Ted because it felt like the right name to add to my creation. I used hot glue to connect everything together. One challenge I had was trying to stick everything together. Sometimes they would fall apart if I didn't put enough glue on them.

Naomi C.





Gabriel C.
Team Nia

Final Projects

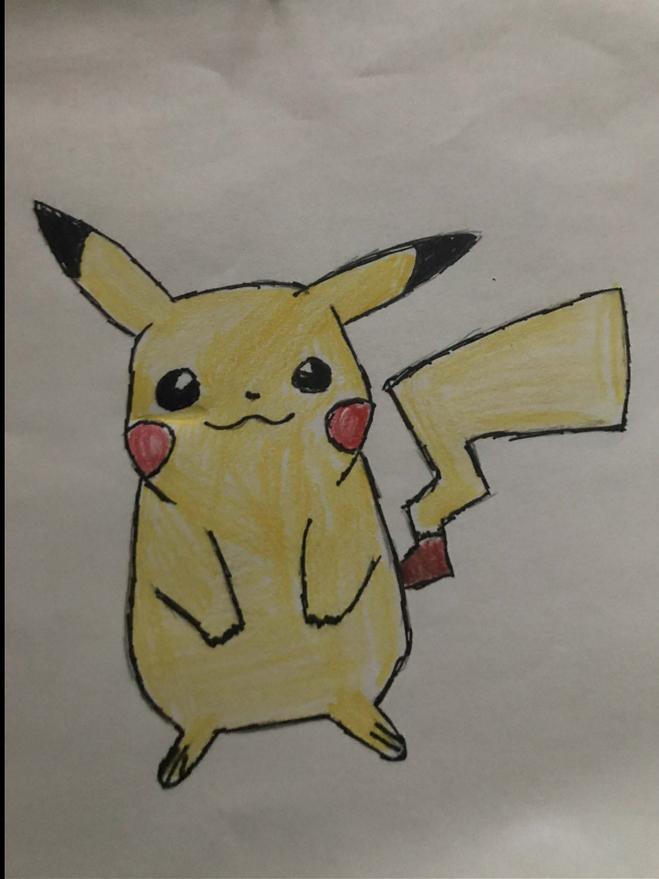
Scholars had a choice of art materials and media to create their final projects with.



Itachi

What inspired me to draw this is I was watching an anime. The hard part was trying to get the shadow to not look like hair. This is a sketch of a fictional character Itachi and he is in his akatsuki uniform.

Gabriel C.
Team Nia

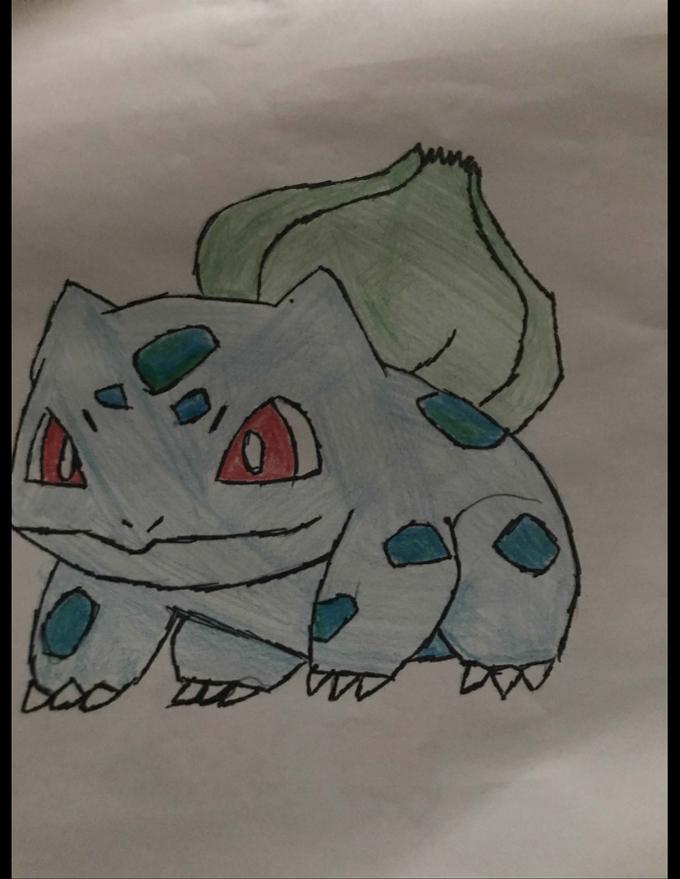


Pikachu

The reason why I drew these two characters is because they were my favorite Pokemon growing up.

Bulbasaur

Gabriel C.
Team Nia



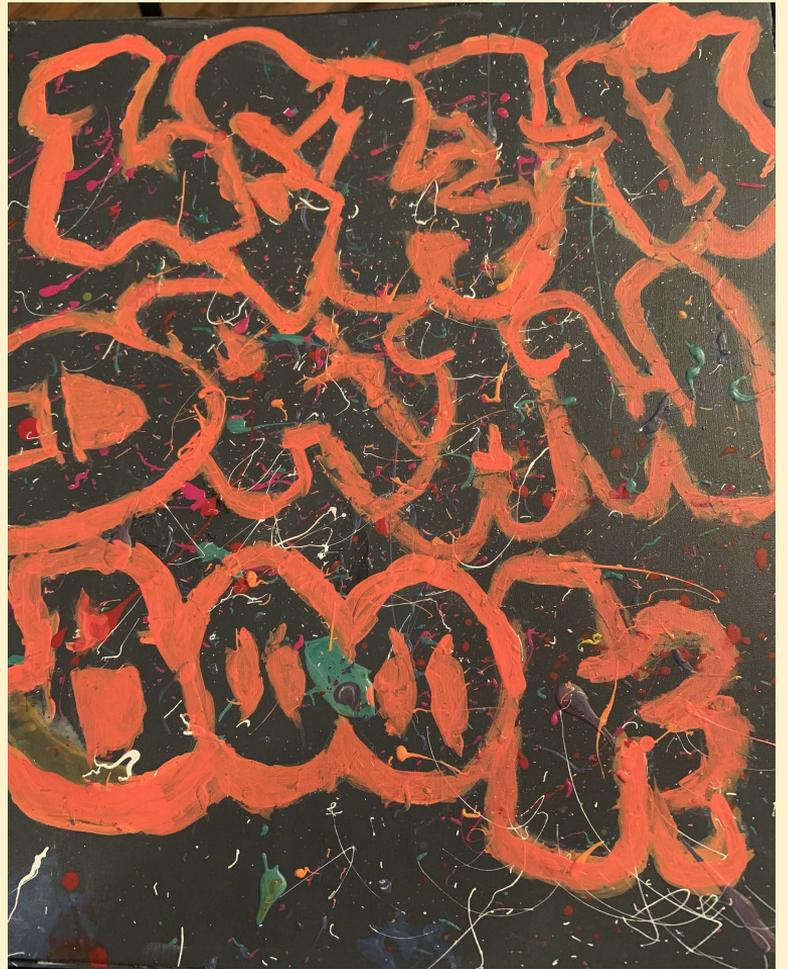


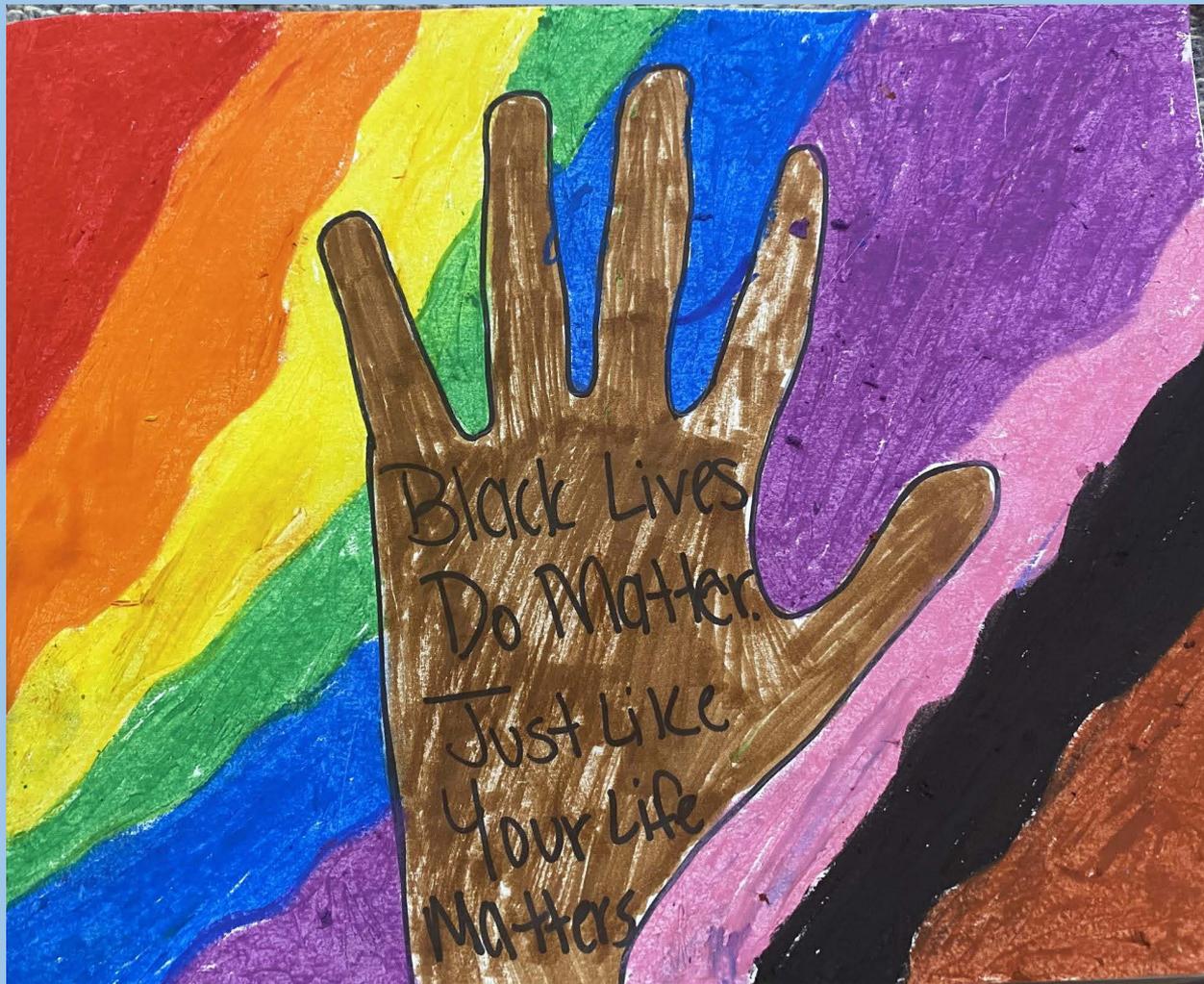
Drawing Binder

I used a pencil, paint and two paint brushes. I was bored and decided to draw this. Getting the perfect letter and overcame it by trying harder. Nothing is as easy as it seems. I put my blood sweat and tears into this.

Lekhi B.

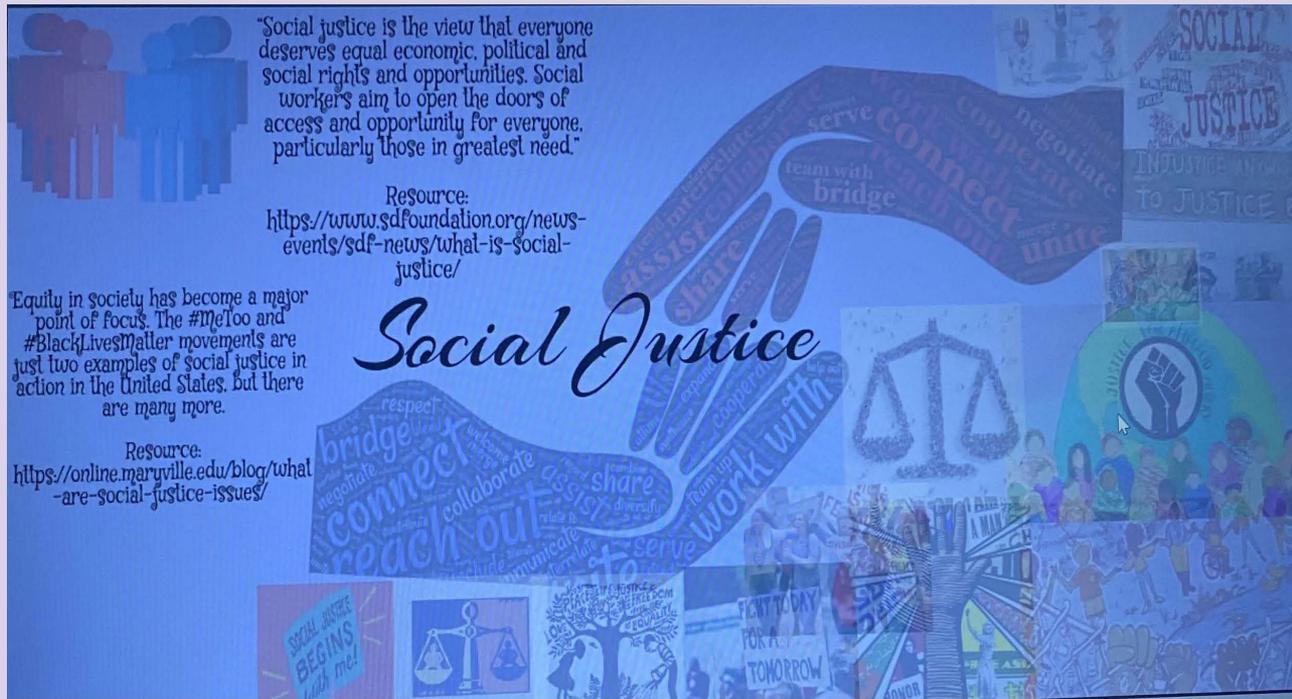
Team Nia





I used markers, and pencils. The thing that inspired me was what has been going on recently in the world, A challenge that I overcame was creating the hand and tracing over it. I want people to learn that truly black lives do matter.

Alanna R.
Team Nia



Fighting For Change

The only materials that I used are sketch.io and google images. Something that inspired this artwork are the many things going such as BLM etc. A challenge was trying my best to fill up the entire canvas, I overcame it by adding words on one side. I learned more about Social Justice. I would like people to know that they should really look into social justice and ways they can contribute into the betterment of the world.

Zariah C. Team Nia

Her

I used pencil to create this artwork. I didn't want to color it in because I think it looks good as is. My challenge while making this was making everything symmetrical. I made light lines so if I messed up I could erase it and redo the line. I have seen things like this on tiktok, and I wanted to make an attempt to do it on my own.

Naomi C.
Team Nia





The materials I used was paint orange black and pencil. What inspired me was I guess I was thinking about halloween and I learned to blend other colors to make cool effects. I want people to see the color blending. I also want people to see what dedication looks like.

Frederic K.
Team Nia

I used acrylic silver, white, red, purple, and gold paint, a black fabric marker. An anime called my hero academia inspired me to make this. When I was drawing on the canvas I messed up on the eye and the mouth pretty bad but i just kept on trying to fix it and it turned out good. I learned nothing special from creating this artwork. I did it all by myself without help.

Omar W.
Team Nia

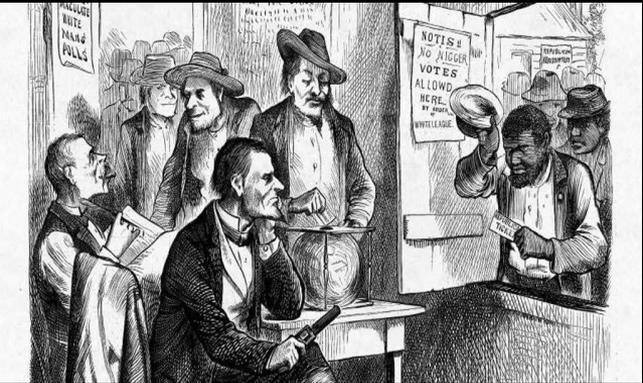




I used for this project were paint , a paintbook, and a brush, I like sunsets a lot so I was inspired to paint one. This wasn't a challenge because it was really easy and simple to do . I want people to know I really like watching the sunsets.

Saffie B.

Team Nia



I decided to create a collage of digital media. I was inspired by how there were so many people that didn't have rights to vote or have a say in what happens in their country. My biggest challenge was narrowing down my subject and photos because there were so many to choose from. I learned that we are still fighting for rights. I want people to understand how some people were not able to vote and now that we can please do so.

Alanna H.
Team Nia



Robot

Something that inspired me to create the was just the thought of building something. The materials that I used were Legos. I want people to so see that it is the little detail that count.

Uthman A.
Team Nia



Zen Forest

I used red, white, blue, and yellow acrylic paints. And to get certain colors I mixed them together. A challenge I had was trying to fix the painting after messing up. I overcame this by painting over certain layers. From this artwork I learned that there's always a way to fix your mistakes.

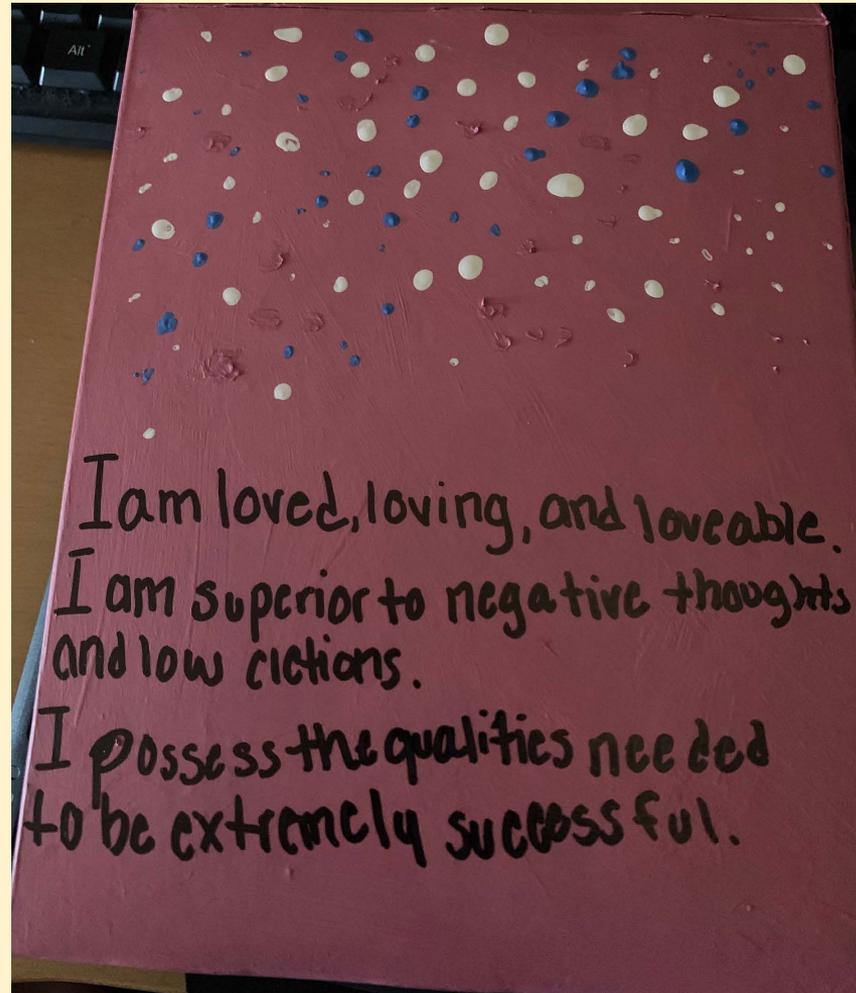
Chyna I.
Team Nia

Positivity Only

I used a box, black marker, and paint. I was just inspired by like vision boards and positive affirmations. I had a challenge trying to mix the same paints when I ran out. I didn't learn anything new. I want people to know about the power of changing your mentality to get what you want out of this world.

Isabelle M.

Team Nia





Little Hat

I made this hat using paper rolls and string. I wanted to create something for my cat. The challenge was making it small enough for my cat. I want people to know how creative I am.

Samina D.
Team Nia

Some materials that I used were a pencil and some colored pencils. I was inspired to make this because I had just finished rewatching the anime so I decided to draw it. A challenge I had was trying to make the head. I got over this by rewatching the scenes that each character was in. I learned that it takes a lot of time to draw head shapes..

Jasim C.
Team Nia

