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Additional Art Submissions





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Below you will see a variety of additional art pieces showcasing how they relate to the love and equality art initiative. Artists could select from ten chosen words including Change, Empathy, Heal, Hope, Humanity, Kind, Love, One, Peace, & Unity as they are daily reminders of what's important.





MADELYN ALLEN

Crayons, Markers, Colored Pencil

I drew Earth with everone on it holding hands because I believe that everyone should love each other and when I wrote "love" I made the "o" a heart because love and hearts kind of go hand in hand.





SHELBY AUSTIN

Acrylic on canvas

There are so many differences between individuals. However, we also have so many similiarities! These similarities are what unite us in tough times.





GREGORY DORN

Marker, Pencil

There is a lot of conflict in the world today and we need peace among everyone.





DEASHA JOHNSON

Acrylic Paint, Latex paint, Floetrol, Silicone

This piece of art reflects the many different colors that make up the human race and is a reflection of our humanity. It is also the colors of the rainbow, a sign of a new beginning of humanity.





KYLEE KELLETT

Acrylic Paint

We all live on one planet together as an intelligent surrounded by the impossibility of our existence. Event when we face unprecendented hardships we come together and show each other deep compassion.





KIMBRIA LANCE

Water Based Pigment, Ink Brush Pen, and Metallic Paint Marker

When writing humanity I chose a cursive lettering with different size letters and thicknesses. This represents the difference between all humans but together we work very nicely and compliment each other's strengths and weaknesses. The silver outlining the border around the world shows the importance that as humans we are the same and should be treated with equality and respect. The stick people holding hands brings the entire concept of the word humanity together in terms of humans being able to collaborate with respect and unity.





AZALEA MILLER

Digital

Healing is so crucial at a time like now since the isolation of quarantine made us so aware of taking care and being aware of our mental health. I chose each letter to depict healing activities that can resonate with different kinds of people and feeling of doing those activities shown in the design of each letter. Without these activities we typically reflect how bad we need to heal through our thoughts and actions. Meditating can give feelings of refreshed, re-growth, or revival. Reading increases brain ability and function. Art inspires creativity expression, and ideas. Running can emphasize a light, refreshing mental re-start.

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AUDREY MITTEN

Digital

Empathy blooms from the heart. It is a flowering of compassion and understanding for another It is a selfless act of understanding and sympathizing with the pain or suffering of another when they need support. With the illustrated hug paired with the hearts and flowers growing out of this simple act, I am showing the feeling of empathy and the beauty that can arise from this generous act.





MATCHA MUNRO

Procreate

We don't cry enough. Crying shows other people that we need something, it gives them the opportunity to come to our aid, to be there for us and connect with us. It takes bravery to cry, and to show the world that we are hurting. It provides emotional release that is essential for healing. My art helps show that crying is beautiful, that showing vulnerability brings us together and when we heal it benefits everyone. The plants growing out of the tears, they represent growth. We cry, we bond, we heal, we grow. It's all connected.





KYLE RIPLEY

Alcohol Ink on Canvas

My work is titled 'Heaven in Michigan". This was painted on canvas using alcohol ink and inspired by a photo I took while at the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Park. The waters of the Great Lakes always bring a sense of peace to me. I often visit Lake Michigan any time of year when I need to have the turmoil in my soul brought to a peaceful place.





PAIGE SHELLITO

Color Pencil

I did a peace picture. I have a peace sign with birds in it then I put words saying PEACE looking like it is going inside of it. This resembles peace because birds fly over graves on the day people get buried.





LEVI REEVES

Acrylic Paint, Pendulum Art

To bring peace and harmony of oneness and togetherness in spite of the presence of diverse.





ASHLEY SWEENEY

Pastel, Pencil, Pen, Stippling

My art piece is two hand reaching out towards each other. different skin tones representing different races extremely divided trying to be unified.





JOHN WALLACE

Acrylic Paint

I chose LOVE because it is a meaningful word that can be expressed and felt by all. I chose the rainbow color to represent equality.





CHRIS WOOD Pencil, Textured Gel Pens

I chose humanity because that word encompasses us all. My letters are not the same height or thickness because all humans are shaped differently. Each hand represents a different race or ethnicity because it takes all of us, as humans, to represent our world.