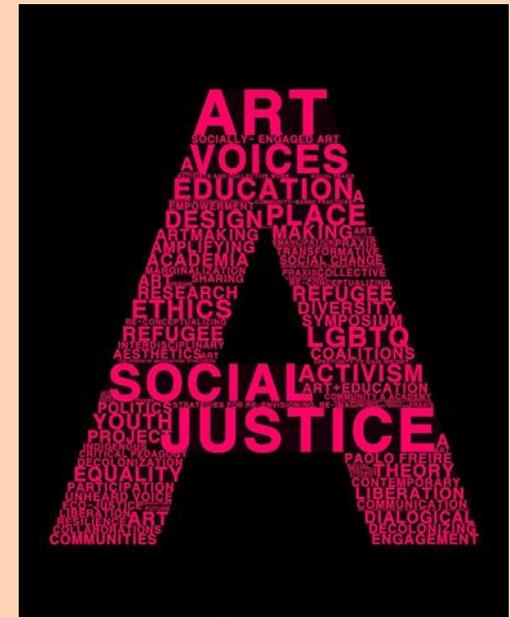
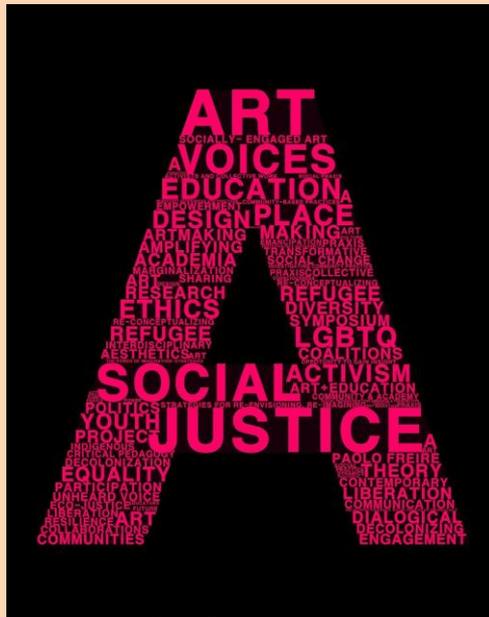


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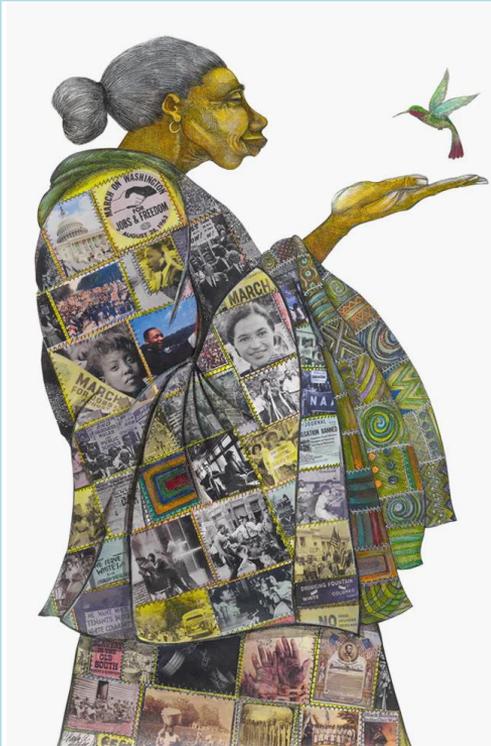


- In this independent project, you will **research**, **analyse** and **respond** to artwork.
- You will have a couple of weeks to complete the project.
- You need to complete **all** the tasks.
- There will be **achievement points** awarded for excellent effort and outstanding work!
- There will be multiple achievement points for the students who try the challenge tasks (look at the challenge task slide before you start!)
- The **due date** for your class will be on **Show My Homework**.

Enjoy your research and good luck!

Task 1:

- Chose one of the artwork pictured below)
- Create a copy** of your chosen artwork



Title: **“Legacy of Hope”**.
Artist: **Charles Bibbs**.
Date: 2013



Title: **“Black Children Keep Your Spirits Free”**.
Artist: **Carolyn Mims Lawrence**.
Date: 1972.



Title: **“We the People”**
Artist: **Shepard Fairey**.
Date: 2017

Task 2:

Write an analysis of your chosen artwork.
Use the Describe, Analyse, Interpret and Judge framework.



You will have done something like this in class

Describe

When you describe an artwork, identify things in the work that you can see, name, and describe. Think of it as if you were trying to describe the work to a blind person

Analyse

When you analyze an artwork you will tell how the subject matter and elements of the work have been organized. To do this, think of the elements of art — line, shape, form, and colour.

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Interpret

Use the information from your description and analysis (and secondary sources like the internet) to help identify the meaning of the artwork

Judge

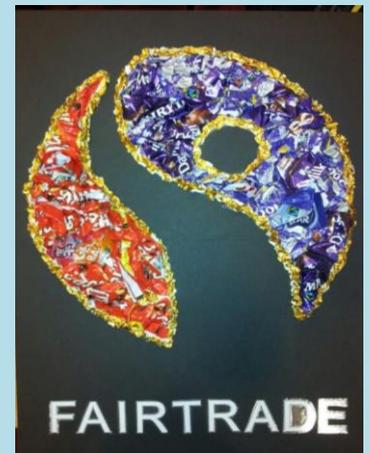
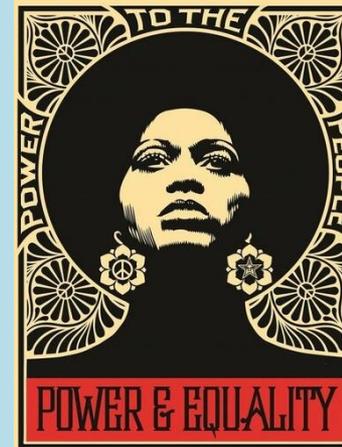
What is your conclusion? How well does it 'work'? How does the work awaken your imagination or help you feel a part of the work?

Task 3:

Create your own art poster for one of the following Social themes.



- You are to create an art poster for one of the following world social issues:
 - World Homelessness/ refugees.
 - World Equality.
 - World Poverty.
 - Fair Trade.
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- Think about how you can use words and a visual image to present a message!
 - Think about how you combine or mix together your use of images/ text and possibly logo!



Task 4:

Experimentation: Create a piece of **social art** inspired by one of the artists below.



Title: "Legacy of Hope".
Artist: Charles Bibbs.
Date: 2013



Title: "Black Children Keep Your Spirits Free".
Artist: Carolyn Mims Lawrence.
Date: 1972.



Title: "We the People"
Artist: Shepard Fairey.
Date: 2017

Inspired by the artwork (left) you are to create a drawing/painting about the theme of **Social Justice**, in the style of one of these artists.

Think carefully about the following:

- The use of **line**.
- The use of **proportion**.
- The use of **composition** (i.e. the layout – the **foreground** (front) and the **background**)
- The use of **colour**.

Complete your METS

Medium - ?

Element - ?

Technique – ?

Summary – ?

Challenge tasks – independent research skills:



- You could choose two artworks to compare and contrast.
- You could do additional research about the artist and find some more examples of their work.
- Could you find an article and youtube video about the artist? How could this help your analysis of the artwork?
- Could you experiment with the same materials that the artist uses? How could be inspired by their techniques?
- You could find an **additional** artwork that **you** would like to study. You could use the following websites to find artists/artwork:

<https://artuk.org/>

<https://www.saatchiart.com>

<https://www.tate.org.uk/>