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Museum of the City of New York

Through my class field trip, I thought it was very insightful because this was a museum that I never been before. The museum was small but it had a lot of information regarding New York City and some of the monuments. Being pretty much a native of New York you think that there's not much that you don't already know. I found a new appreciation for the state I call my home. It looks no matter how much you think you know there always hidden secrets and places in the city you haven't discovered yet. After my experience at New York museum. The exhibit in the museum that I found the most visually pleasing to me was the Women suffrage exhibits. When I first arrived at the museum The first thing that caught my eyes was the use of color throughout the exhibit. One of the artworks that were on displayed that I liked was Mabel Lee poster regarding women's right to vote. In the poster, it states "Women power! She's beautiful! She's smart! She's register to vote! She'll vote! How about you?



What I found so powerful about that poster is that's it's something that people can still relate today. As a female, it's so important to vote because people like Mabel fought for us to have the right to vote. The typography of this poster was powerful as well as the message became clearer certain words stood out the most like "She'll vote! How about you? Signifying how important voting is and having a say in your future. Another Section in the exhibit found powerful as well was curve wall in that section it had a banner that was used in the Women right March 2017.



The banner displayed strong individual who went and decided to use their art to speak for them and what they felt about the world they live in. Majority of the artwork that was demonstrated on the banner was issue women were facing the society we live in. The illustration all had females raising there first symbolizing strength and power as well as unity within their sisterhood.



The curved space also had a blown up black and white photo of females before this generation. One of the women that were in the post named Shirley Chisholm was such an eye open I never really heard about her which I kind of honestly felt a little down about since she was a big role model especially knowing that she did so much here in New York. Shirley was the first black who ran for president even though she didn't win I feel like just her presentation is what truly matter letting women like myself. Know there's nothing you can't do in this world. In conclusion, my whole experience at the museum was inspiring to me not only through the artwork but the amazing work the people who actually put in together went through every little detail has a purpose and speaks to the audience.