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Multimodal Project Statement

Has Gun violence affected you, your family, or your friends? What is Gun violence? Gun Violence is violence committed with the use of firearms, for example, pistols, shotguns, assault rifles, or machine guns. Might be regarded as criminal or not. Homicide, assault with a lethal weapon, and suicide, or attempted suicide, depending on the jurisdiction, are all examples of criminal violence. I've picked this topic because it's well known by everyone and needs to be stopped or reduced. it's a terrible feeling having to send your kids outside and worrying if they will get home safely.

In middle school, I had a close friend, we used to play basketball together all the time. We even planned our goals together to make it to the NBA. But sadly, one day as he was walking home from practice he got shot. A car drove by and shot fired multiple people were hurt but he had the worst of it and died. Ever since I can't stop thinking, about what would have happened if I was with him that day. It's the worst feeling ever, this need to be stopped.

In 2017, 57,462 people died because of gun violence. With around 11,000 persons killed in firearm attacks in the United States each year, gun violence is more frequent than several other main causes of death combined. More than 500 people die every day from gun violence and an

estimated 2,000 people are injured by gunshots every single day. How can you expect things to improve when so many people die because of something so stupid?" Every day, we lose eight children and teens to gun violence," says Elizabeth Warren. It is said that our future generation kept getting killed day by day due to gun violence, she said that so people can keep their firearms under control and prevent another person from dying. More than 5 percent of America's children have witnessed a shooting from school, which is a major problem because not only multiple kids dying but the ones that witness it will not be the same.

Gun violence causes a range of health issues throughout affected communities. According to" A majority of U.S. teens fear a shooting could happen at their school, and most parents share their concern" by Nikki Graf, Even the prospect of gun violence has an impact on our well-being. Pew Research Center research from 2018, most U.S. students are concerned about a school shooting, and most parents are concerned as well. White students are more concerned than students of color.

Gun violence among teenagers in schools may be traced back to a variety of events, including the terrorist attacks on the United States. Weapons are being introduced to younger generations, as well as information about how to use guns in schools and at home. Children engage in harmful behaviors such as joining gang violent organizations while in school. Parents and classmates who do not participate in such activities see the situation as a mistake or a hardship. I believe it is a mistake for anyone to have access to a Gun, one or two have access more people will try to copy.

To prevent gun violence, they must reduce easy access to dangerous weapons. For example, requiring age restrict and background checks, might even include an evaluation to see if the person would be a good owner or not. Then engage responsible gun dealers and owners in

solutions. Also, every owners would require safe and secure gun storage, so children underage won't have access. Lastly, make it mandatory for the gun to be registered by a licensing owner and class training. With everyone following these demands fewer weapons would be out and less damage would be made. I would like everyone to come together and get along so that less action will be made so we can get rid of gun violence.