

Hello my name is Dyrisha John and my piece is on social injustice. So i put that word in the middle of my piece and social injustice and the black lives matter movement is something i've been interested in for a long time i didn't just wake up one day and start chanting black lives matter because my brothers and sisters have been going through social injustice both on and off of social media. And I've seen it up close. When fathers and mothers have to tell their only child to put their hands on the dashboard if you ever get pulled over. Or to not ask why your being pulled over and dont ask stupid questions yes that is a fear that alot of black parents go through with their children. Or when you are wrongfully convicted because you fit the discription of a suspect in a murder. In my piece of visual art i wrote words surrounding social injustice and then with those words i then colored them in with colors that fit those words for example a good word would be green and a bad word or a word that makes you angry is red because usually in everyday life green is go and red is stop. Now the ok words are orange i only choose orange because it's not closely related to red or green. Now my overall vision of this piece is to bring some sense to social injustices and for people to relate the words with colors just like kids do when they're learning their colors. So that's my overall vision but some may not get it because some of these words they might see in different colors based on how they think and how they feel. Some may feel as if some of my words are colors of green and vice versa. There is nothing wrong with that because it's their opinion but this is just how I see these words based on the overall text. What I expect from my audience is to see the words in a different light from a different point of view. Some people may not see the words or see these colors from our perspective but as long as you're seeing it and feeling for different people and have some sense of feeling I feel like you've achieved and I have achieved my goal. So my audience may be people of All shade colors. Just people in general and people of high social status and those of low social status. Because I feel as if social injustice will affect us all as a whole because sometimes you won't even know that you're in a problem that has social injustice included because you feel as if you're higher than somebody else. But as long as there is still racism there will forever be social injustice. Now how I feel that people will take my work some may not like it some. I don't want my work to please everyone because there's always a bunch of people that won't like your work and that's fine but to an extent I feel like you shouldn't disrespect somebody else's work. Because what I'm interested in doesn't mean you have to be interested in the same thing because we're not the same and if everyone was the same then there wouldn't be art where they wouldn't be different cultures there wouldn't be nobodies different identities we will all be the same and boring. So that's how I feel I will take my work. I wouldn't take it badly if you didn't agree but don't be disrespectful. My source of interest is a child because children see colors and relate that to different words such as red they associate that color with like an Apple or a fire truck. Or green they associate green with a Go button,leaves or grass. Or yellow which will be associated with the sun,flowers or a banana but you understand where I'm going. Why they inspire me is because I was watching the show I think it was criminal minds and I seen there was an episode going on where the man sees different colors as people talking and the different colors are represented by those words that are coming out of the person's mouth and I find that so interesting because kids do the same thing they associate words with colors with at least that's how we teach them. So to re-incorporate I honestly chose social injustice because this is something I strongly believe in because as a woman of color you have to try to understand both perspective and both point of use from both sides your side in

everybody else's side and you need to educate yourself on social injustice I feel like for everybody live in especially in the year 2020 because oh it's all over the news everywhere you go every state you will see a different highlight of social injustice that's just the world we live in and if you don't educate yourself you will get left behind.