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PS16 LEONARD DUNKLY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN BROOKLYN

now provides Art is Good workshops every Tuesday & Thursday
to the entire school throughout the 2013-2014 school year.

The **ART is GOOD** Club meets every Thursday after school.

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OUR FIRST PROJECT:

Walentas Family Foundation "Art Gift"

- 1). Students pick someone to give an art gift to.
- 2). We discuss who, why and what we will make.
- 3). Students create an art gift and give it to someone special.
It helps them to learn to be grateful for the people in their lives. It also helps to show them the joy in thanking the people that we are grateful for.

Art is Good Philosophy:

"If you create art and give it to someone as a gift,
it is worth \$1,000,000 and you will make them smile."

This project will also happen prior to the holidays.



Many of PS16's teachers
& staff received an Art Gift
from a student artist...
and they all smiled.



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Shells were chosen as the first substrate to illustrate how
ART CAN BE MADE OUT OF ANYTHING IN LIFE.

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**Our first week of art went beautifully.
This is going to be an artsolutely
amazing school year at PS16!!**

STAY TUNED FOR MORE PS16 ART IS GOOD UPDATES THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR.

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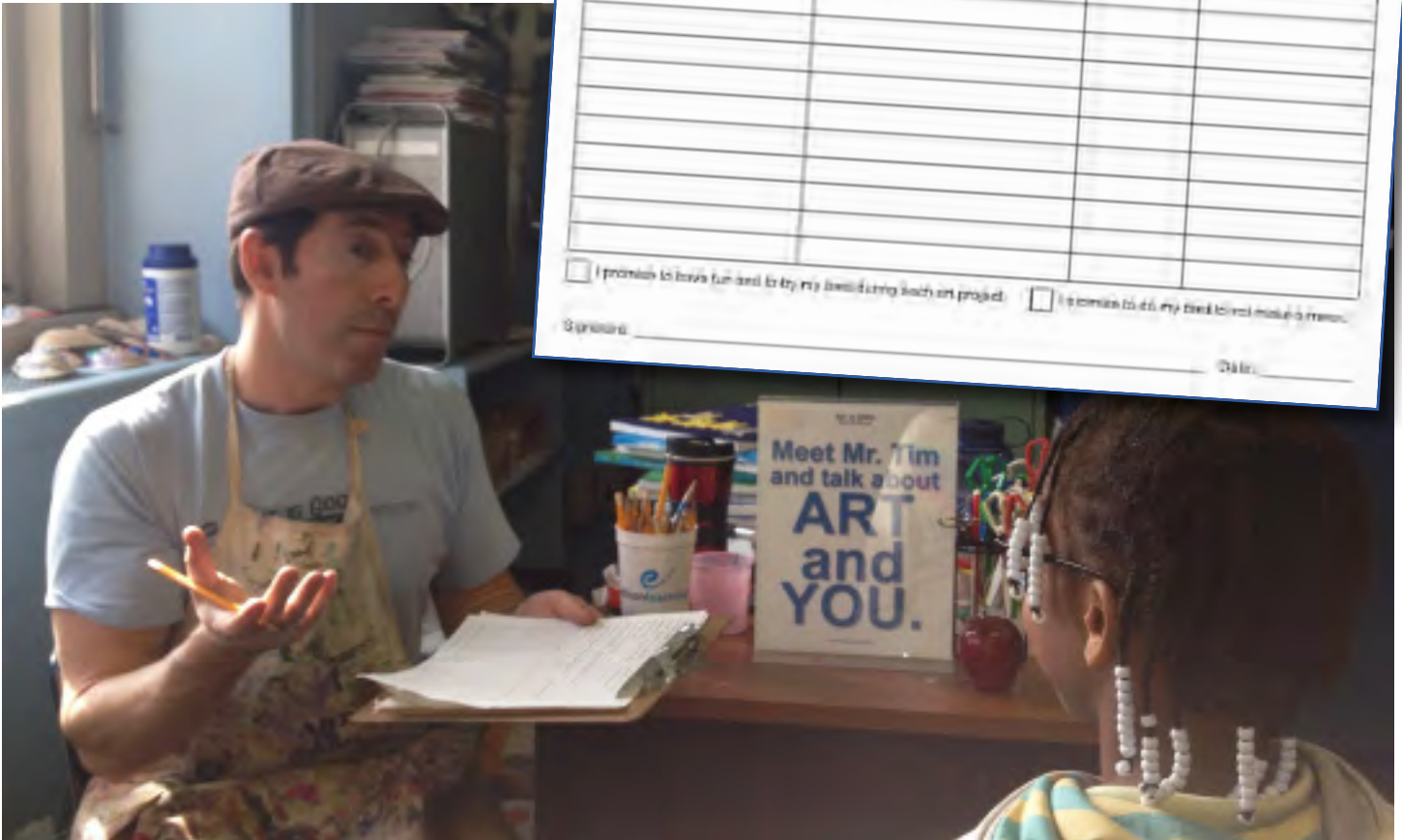
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The ART is GOOD project: Meet Mr. Tim

While students made an “Art Gift,” Mr. Tim held one-on-one’s with each young artist. Students were asked questions about ART & THEM.

The goal was to connect and let each student know that their ideas matter and that art is fun.

They also had to promise not to make a mess and sign their names. I've had to remind more than one artist of their promise (:

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Students started out nervous, but were relieved after the first few questions. In addition to helping us all get to know each other, the one-on-one set a positive tone for the year.

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Project: **What's in YOUR Head?**

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The ART IS GOOD: What's in YOUR Head?

This art project is an exercise that allows you to turn your thoughts & ideas into art. Using an overhead projector we trace the silhouette of each PS16 artist on to paper. Within the center goes his or her thoughts. On the outside, things in their lives.



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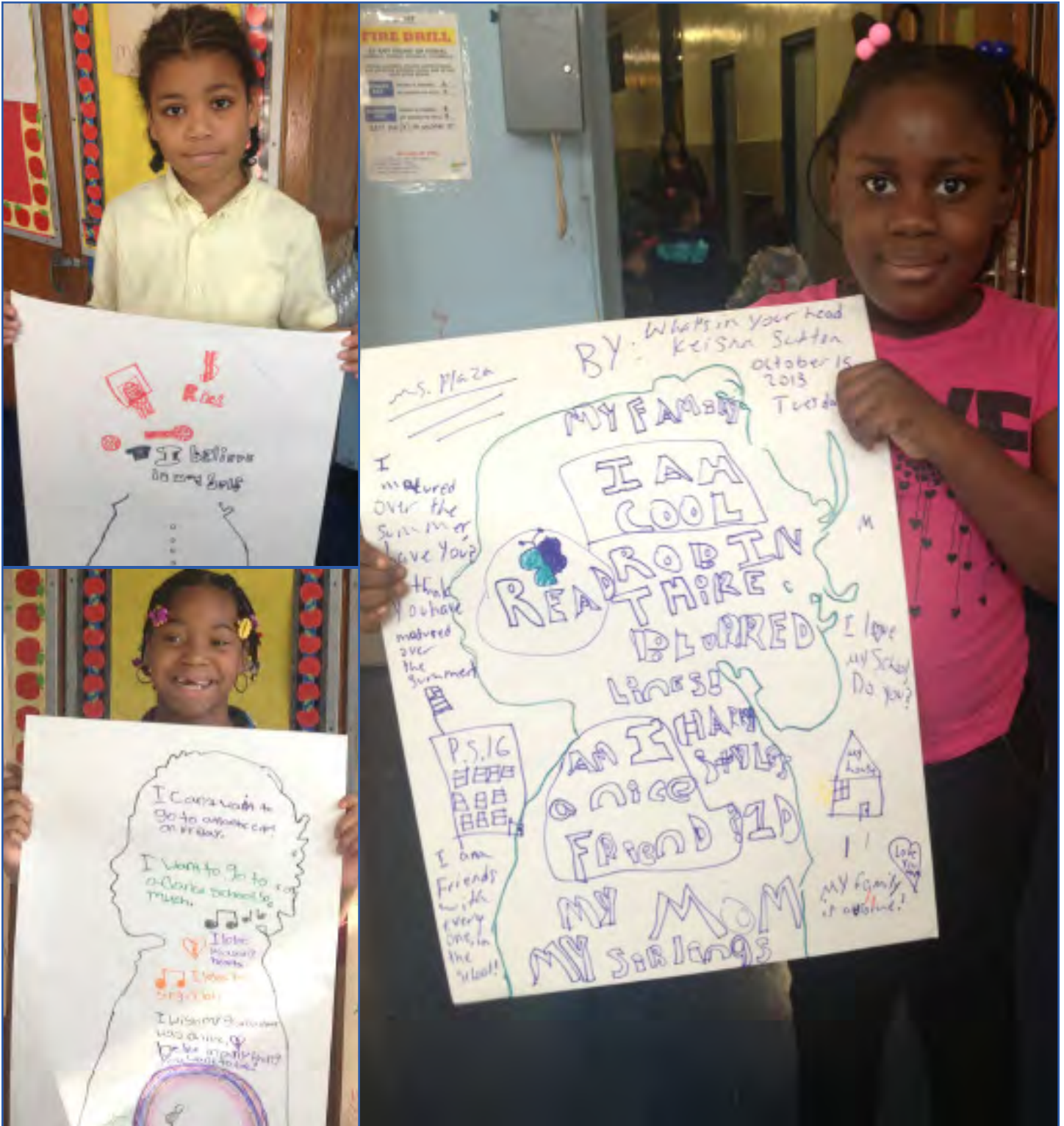
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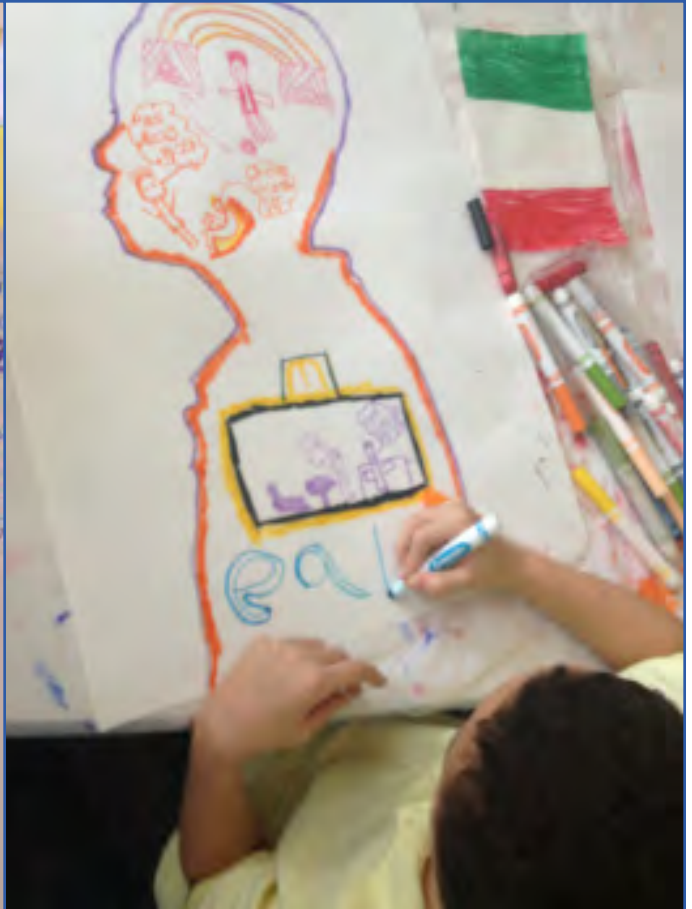


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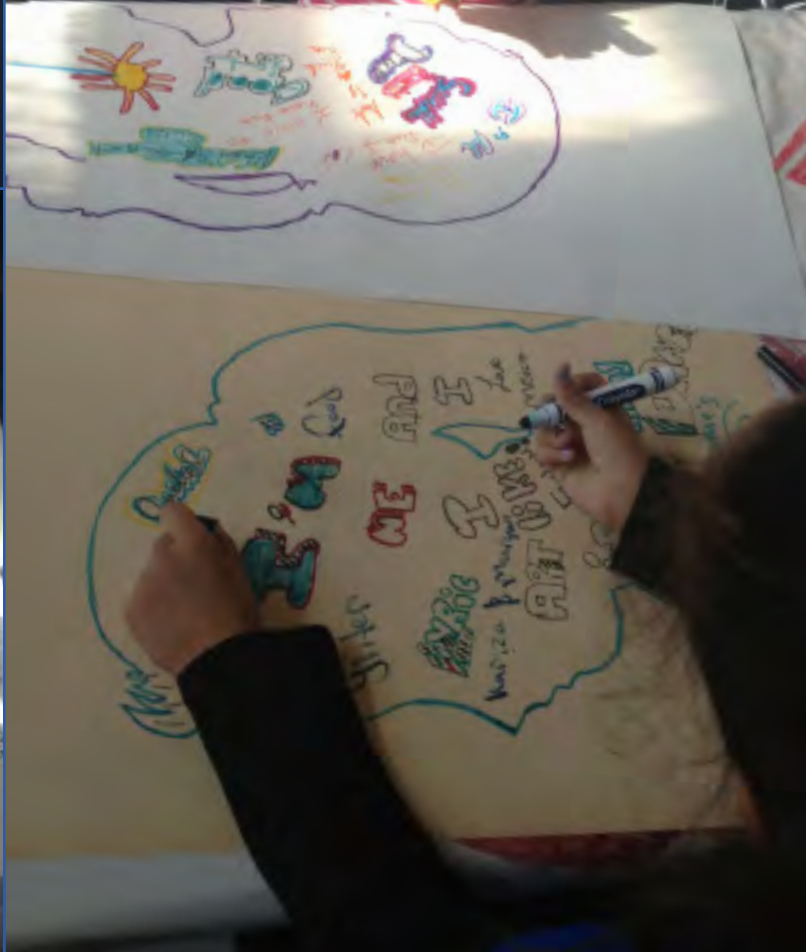
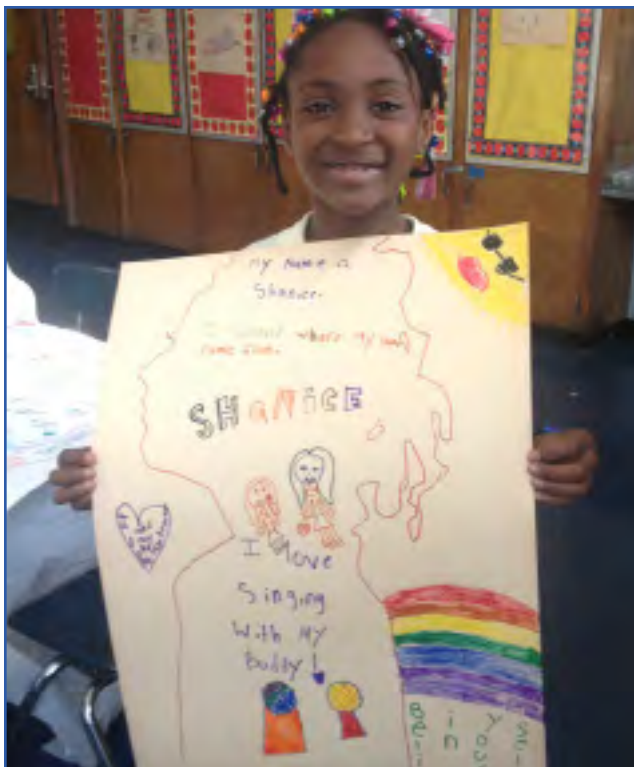
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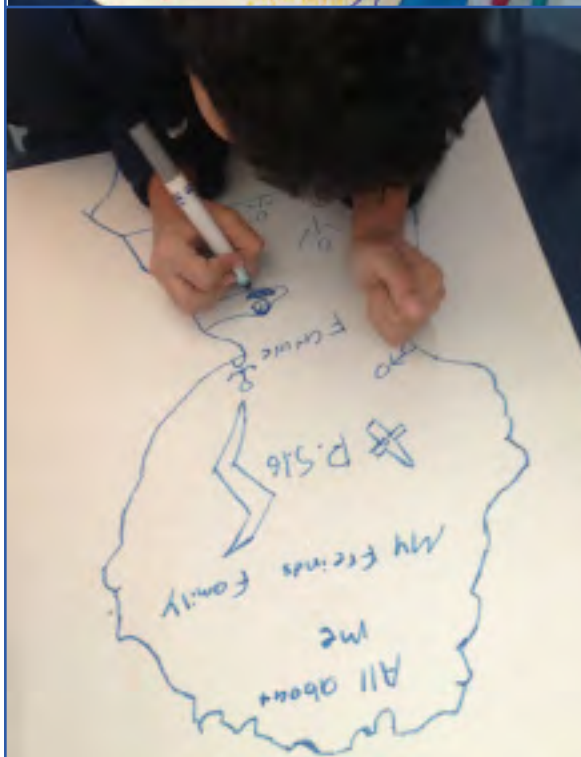
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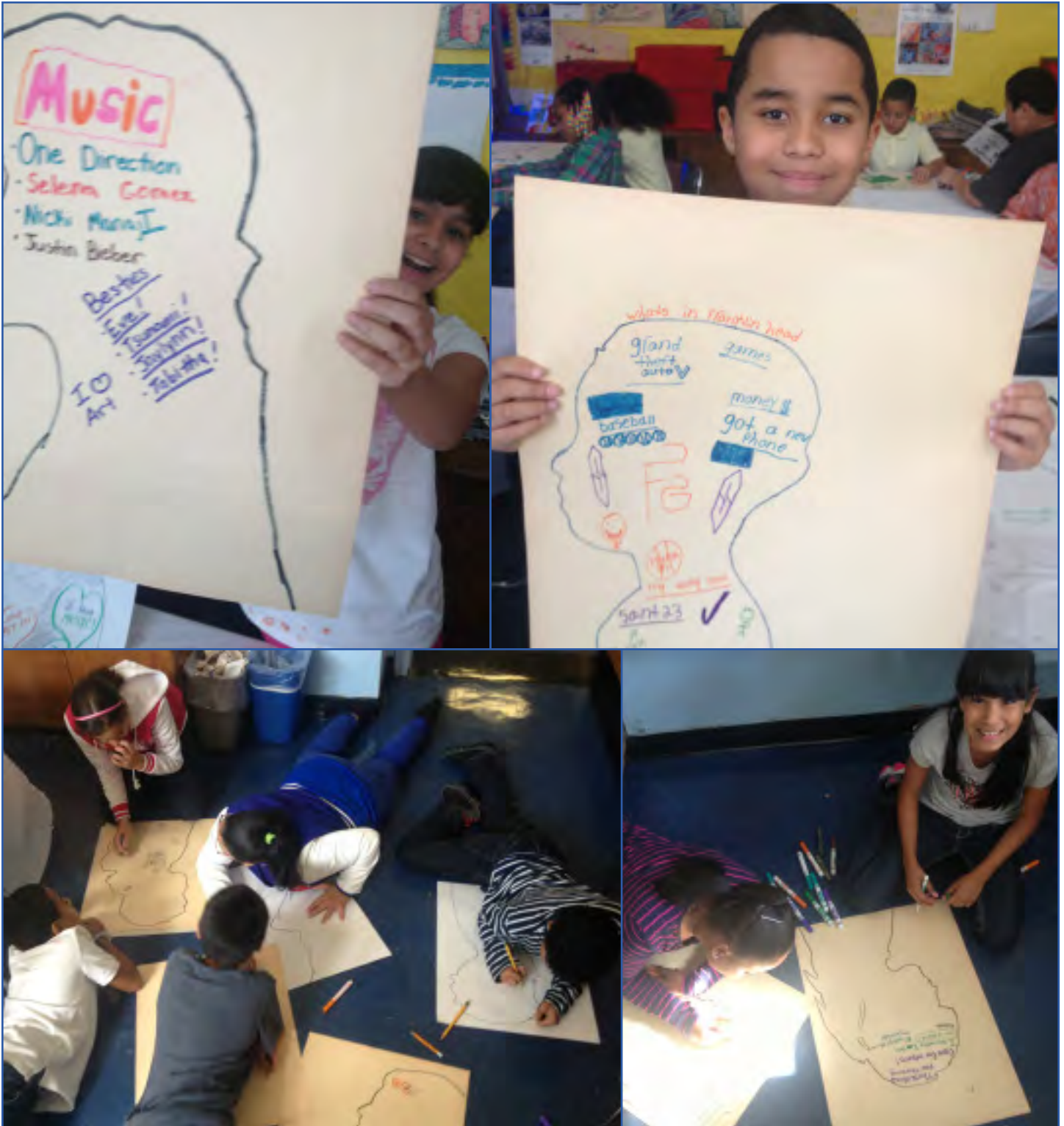
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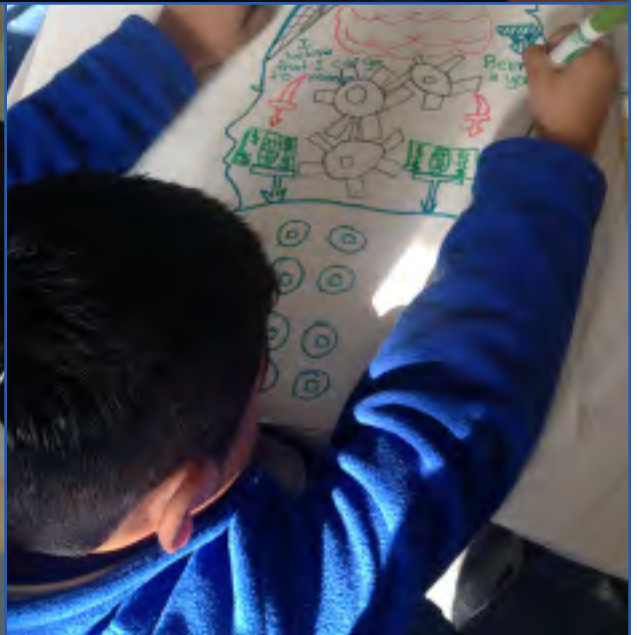
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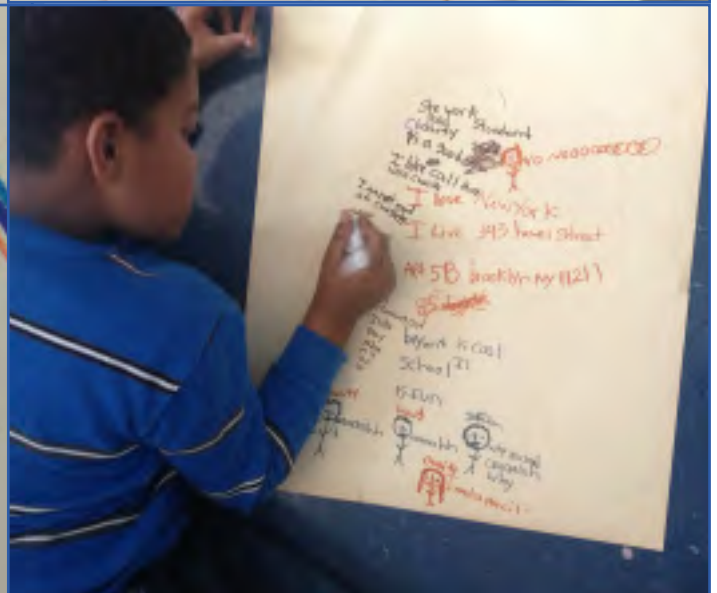
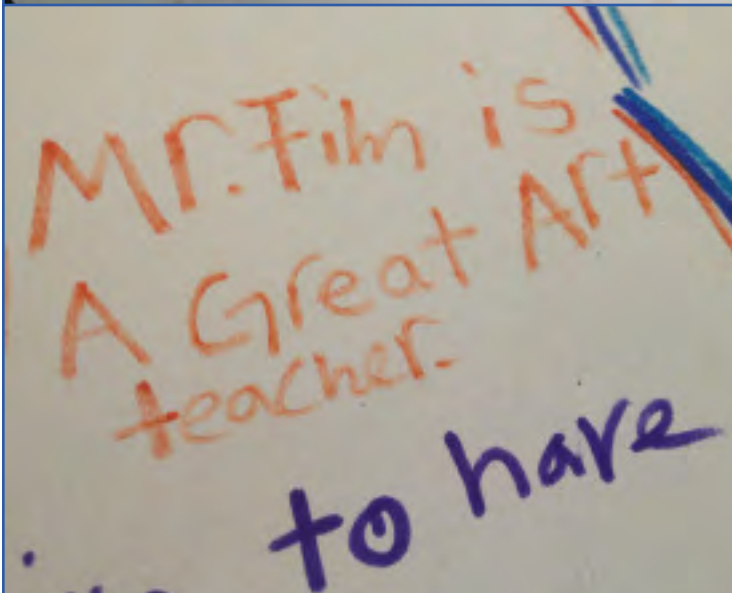
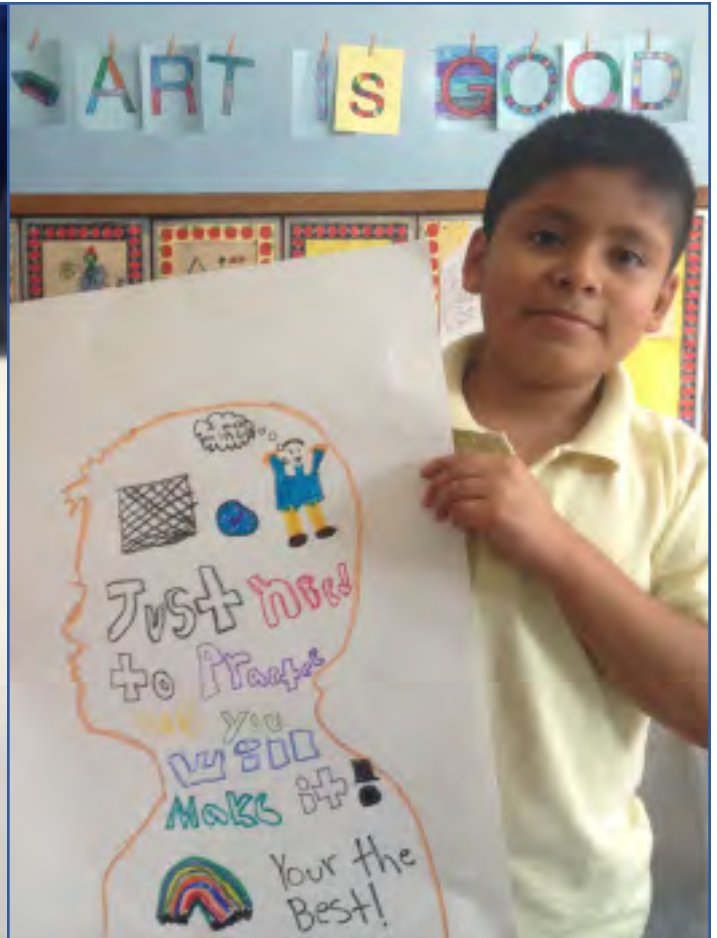
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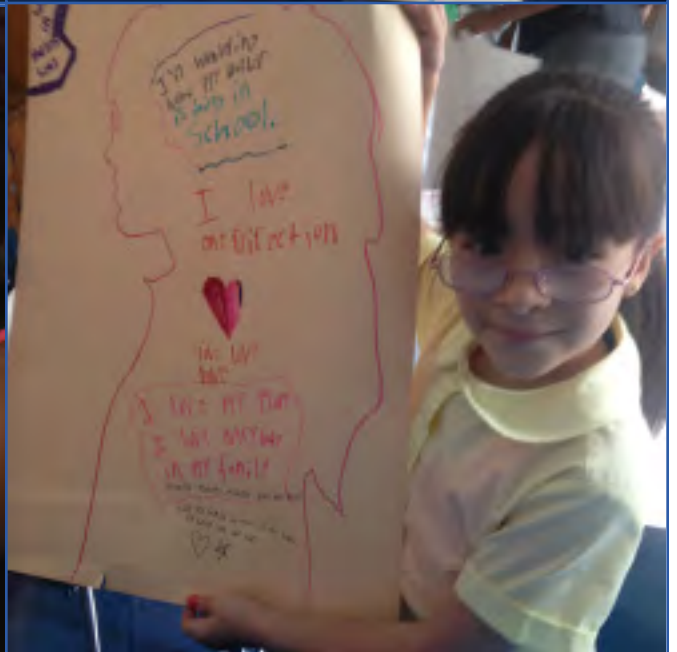
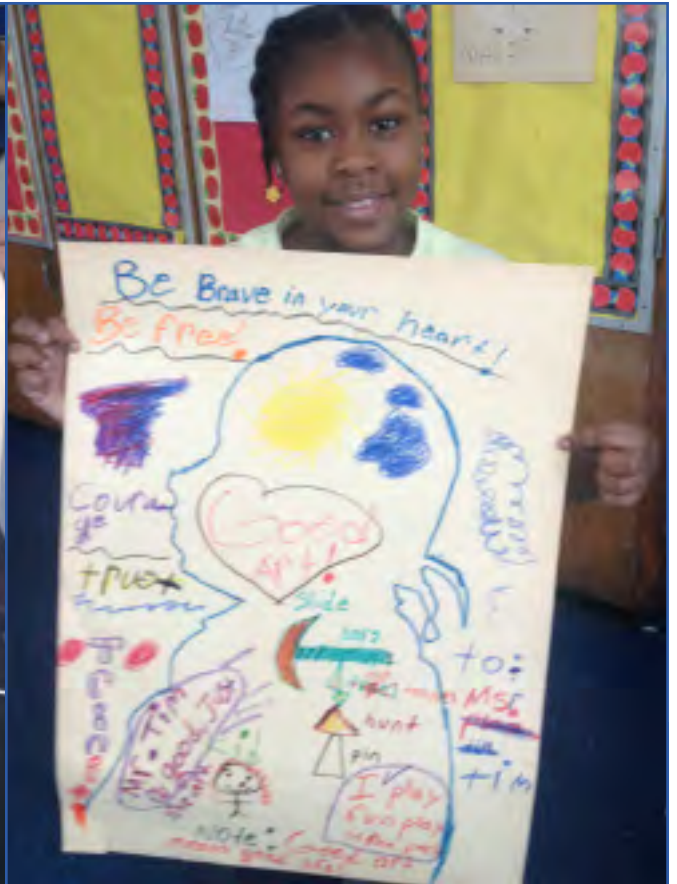
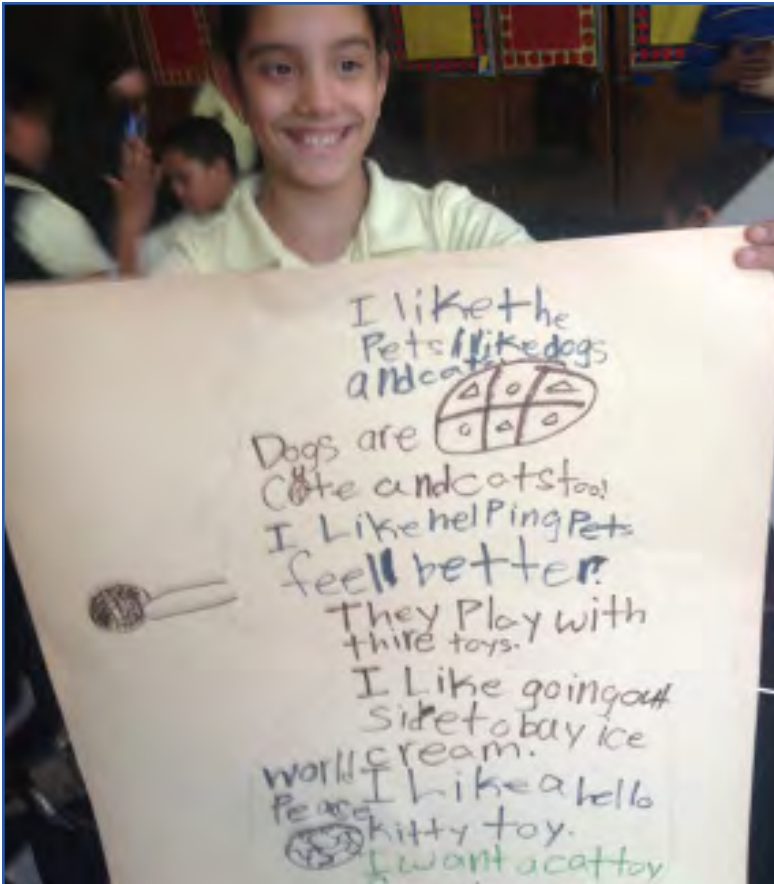
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The ART IS GOOD project:

Super Hero The Art is Good Club made superhero costumes...

just in time for Halloween. This project was hilarious. They were in character.



Fabric courtesy of *Materials for the Arts* in Long Island City.

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The **ART is GOOD** Club began their puzzle art making.

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Some Completed Puzzle Pieces & Artists



← our homage to Malala Yousafzai

- ▲ This PS16 puzzle piece collaboration was created in honor of one of the most courageous people on this planet. We discussed Malala and teamed up on this puzzle piece as an example of meaningful artwork. Malala is a hero. PS16 artists were inspired to create.

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"The Puzzle Art Installation & Collaborative Project"

The entire school, including many staff members, created more than 300 artistic puzzle pieces that have been installed for exhibit at PS16.

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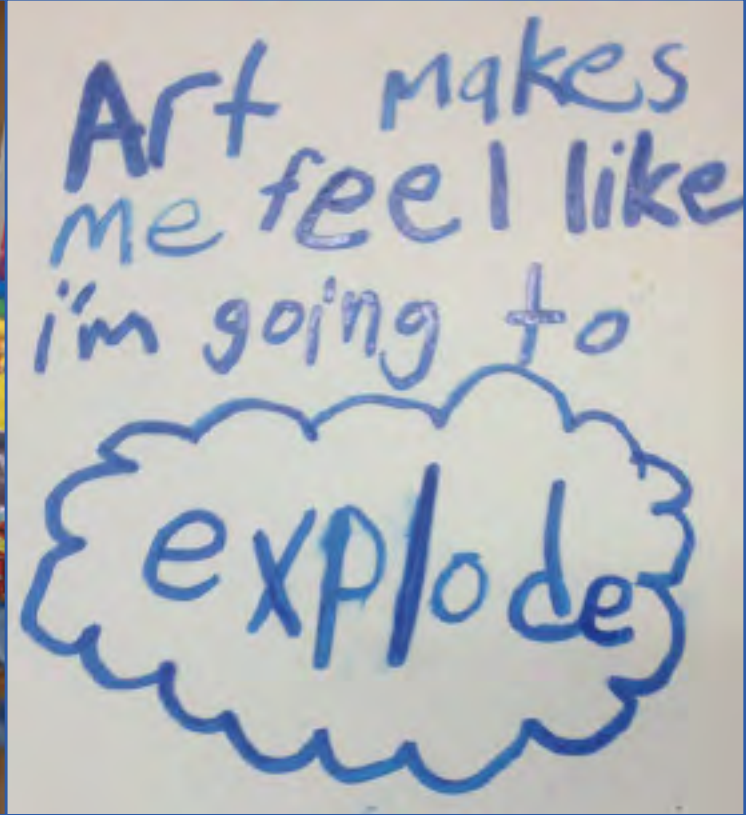
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"Sketchbooks"

This may be our most valuable art supply purchase. Students were given 9x12 sketchbooks for drawing, sketching, planning and scheming all things creative. They have been instructed how to utilize their sketchbook and encouraged to use it in and outside of school.

Hopefully, this will be their first of many sketchbooks.

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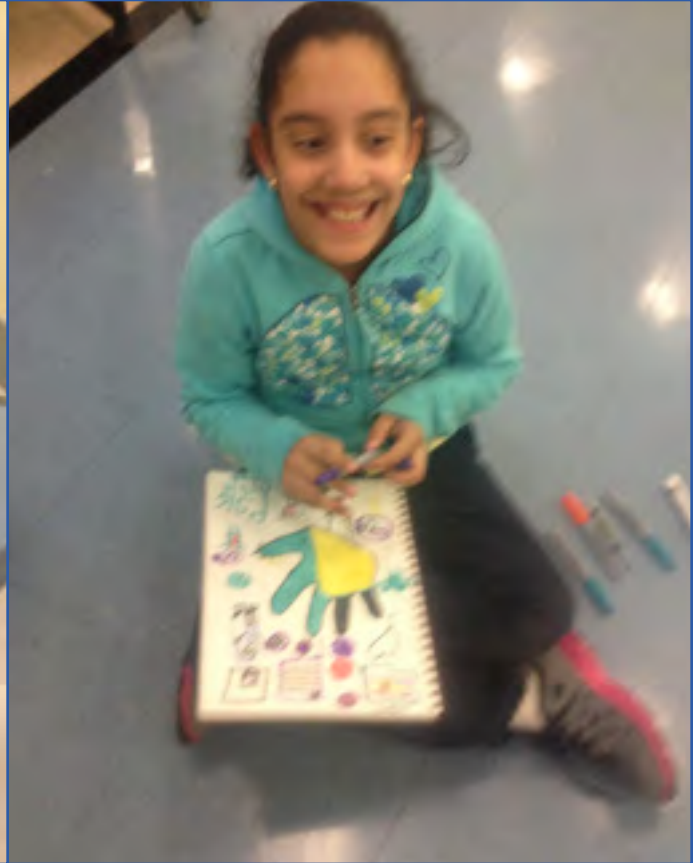
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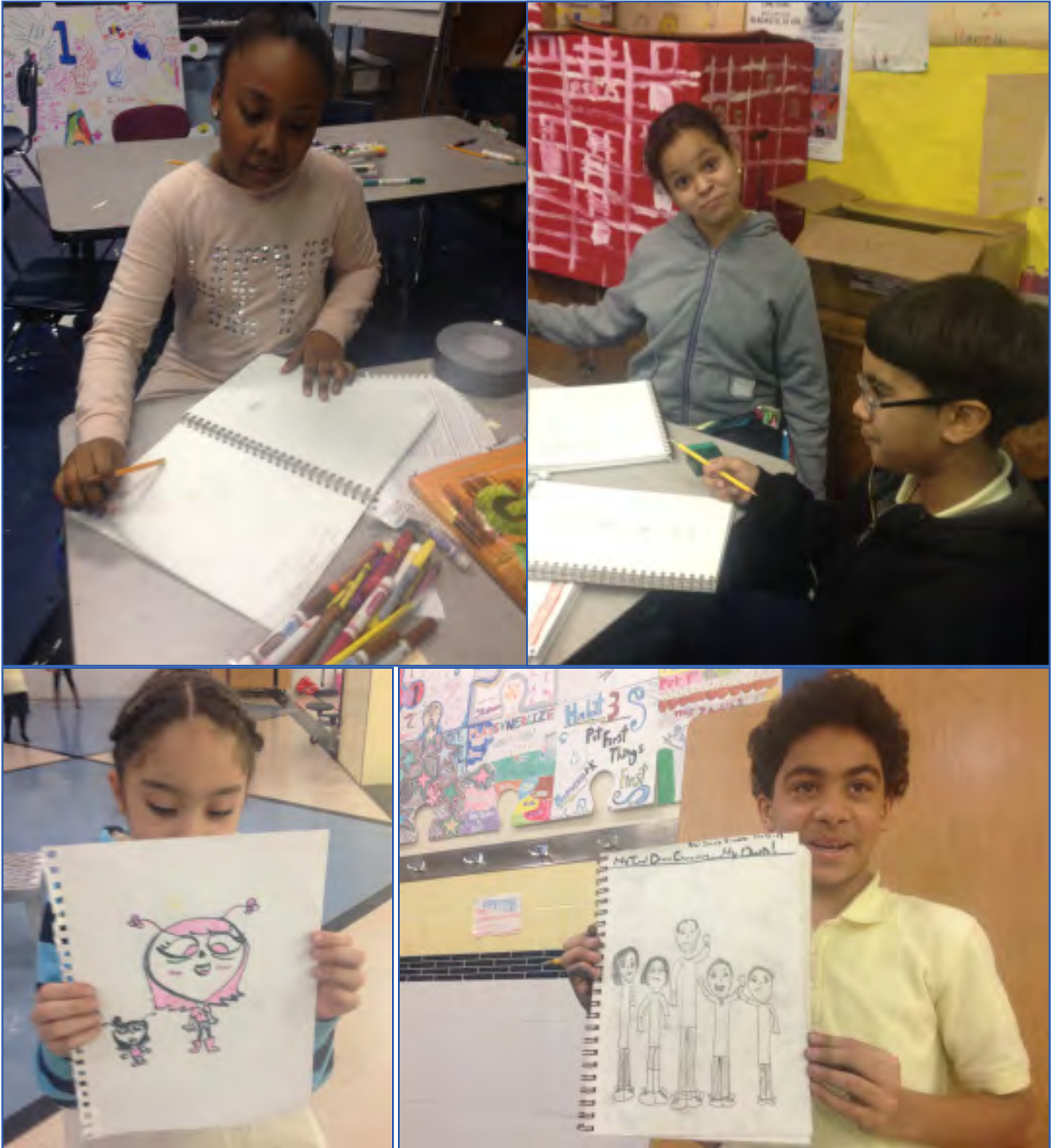
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The ART IS GOOD:

We finished 2013 strong by making holiday gifts and cards for our family & friends. We also made flower-art called, “Viva PS16”.



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2013 was a great year for art at PS16. We have begun 2014 in a positive way.

PS16 Students discussed and created New Year's art about their 2014 Resolutions. We agreed this will be the best year ever.

The **ART is GOOD** Club painted bird houses and made little birds during our first art club workshop of 2014. Birds of a feather, flock and make art together.

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The ART IS GOOD project:

New Year's Resolution Art (As a Leadership School, it was not a surprise that many students chose one of the "7 Habits of a Leader" as their 2014 resolution.

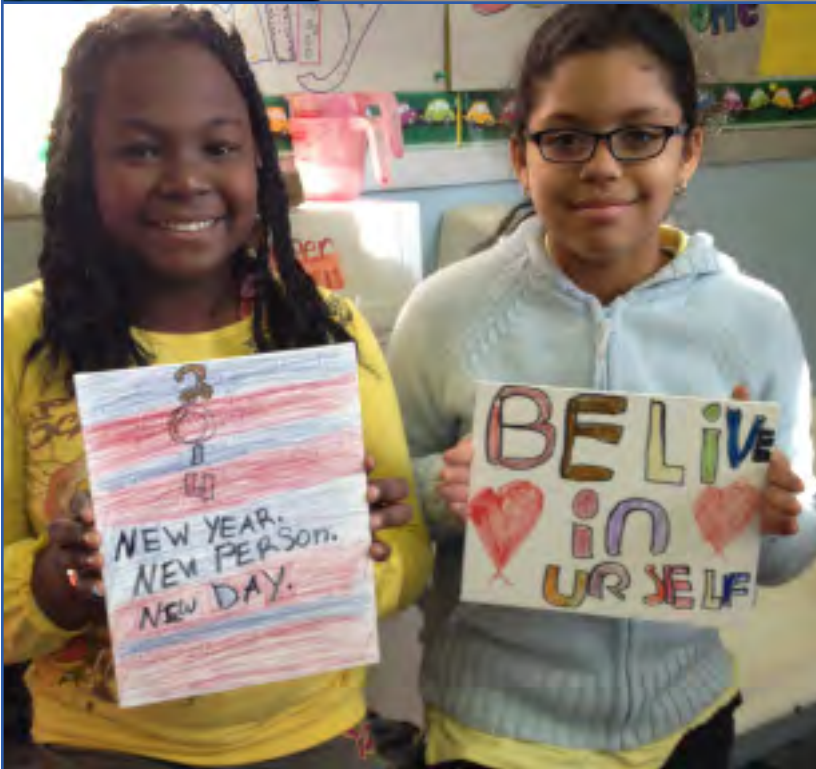


Several students set a goal of passing the state test. Leaders.

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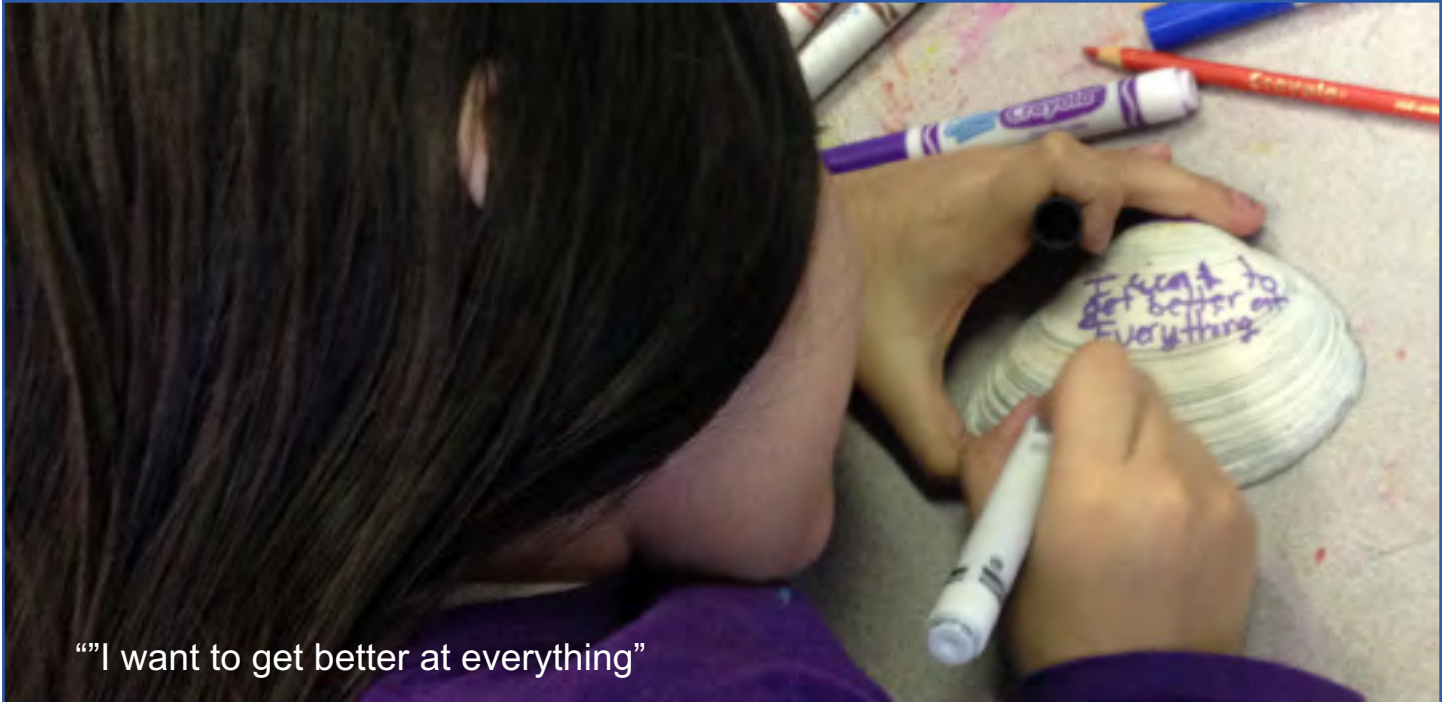
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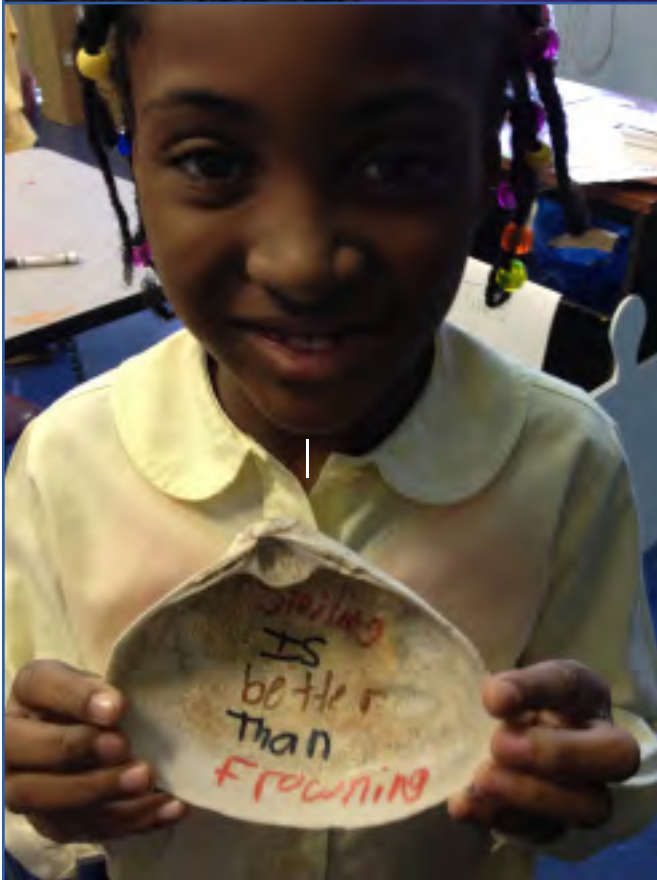
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"I want to get better at everything"



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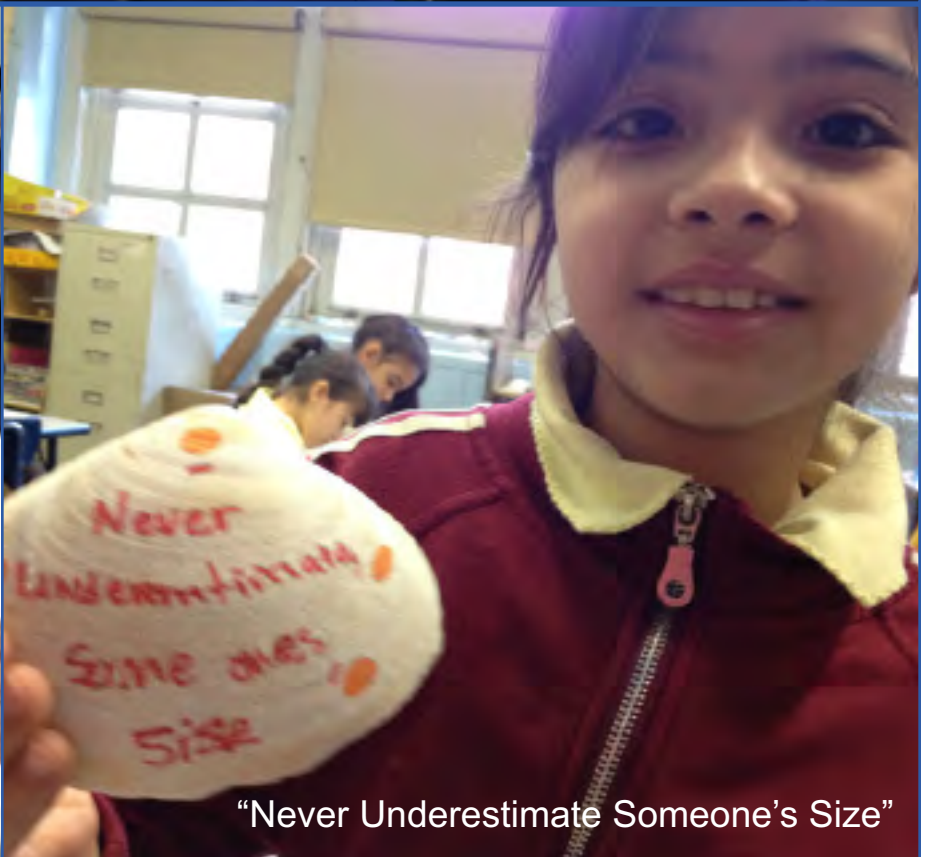


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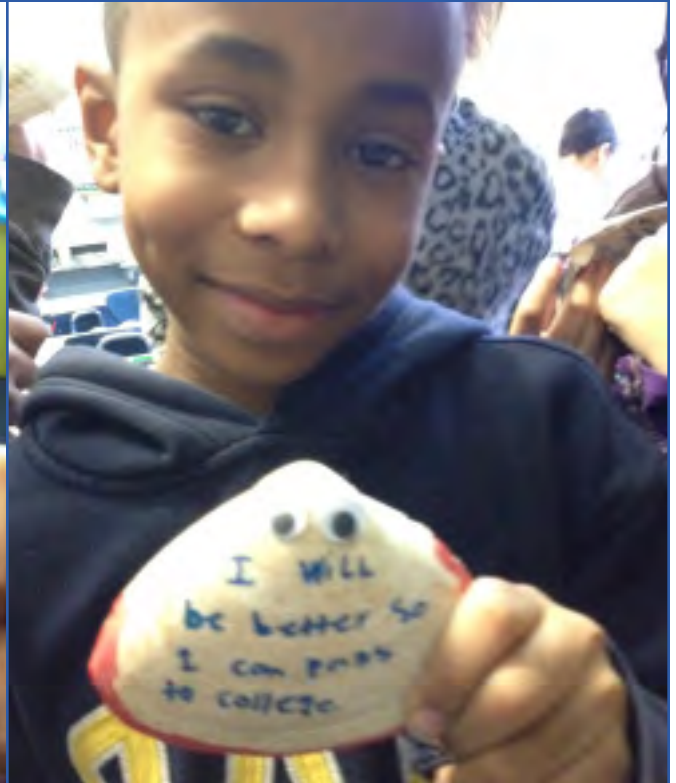


"Never Underestimate Someone's Size"

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The ART is GOOD Club:
Bird house painting & bird making



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"Alien Portraits"

Art is Good encourages collaboration, but also instills a sense of self, by focusing on each student's own ideas. All ideas matter in Rm 107.

Highlighting the idea that we are all unique, students make a portrait of themselves as an alien. Artists name their planets and discuss what it's like. They love it. Enjoy.

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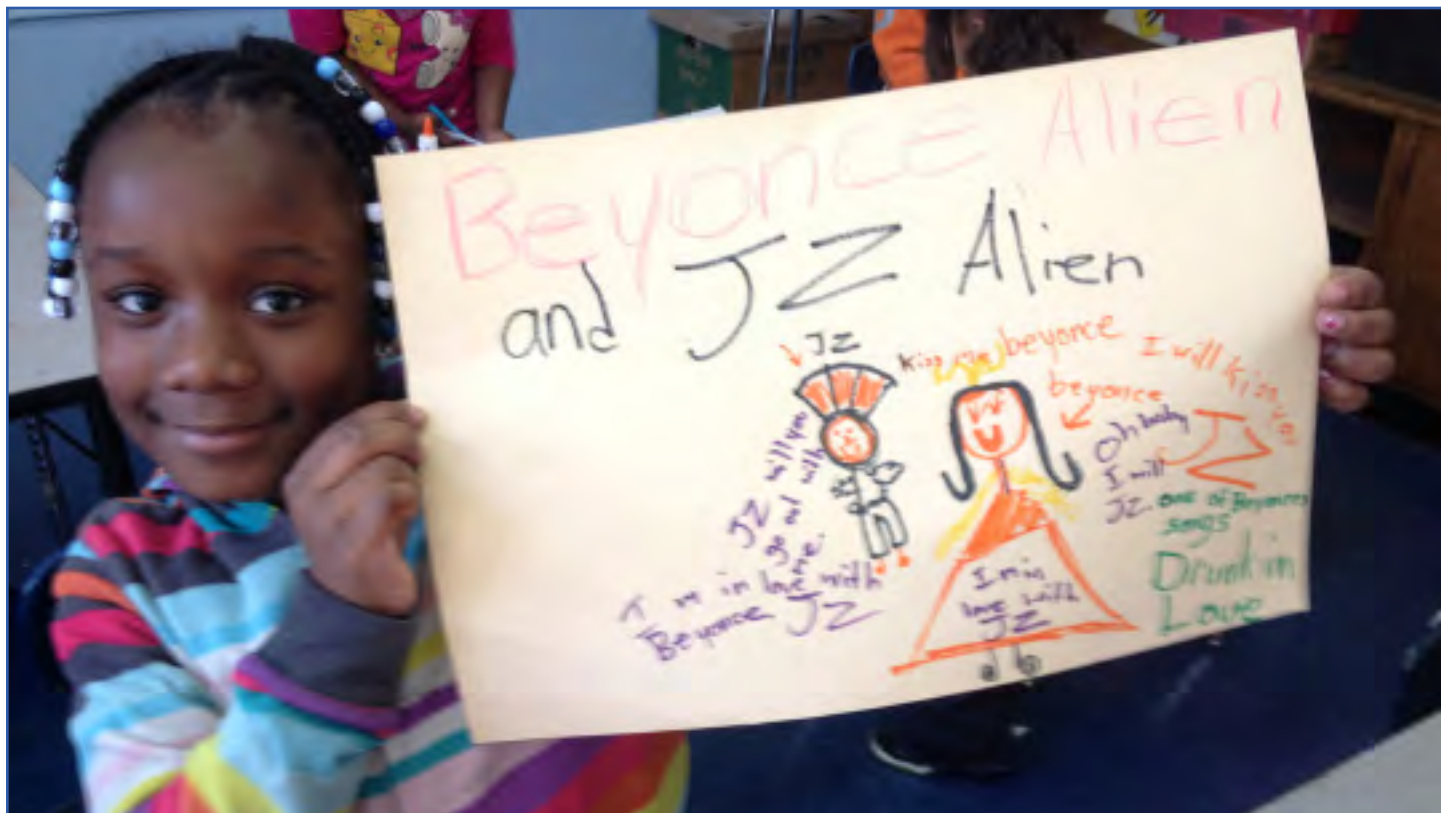


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Art & decorations for PS16 Principal Renny asked me to have our student artists make art for the school. Each and every student collaborated to create art.



Each student artist created a bird that sits on a branch with their classmates birds.

The Tree represents PS16.

The installation is 8' high by 6' wide and growing. We plan to add leaves and other fun things.

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Art & decorations for PS16 Each student traced their hands, made art inside, cut them out and glued them together with other artful hands to make a large flower/wreath-like piece of art for their homeroom.



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"Clay Sculptures"

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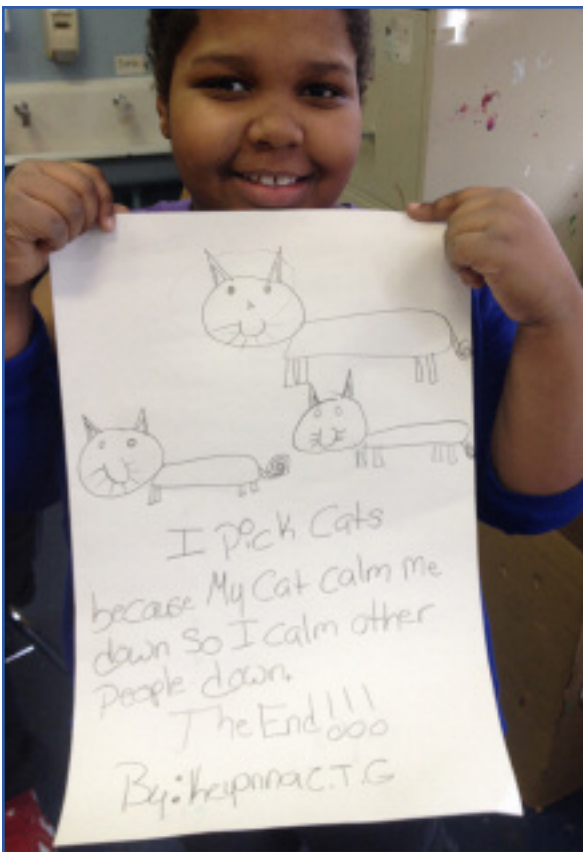
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What is Your Spirit Animal?

Student artists made art about which animal they would be and why.

The results were artstanding.



I pick cats because my cat calm(s) me down, so I calm other people down.

The end!!!



I am a Killer Whale because I have sneaky eye.

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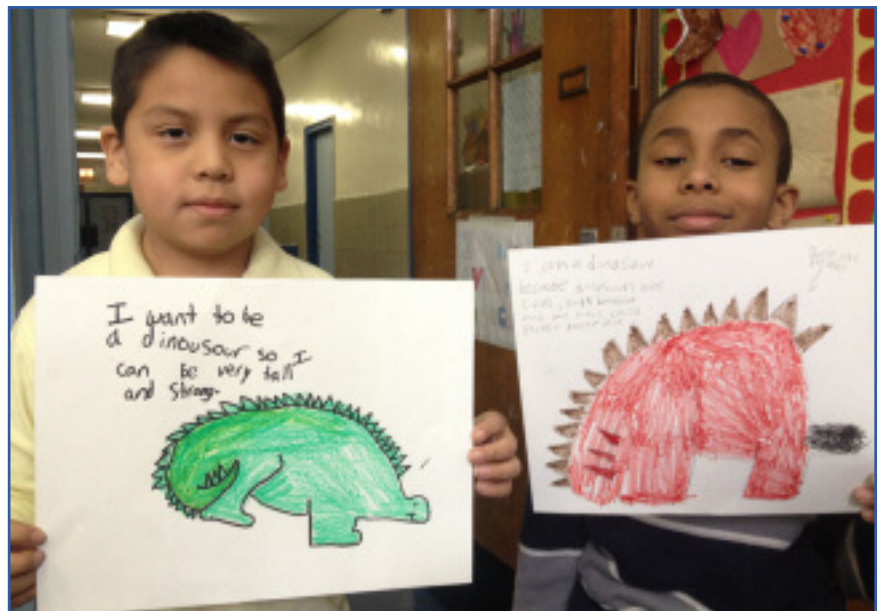
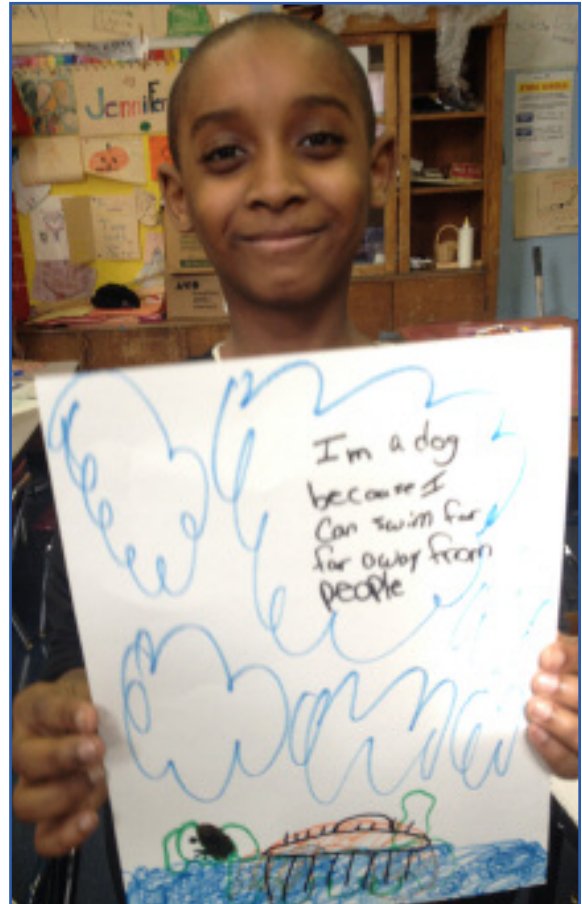
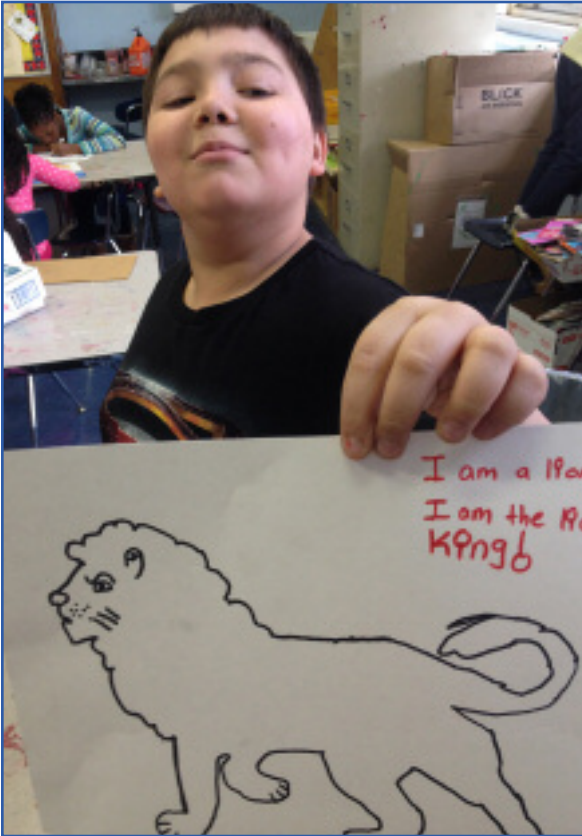
*I am a bird because
I can fly free forever.*



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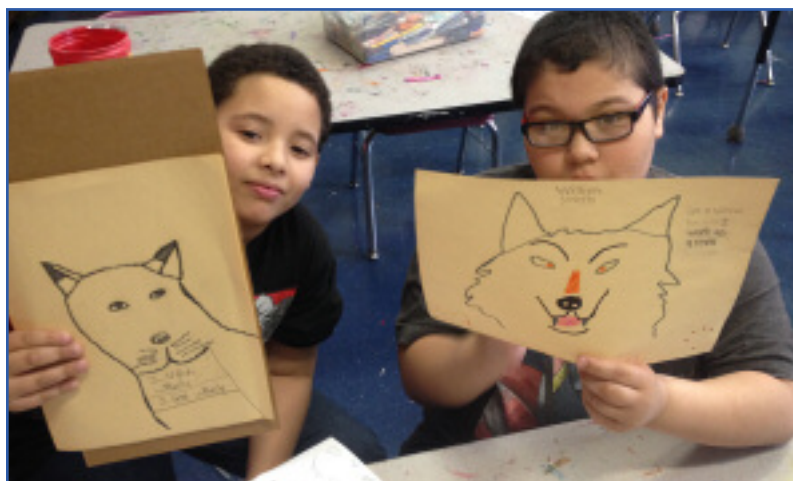
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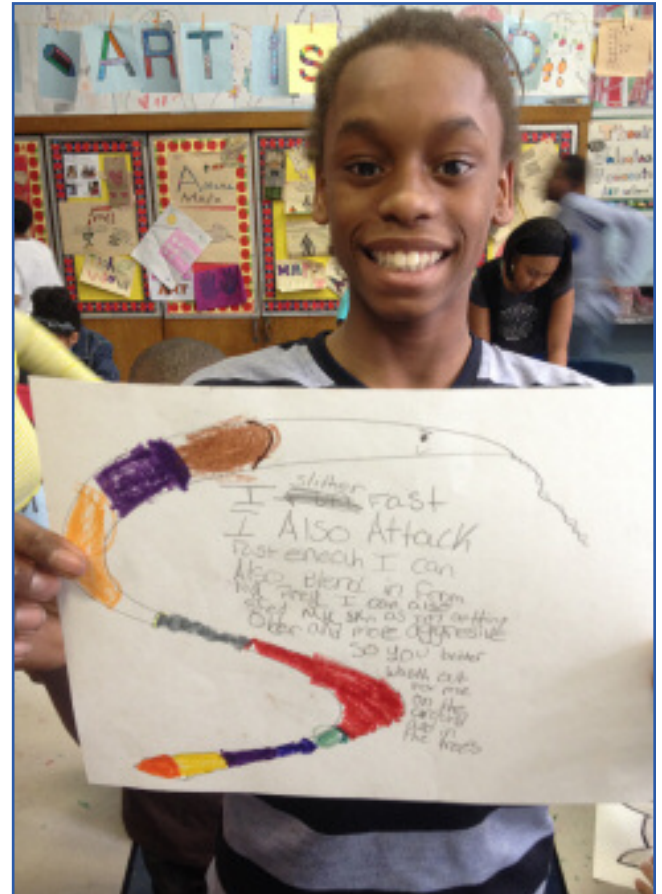


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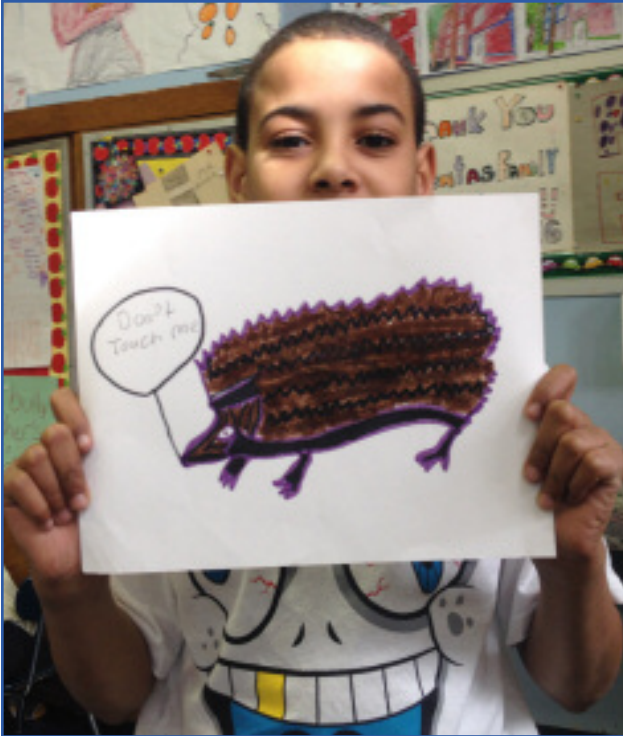
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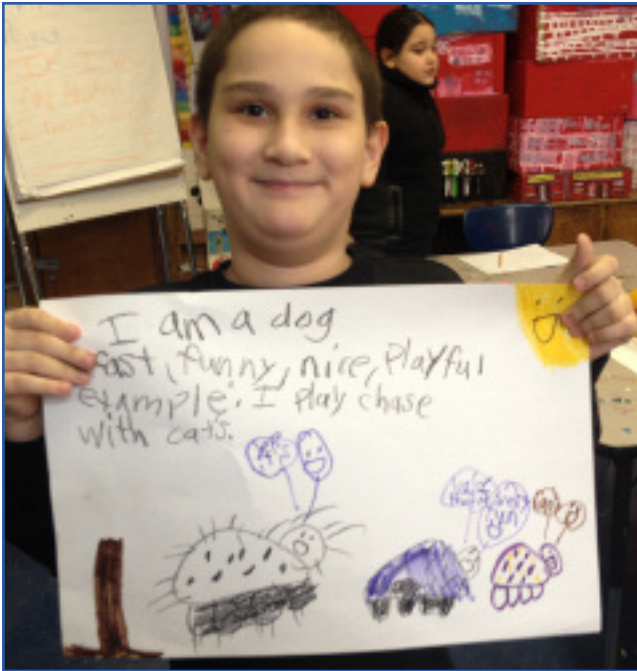


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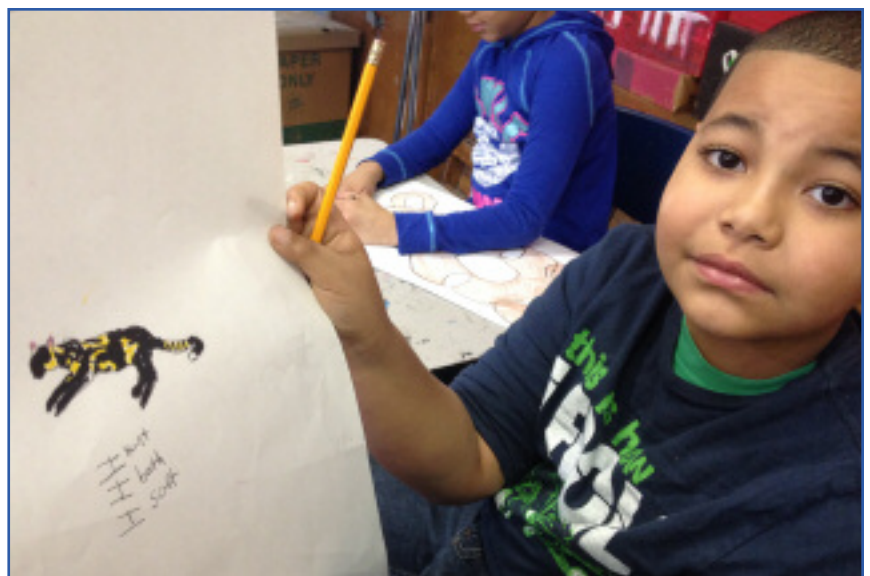
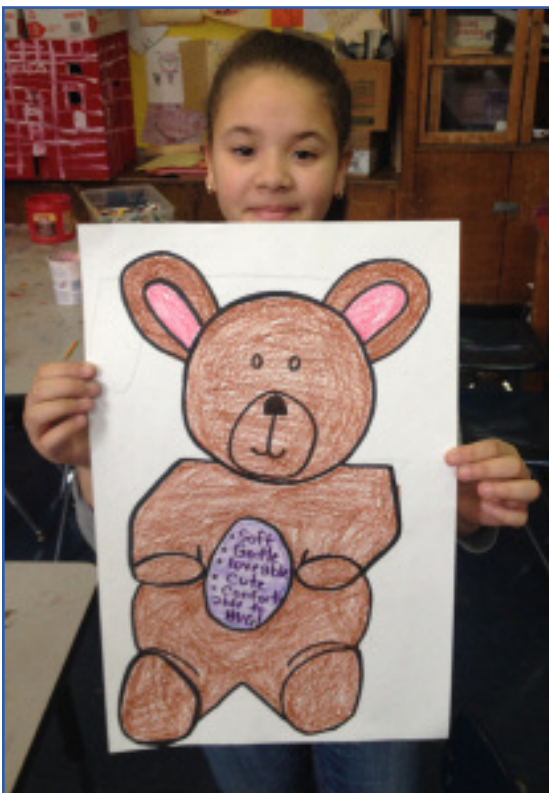
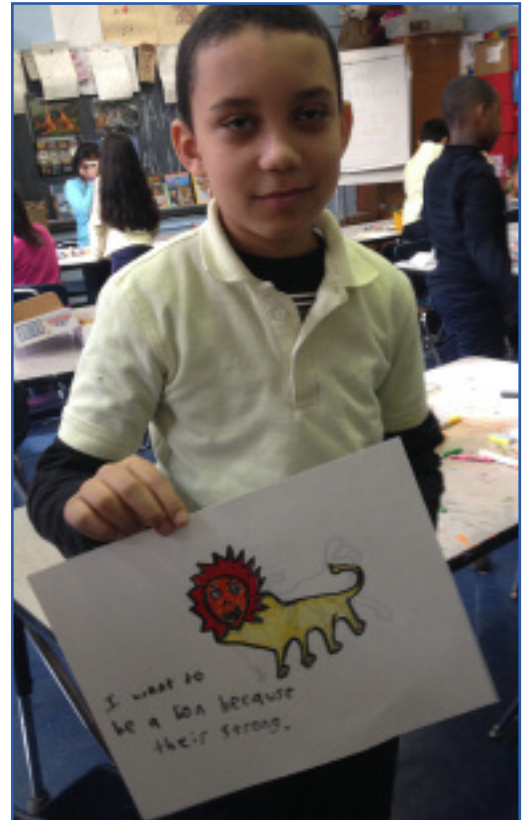
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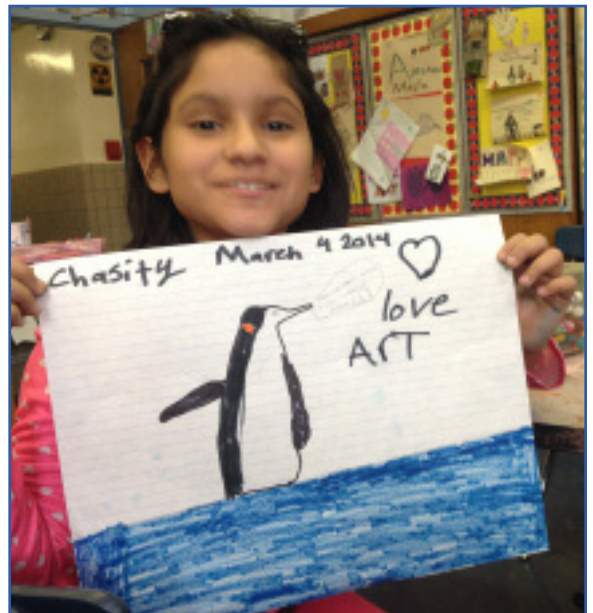
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The ART IS GOOD project:

Freestyle Some days students get to make any art they want on whatever they want.



← Glitter has been put on just about anything and everything.

I'm not even sure what this artist is glitter gluing, but she looks focused and into it. So I'm into it.

Art is Good encourages artists to say something meaningful with their art.

"Everyone flies to a star"
Inspiring.



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The ART IS GOOD project:

Large banner for wall in gym. We have also made props for school plays.



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We will be exhibiting our artwork in December and again at the end of the 2013-2014 school year.
You will receive an invite and we truly hope to meet you. Art is back at PS16! Art is Good.

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