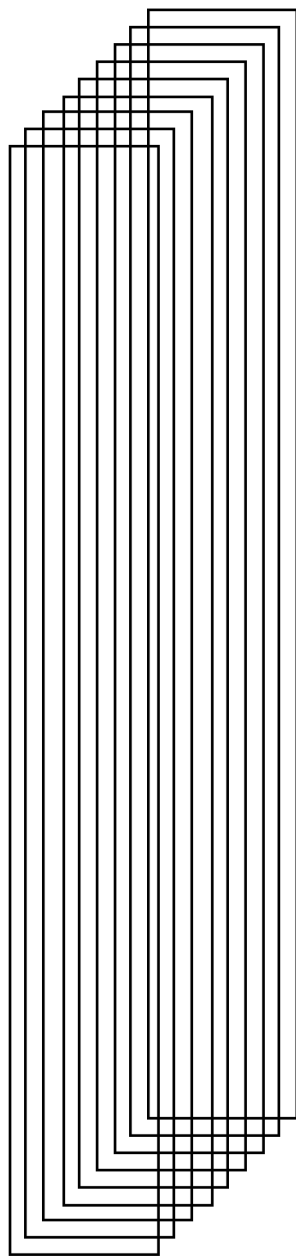
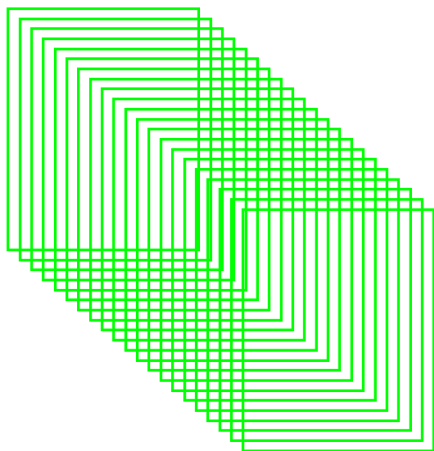
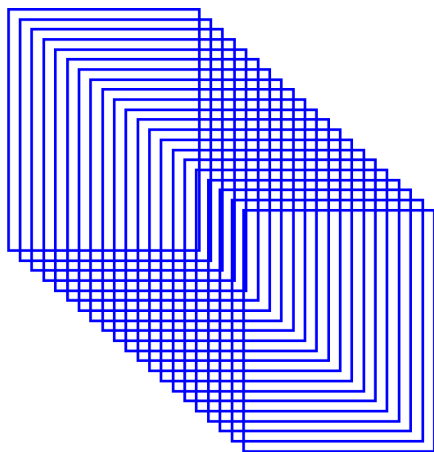
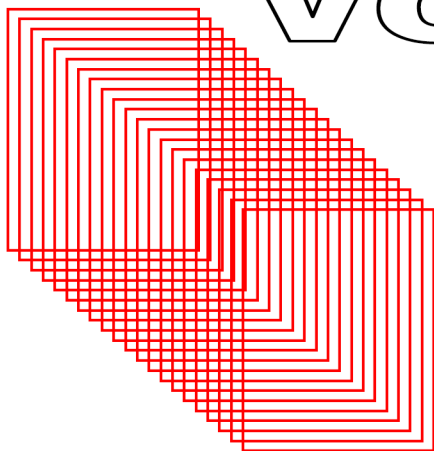


# TEEN ZINE

vol. 2





"Fanny Patrick" star meme

Maya Broomfield, Lakewood HS



MY SUPER POWER WOULD BE  
TO TIME TRAVEL  
Amelia Scholl, Denver School of the Arts

What is  
your favorite  
meme?



Niki Choumanivong, DSST  
my favorite vine is  
the "I never went to  
OOVOO JAVIER" vine.

Faith Christian



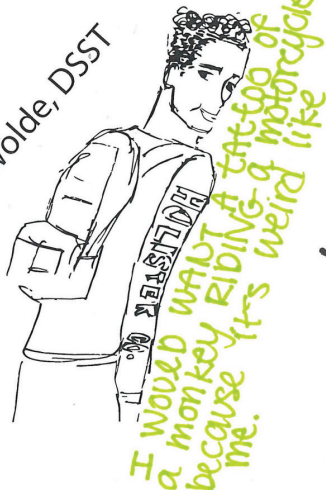
I WANT  
A TATTOO OF AN ANATOMICAL HEART  
WITH SWORDS CROSSING IN FRONT OF  
IT BECAUSE GOD PROTECTS  
MY HEART!

High School

Teah Selkin, Cherry Creek HS  
I WOULD WANT A SMALL (CUTE) TAT AS  
DANE FRANCO DRESSED  
AS SPIDER-MAN.



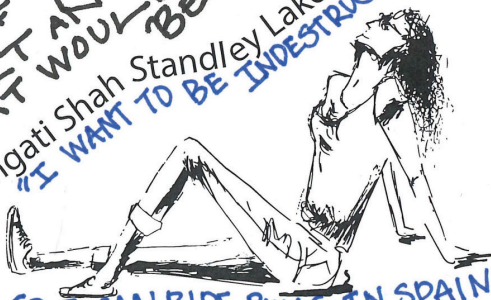
Yoseph Wolde, DSST



I WOULD WANT A TATTOO OF  
A MONKEY RIDING A MOTORCYCLE  
BECAUSE IT'S WEIRD LIKE  
ME.

IF YOU COULD  
GET ANY TATTOO,  
WHAT WOULD BE IT?

Sangati Shah, Standley Lake HS  
"I WANT TO BE INDESTRUCTIBLE"



SO I CAN RIDE BULLS IN SPAIN  
WITHOUT BREAKING ANY  
BONES

Marilyn Malagon, DSST

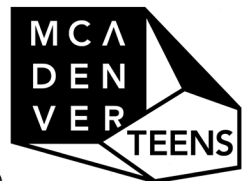


"TELEPORTATION"

Ari Diamond, Kent Denver



Ability to fly



# SPRING 2018 AMBASSADORS

Denver Online HS

Amayas Gonzalez



"A TATTOO OF BOBA ON MY ARM"

Michael Bloise, Denver  
"BEING ABLE TO STOP TIME TO WOULD BE PRETTY COOL"



Montessori HS

DEAL super power?

East HS

Havanna Stegner



a tattoo OF A HAMSA between my shoulder blades

telekinesis



Briteny Correa, Highlands

Ranch HS

Kait Morgan, Arva da West High School



"I like the way the guy looks like he's turning about it but trips and falls"

Debbie Harry

Frontwoman of new wave  
punk band, "Blondie"

Debbie Harry was  
one of the first girls playing  
in the New York CBGB scene.

Patti Smith

As she puts it herself,  
"My design was to shake  
things up, to motivate  
people and bring a  
different type of work ethic  
back to rock and roll."

PATTI SMITH,  
POET, MUSICIAN,  
ARTIST

Poly Styrene

lead singer of band

X-Ray Spex is credited as one  
of the fashion and feminist role  
models in Britain's punk scene.


POLY STYRENE,  
MUSICIAN,  
SONG WRITER  
& FASHION  
ICON

DEBBIE HARRY,  
ACTRESS &  
SINGER

# Women of PUNK

BY: AMELIA SCHOLL

## A PLAYLIST TO EASE THE SOUL



1. SOFIA BY PATRICK ROSAL

2. SWEET HOLY HONEY  
BY SANGO

3. PARADISE BY JEREMIH

4. HONEY BY JOHNNY  
BALIK

5. SEX N' DRUGS BY  
ABHI THE NOMAD

6. LOVING IS EASY BY  
REX ORANGE COUNTY

7. JANET BY BERHANA

8. WE FIND LOVE BY DANIEL  
CAESAR

9. 3005 BY CHILDISH GAMBINO

10. C U GIRL BY STEVE LACY

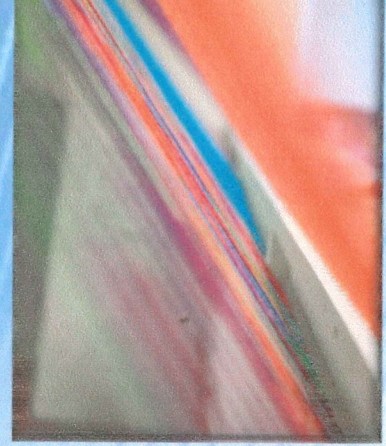
11. COCOA BUTTER KISSES BY  
CHANCE THE RAPPER

12. FEELING WHITNEYBY POST MALONE

13. MOVIE BY TOM MISCH

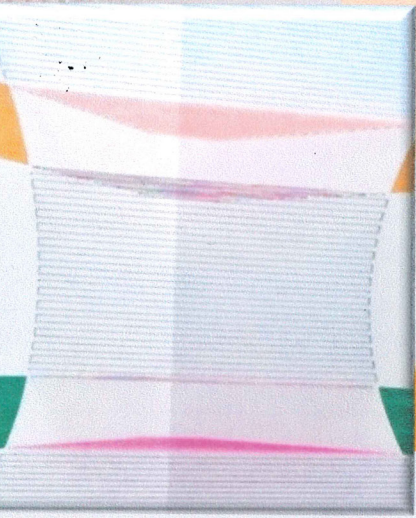
# Locus Point

Locus point is an "art experience" put together with the collaborations of Andrew Huffman and MCA Denver's leadership program, Failure Lab. The art was geometrically based as well as represented each member individually and collectively.



@ MCA!

Lincoln Thomas, an intern in failure lab says, "My favorite part of the Locus Point installation is how many different parts of the show we were able to make. From the mural on the wall to the string installations to the spray patterned walls, I like that we were able to show every aspect of Andrews work in one room."





# PORN KILLS LOVE

"some porn is sex positive, right?" well, a female victim was brutally held hostage and raped, the video was sold online, later making the list of best "healthy porn films" the brutal rape and torture of prisoners in Abu Ghraib, was extremely shamed by the public, however porn producers made films identical to these brutal rapes, and the videos were consumed by millions.

nearly half of sexual assault victims report that their abuse was filmed and sold as "healthy porn"

porn destroys relationships by rewiring the viewers brain to desire false intimacy on a screen over their partner.

two miami men were found guilty of hosting "auditions" when the women arrived, they drugged and raped them, while filming the whole thing and later selling it to millions.

porn is extremely degrading towards women, most all films focus solely on the male's pleasure, and the female being used as an object.



visit [fightthenewdrug.org](http://fightthenewdrug.org) to learn more.

# How Many of These Historic Women Icons Can You Name?

- 1) artist who painted many portraits, self-portraits, and works inspired by the nature and artifacts of Mexico.
- 2) first female aviator to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean. She received the United States Distinguished Flying Cross for this accomplishment.
- 3) author, actress, screenwriter, dancer, poet and civil rights activist best known for her 1969 memoir, *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*.

- 4) American social reformer and women's rights activist who played a pivotal role in the women's suffrage movement.
- 5) American singer, musician, artist, feminist activist, pioneer of the feminist punk riot grrrl movement, and punk zine writer.
- 6) known for human rights advocacy, especially the education of women and children in her native Swat Valley.



**Name Bank:** Amelia Earhart, Susan B. Anthony, Malala Yousafzai, Frida Kahlo, Kathleen Hanna, Maya Angelou.

# ABSURD EXPRESSIONS\*



POURING THE MILK FIRST: THE RIGHT WAY TO DO IT. IF YOU PUT CEREAL FIRST YOU'RE WRONG, BECAUSE SOCIETY BRAINWASHED YOU TO THINK THAT.

SAY YES TO SOMETHING, DON'T THINK ABOUT IT THE SOUND YOU MAKE WHEN YOU ARE EATING SOMETHING DELICIOUS



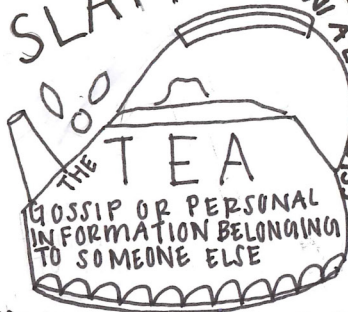
SPLENDA DADDY: A MAN WHO STRIVES TO BE A SUGAR DADDY BUT LACKS THE FUNDS

\*BROUGHT TO YOU BY URBAN DICTIONARY

ESKETIT

GET MONEY, GET LIT, TURN UP

SLAPPIN'



PLAYING MUSIC IN A LOT OF BASS

HM...INTERESTING  
OFTEN SAID WHEN SOMETHING IS INDEED THE OPPOSITE OF INTERESTING





# HONESTLY LYING

## DIEGO RODRIGUEZ-WARNER

Diego is a Denver based artist, boasting fine arts degrees from Hampshire College, and Rhode Island School of Design. Rodriguez- Warner largely uses woodblock printing emphasized by trompe l'oeil collage form. Diego utilizes historical art pieces, fusing them with his current-day style. Rodriguez-Warner paints on shadows along with carving into the wood in order to add depth and personality along with creating an optical illusion. The plethora of bright colors, depth effects, and a scramble of amazement, you're sure to be lost in his work for hours.





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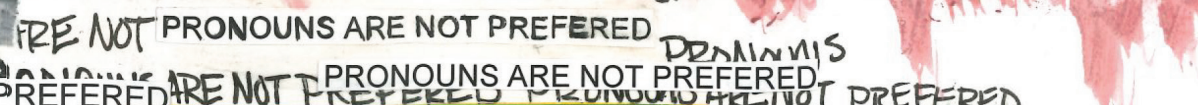
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58.7% of gen

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NOT PREFERRED

19% of trans\* people experience violence/abuse from a family member

# LOVING YOURSELF

## &

# HOW TO DO IT



Art by: @iamkotbonkers on Instagram

**P**eople often struggle with loving themselves. Whether it be mentally, physically, or maybe even both, people struggle; so how can one overcome this sometimes crippling self sabotage?

- 1.** For starters, realize that you are the best you, and the **ONLY** you. No one on earth could compare to a **YOU**.
- 2. BE OPEN MINDED.** Having restrictions or expectations on how you should look removes room for growth. Do you. Wear what you want. Eat what you want. Think and speak on what you want.
- 3. GO WITH THE FLOW.** Constantly worrying about things means less time or room for thought on loving yourself.
- 4. TAKE CARE OF YOUR SOUL.** Nurture it. Loving yourself in and out is major. Start on the inside and then you will truly realize how much you love yourself on the outside.

**N**ow, these are not the only four things you can do. There are many, many ways to do this. It's all according to you, personally. Learning to love who you are is the beginning of a new, beautiful life.



Go to song for Kait:  
PPP–Beach House



# Kait Arleth

Kait Arleth is a local photographer from Boulder, CO. She mainly takes portraits and has been doing photography for about a year now.

“One of my favorite things about photography is how confident it makes my friends feel. That is why I would love to continue my passion for photography for as long as I can.”

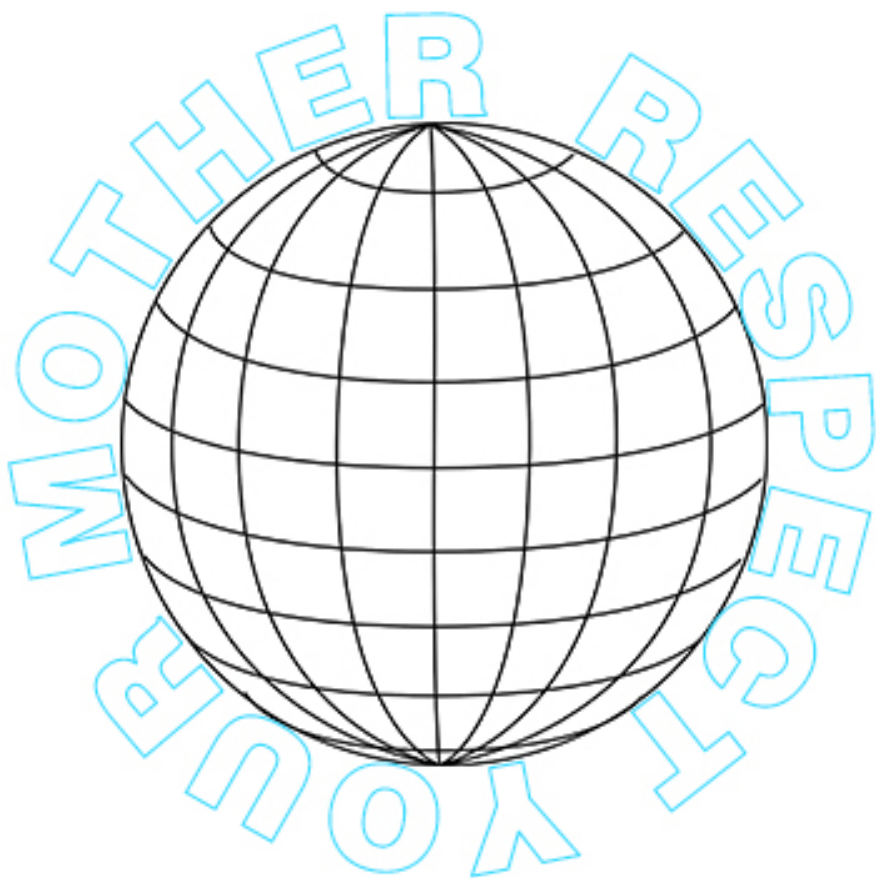
Instagram:  
[@kaitelizabethth](https://www.instagram.com/kaitelizabethth)



*eat less meat, especially beef*

*opt for a shower over a bath to save water*

*when you're not in the room turn off  
the lights and unplug appliances*



*replace incandescent bulbs with leds*

*avoid driving, when you can, walk,  
ride your bike, or take public transit*

*maximize fuel economy by keeping tires inflated, avoiding  
speeding, and keeping the trunk free of excess weight*



# EARTH GUARDIANS

**Who?** Youth activists from around the world working together to protect planet earth.

**What?** An organization founded by Tamara Roske at a high school in Maui, Hawaii to combat climate change.

**Where?** All around the world! There are crews in Denver, Longmont, Boulder and all around the United States and beyond.

**Why?** We were given this planet as a gift to protect and care for. This organization is an avenue for teens to exercise their voices for change and insure a future of life on this beautiful planet.

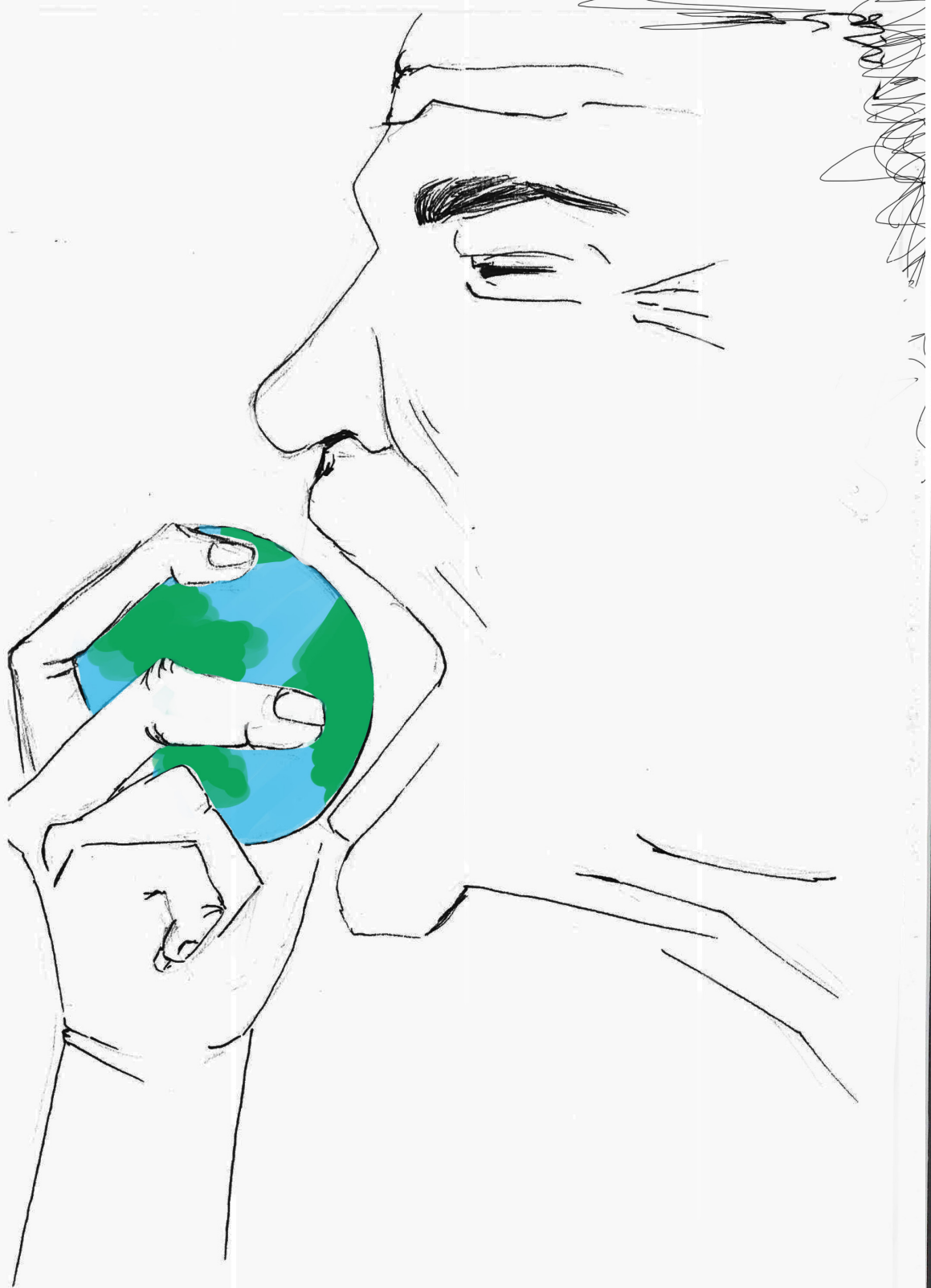


## XIUTEZCATL MARTINEZ

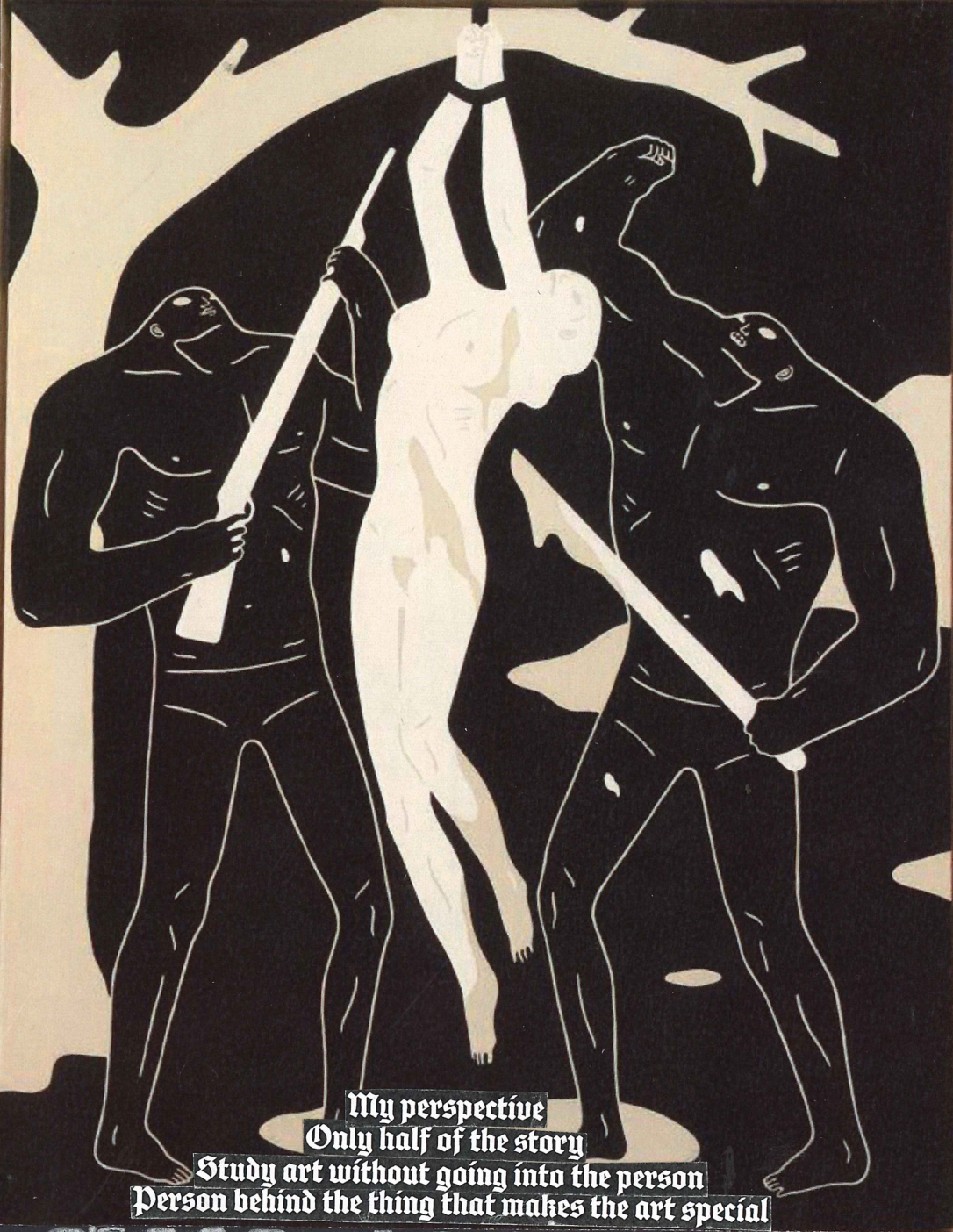
"Caring about issues doesn't necessarily mean protesting or being an activist, it is about connecting to what you love and what you're passionate about."

Xiutezcatl Martinez, the youth director at Earth Guardians, is a 17 year old indigenous climate change activist and hip hop artist from Boulder, Colorado. From persuading Boulder county to implement a five year ban on fracking to addressing the General Assembly at the United Nations in New York, Xiutezcatl and his Boulder EG crew have put in efforts, big and small, in order to protect the planet. He has inspired many youth around the globe to get involved in the fight and continues to travel the country in order to educate his generation about the state of our planet.

**Listen to Xiutezcatl's single "One Day" on Apple Music and Spotify and visit [earthguardians.org](https://earthguardians.org) to get involved!**



# Cleon Peterson



My perspective  
Only half of the story

Study art without going into the person  
Person behind the thing that makes the art special

# SHADOW OF MEN

# WHY · THE · FUCK DID SHE FORGIVE

Heroin - Greatest thing on Earth

# HIM?

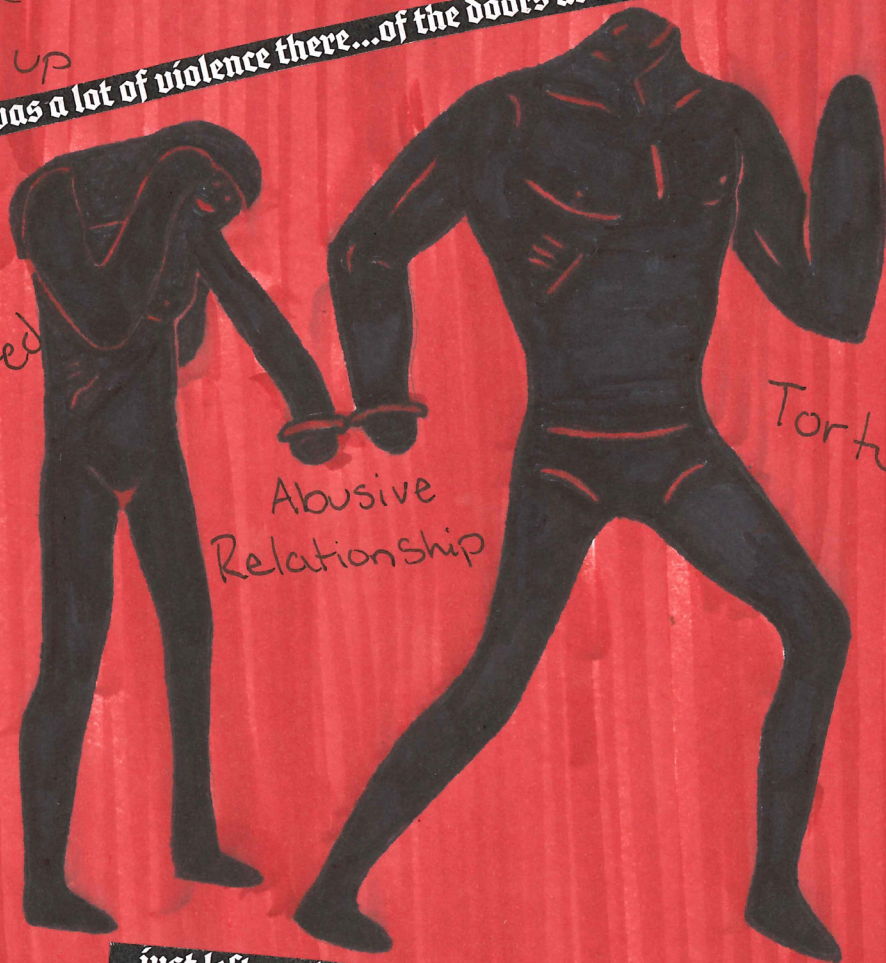
No one  
Speaks up

There was a lot of violence there... of the doors are broken off the hinges

Never  
Communicated

Abusive  
Relationship

Torture



...just left my brother and me

[Sexual]  
Call abuse

Violent in terms of daily life

"I was the mother, not her..."



It's something  
to forget...

to  
Pleading  
for help



"I never called her  
mom..."

You gave him  
too much power. --

**Nigga:** a word that derives from the French *negre*, from the Spanish and Portuguese *negro*, from the Latin *niger* (black).

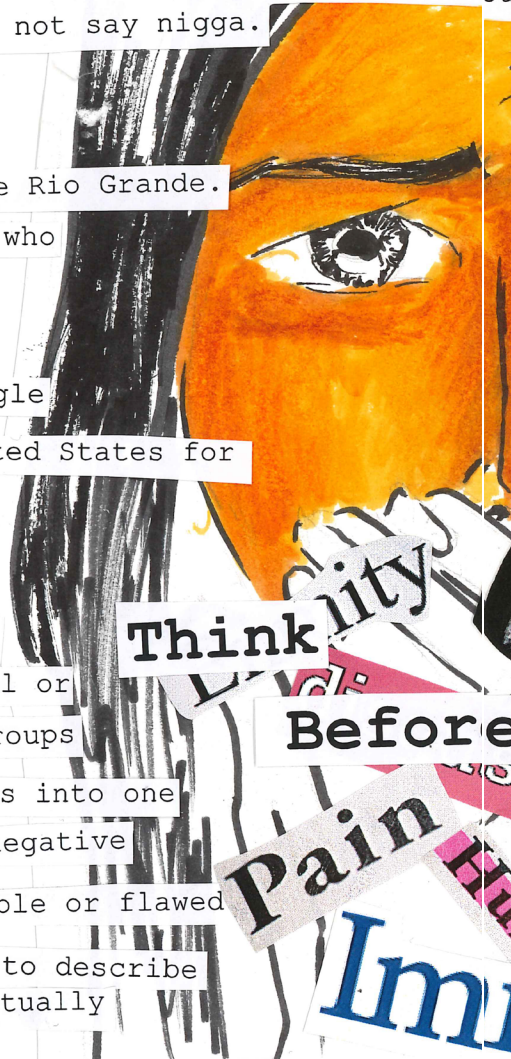
It has been used to belittle and embarrass blacks for centuries. Even though many blacks have begun to use the word more freely in songs, movies, and in their day to day lives if you are not black you can not say nigga.

**Wetback:** used as an insulting and contemptuous term for a Mexican who enters the U.S. illegally via the Rio Grande. The term disrespects and mocks those who have lost their lives trying to make it to the United States and the millions of Latinxs who still struggle after making their way into the United States for what they hope to be a better life.

**Retarded:** according to the Merriam Webster Dictionary retarded means slow or limited in intellectual or emotional development. The word groups people with intellectual disabilities into one group. It has also been used as a negative word to describe anything unfavorable or flawed. Instead of calling someone retarded to describe their disability call them intellectually disabled.

**Faggot:** an insulting word used to describe men who show

The word is often used in negative ways to describe a person.



The word is rooted in years of struggle, pain, embarrassment, and sadly many times violence. So instead of calling someone out of their name go up to them and ask them what their name is and what pronouns they would like you to use. It's that simple.

**Towelhead/Raghead:** a term used to describe the headdresses that

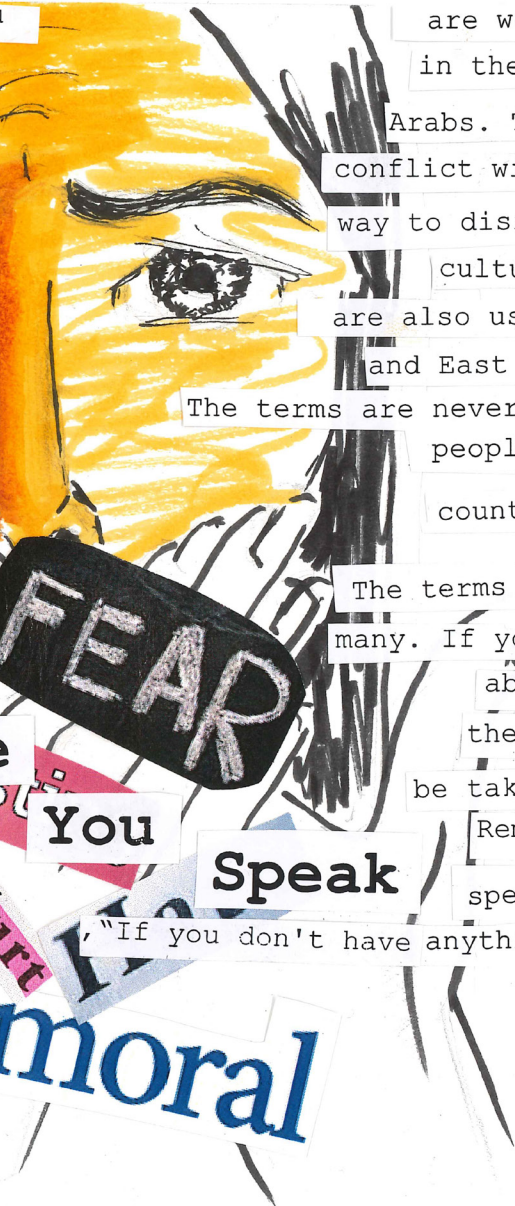
are worn predominantly in the Middle East by Muslims, Sikhs, and Arabs. The term has developed over years of conflict with way to disrespect their traditions, beliefs, and cultures. Because of ignorance the terms are also used to describe North/East Africans and East Asians.

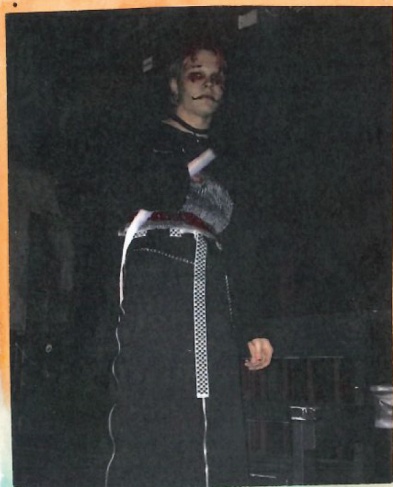
The terms are never okay to use because they disrespect people's values and beliefs.

countries in the Middle East as a

The terms listed above are just a few of very many. If you happen to use any of the words above we ask that you discontinue using the word. So maybe one day that word can be taken out the dictionary all together. Remember always think twice before you speak and in the words of my grandmother

, "If you don't have anything nice to say, keep yo mouth shut."





NAME: Garrett

PRONOUNS: ANY

WHAT/WHO ARE U WEARING: INSTA: @shinyelixir  
west coast choppers shirt, WE60 accessories  
new rock boots, thrifted pieces

FASHION INSPO'S:

esc studio, xanthousbae  
@freine: +7348.texas7347

FAV DESIGNER: PROFANITY by LillzKillz

NAME: AMAYAS PRONOUNS: THEY/THEM  
INSTA: daddy-is-cute\_+oo

WHAT/WHO ARE U WEARING: Handmade,  
Thrifted, pleaser heels, Profanity  
Cloak

FASHION INSPO'S: shoushi (@we-can-do-any-thing)  
Literally any Avant-Garde/HaraJuku look

FAV DESIGNER: ALEXANDER McQUEEN



NAME: Veronica PRONOUNS: She/Her

WHAT/WHO ARE U WEARING:

vintage beret, sweater and bottoms  
Demonia stacks INSTA: @damoel doe

FASHION INSPO'S:

@erennanaomi @besta-hesta

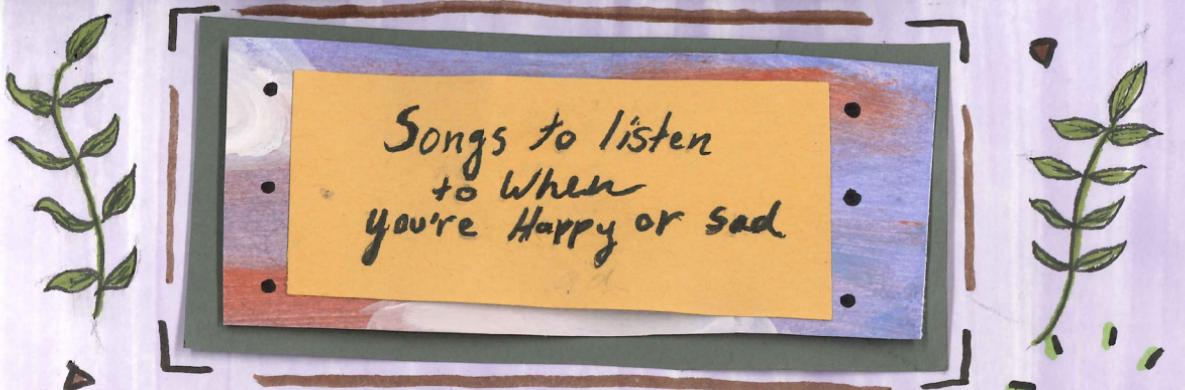
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@maitoyoshima

FAV DESIGNER: @moryme jimmy paul

Photos by: 303 magazine, @sarahgarvin, self PL





Songs to listen  
to when  
you're Happy or sad

1. Loving is Easy  
- Rex Orange

2. Making Breakfast  
- Twin Peaks

3. This is The Day  
- The The

4. Down Under  
- Men At Work

5. Island In The Sun  
- Weezer

6. Come and Get Your Love  
- Redbone

7. We're Going To Be Friends  
- The White Stripes

8. Salad Days  
- Mac DeMarco

1. Between The Bars  
- Elliot Smith

2. Flightless Bird, American  
Mouth  
- Iron & Wine

3. Rivers and Roads  
- The Head and the Heart

4. Flume  
- Bon Iver

5. Let it Be  
- The Beatles

6. Land Locked Blues  
- Bright Eyes

7. Gospel  
- The National

8. Brick  
- Ben Folds

@THEUNAPOLOGETICALLYBROWNSERIES



**POLICE  
BRUTALITY**

**| IS |**

**GUN VIOLENCE  
GUN CONTROL**

**| MUST |**

**HOLD THE STATE  
ACCOUNTABLE**



**"I've accepted that I will have to practice lockdown drills on a regular basis"**

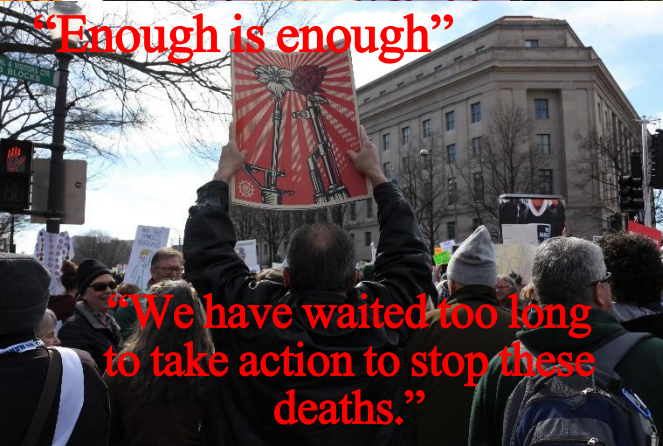


**PEDIATRICIANS FOR GUN REFORM**

**"I have hope that there will finally be change in our country"**



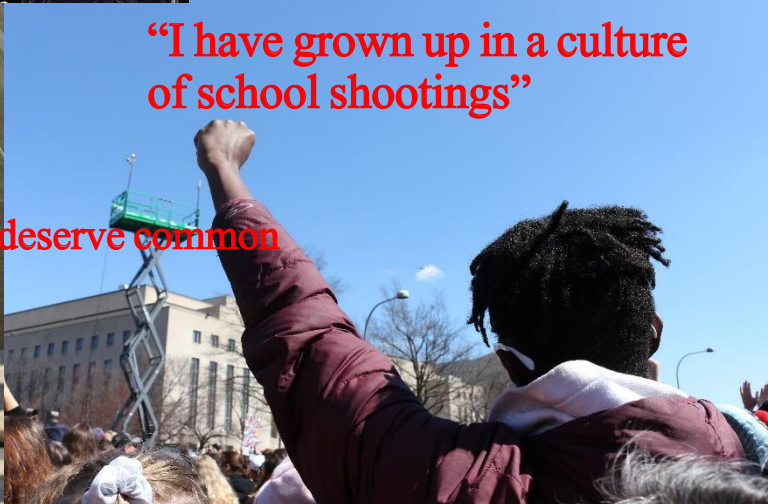
**"Enough is enough"**



**"We have waited too long to take action to stop these deaths."**



**"The citizens of America deserve common sense gun control laws"**



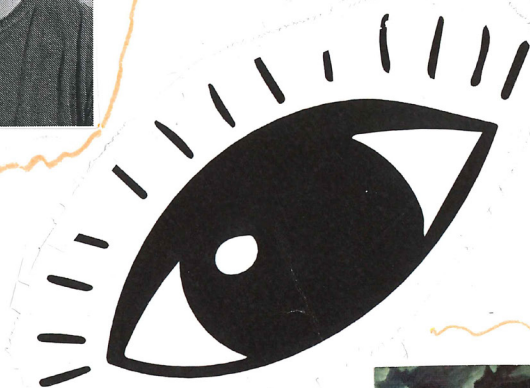
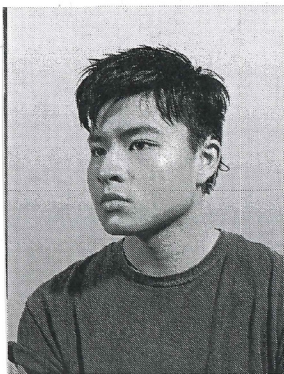
**"I have grown up in a culture of school shootings"**



**"We are desensitized to mass shootings"**

**All quotes taken from Carlin Danborn**

# CONFUSION



Guaranteed

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LONGER

Protection.

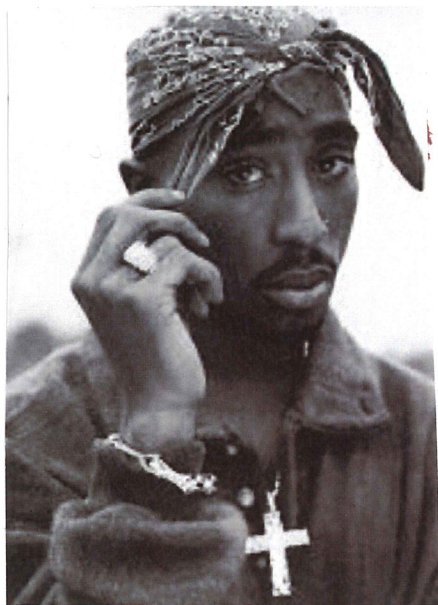
FIGHTING  
FOR

US



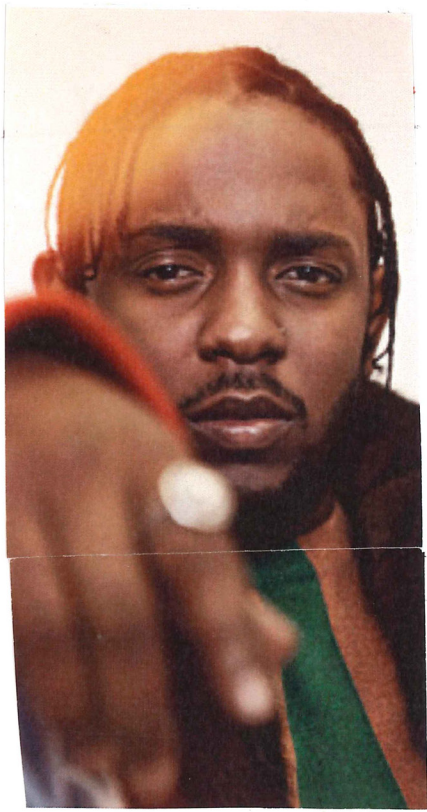
# ICON

if YOU can't find somethin'  
to live for, YOU best  
find somethin' to die for..



lifetime  
growth

if IM gonna tell a REAL  
STORY, IM gonna start  
with MY n.A.M.e.



# ARE YOU A FEMINIST?

add up your total to see what '%' feminist you are!

1. I believe that all genders should be equal. \_\_\_\_/10  
I can define intersectional feminism \_\_\_\_/10
2. I believe that women deserve to be paid as much as men for equal work. \_\_\_\_/10
3. I believe trans people should be able to use whichever bathroom they identify with \_\_\_\_/10
5. I can explain why "78 cents to the dollar" is not a fully accurate description of the wage gap. \_\_\_\_/10
6. I believe that a woman has the right to choose what happens to her body. \_\_\_\_/10
7. I believe that women should have equal access to birth control. \_\_\_\_/10
8. I believe that in a relationship the domestic duties should be shared. \_\_\_\_/10
9. I believe that a woman's clothing doesn't give someone permission to harass or assault her. \_\_\_\_/10
10. I believe that women that it is important to have strong women represented in the media, politics and the workforce. \_\_\_\_/10

I AM \_\_\_\_% FEMINIST!

All background photos were taken during the 2017 Denver Women's March

For every  
dollar a white  
man makes..

Asian American  
Women Make



Black Women  
Make



White Women  
Make



Native American  
Women Make

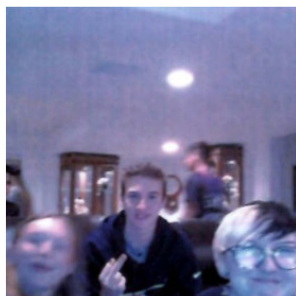
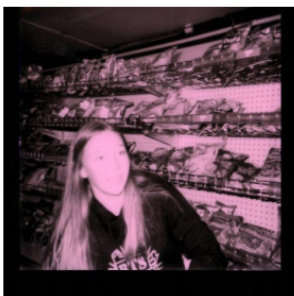


Latina Women  
Make



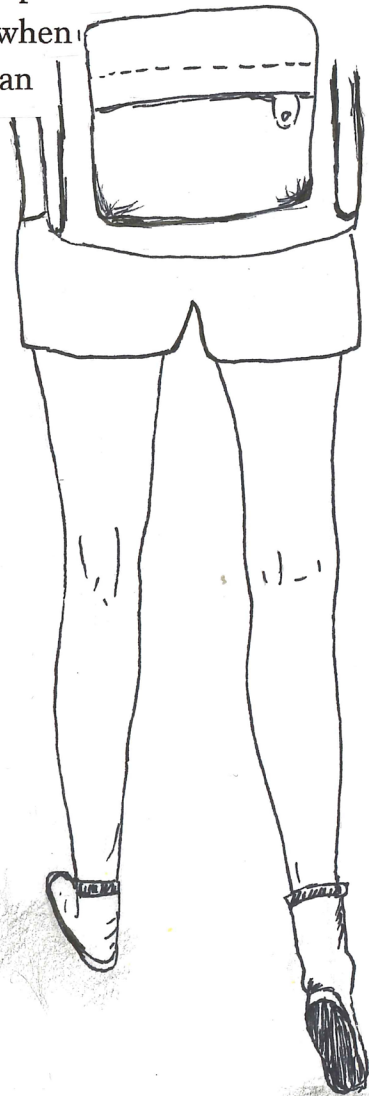
# Back Pocket Photographs

After continually seeing the negative effects on teens my age from media dominated by photoshop, stereotypes of typical masculinity and femininity, and social expectations of beauty I decided to capture the small, raw moments of life that show the vulnerability of people when they aren't consciously being influenced by those societal norms. By capturing those fleeting moments of someone's true personality, the viewer sees the raw emotion and true personality of the subject, untouched by the media's influence. Because of this being the focus, I chose not to worry about the photos being perfect, as life is dominated by the rough, messy, disorganized elements. If my subjects are showing their imperfect, true selves, then my photos should display that, regardless of what makes a photo "good quality".



Beauty is not long hair, skinny legs,  
tanned skin or perfect teeth. Believe me.  
Beauty is the face of who cried and now smiles,  
beauty is the scar on your knee since you fell  
when you were a kid, beauty is the circles  
when love doesn't let you sleep, beauty is  
the expression on the face when the alarm  
rings in the morning, it's the melted makeup  
when you have a shower, it's the laughter when  
you make a joke you're the only one who can  
understand, beauty is meeting his gaze  
and stopping understanding, beauty  
is your gaze when you see him, it's  
when you cry for all your paranoias,  
beauty is the lines marked by time.  
Beauty is what we feel in the inside  
which also shows on the outside.  
Beauty are the marks life leaves on  
us, all the kicks and the caresses the  
memories leave us. Beauty is letting  
yourself live.

Emma Watson. (via nodream)



God: the supreme,  
eternal artist who relentlessly paints,  
sings, weaves, dances, sculpts, writes  
(and more) his love across  
our lives and throughout the world.  
His essence runs red in our veins  
and fills our lungs with air;  
we carry his creativity in our blood and spirit.  
Like Father, like child. We create every day  
in a million different ways: memories, moments,  
families, friends, love, hope...  
our living is creative by nature.  
Never quite complete, filled with divine tension,  
an eternal work in progress.  
Beautiful. - Lizzie x Jessie Milani

Without atmosphere, a painting is nothing.

- Rembrandt

Checkout the Makers and Mystics podcast  
to expand your creative horizons.



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