MURAL – EXPLORING THE CONCEPT

Choose a mural from the StreetArt app and answer the following questions

1. What is the name of the mural (if applicable)? Who is the artist(s)?

2. Use 3 keywords to describe the meaning of your mural
(for example: feminism, peace, urban, etc.)

3. What types of color/color schemes are used in your mural?

4. How does the use of colors contribute to visualize the meaning of this work?
(Think about how you feel when you see certain colors. For example, bright colors and tints usually convey happiness and playfulness, while dark colors suggest seriousness)
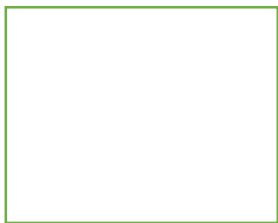
MURAL: BRAINSTORMING
TOPIC: SAVE THE TURTLES

Why do we care? Our marine ecosystem is facing significant threats from overfishing, pollution, and climate change. Marine life plays an important role in maintaining the health of the world's ocean. Sea turtles have their place in the delicate network of life-providing services. They are an irreplaceable organism to the balanced ecosystem functioning, and yet, every year, more than 4000 sea turtles are killed in the US alone due to commercial fishing, plastic debris in the ocean, and loss of their natural habitat. (Learn more at *ConserveTurtles.org*)
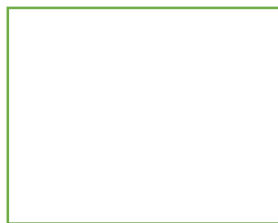
List or draw 5 symbols/objects you can use in your piece (example: Turtle!)
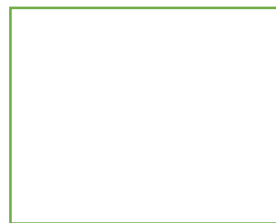
Pick one of your assigned colors to complete this exercise:
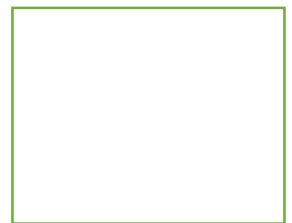
Your color   Tint: add white   Shade: add black   Tone: add gray

These are some of the colors you can use in your piece. You may create more variations by adjusting the amount of white/black/gray added to each of your assigned colors.

MURAL ASSIGNMENT – REFLECTION

1. Which of the following is considered a mural? (Circle all that applies)

A

B

C

D

2. List 2 purposes of mural

3. Do you think graffiti is a type of mural? Explain (Think about the concept of ownership, who paints the and why).

4. What have we, as a class/community, achieved through this assignment (that wouldn't have been achieved if everyone has created their own individual work)?