## **10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL AUTISM ART EXPO** COMMUNITY ART PROJECT IDEAS



The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Autism Art Expo will be here in 2020 before you know it! For this 10th annual event, we want to display artwork from individuals as well as groups. Below are some ideas for ways you can get involved right away.

#### PHOTO VOICE ACTIVITY

PhotoVoice is an activity where someone uses imagery to express thoughts or feelings in a new way that may be easier than if they had to rely on words or speech alone. Images can be photos, drawings, or even mixed media if that helps with expression! Make it a group activity by giving everyone the same prompt. Some ideas include, but are not limited to:

- "Myself in 10 Years"
  "What I want people to know about me"
- "How it feels to be me"

#### ASSEMBLE A COLLAGE

Many hands make great work! Try making a project where everyone contributes a piece to combine into a whole. Try:

- Gluing items to a board/backing support (this is a great opportunity to use found objects such as bottle caps)
- Have everyone paint on the same surface with brushes or their hands
- Distribute pieces for people to decorate, then collect and assemble them

#### COMPLETE THE SAME ACTIVITY, THEN SUBMIT AS A GROUP

If you were already planning an activity or assignment, consider submitting the results to the art expo! This is a fun way to show off the hard work of the group. Previous groups have displayed works inspired by Minecraft, Salvadore Dali, bead necklaces and more!





# LEARN MORE AND SUBMIT YOUR ARTWORK HERE: TINYURL.COM/ARTEXPO2020SUBMIT

Deadline for submission is in April 2020, but feel free to contact us any time with questions or entries! We are also accepting logo design entries until 12/1/2019 at: <u>TINYURL.COM/ARTEXPO2020LOGO</u>



### **QUESTIONS?**

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