## **Artist Statement:**

Write an artist statement using the IT'S CLEAR format for writing.

Indent: so do it!

 $\emph{Topic S}$ entence: clearly, creatively & effectively answer the prompt (how you met the criteria, the 3 Cs )

Catch the readers attention with this introduction. **Don't start with...** I met the criteria

**C**ontext: provide the reader with the necessary background info so he/she understands the upcoming example. (concept for your art, interpretations you made)

Lead-in: smoothly introduce the evidence (craftsmanship, composition)

Evidence: example from your work that proves the topic sentence

Analysis: 3-4 sentences that clarify how the artwork proves the thesis statement (elements and principles, success or improvement, more details on 3 cs)

wRap-up: provide closure for the paragraph, leave reader with a deep thought and circle back to the topic sentence(how would you improve this artwork, what did you learn?)

Explain your concept, how you met the criteria of the assignment, the way that you used the media (craftsmanship) and the design of your project (composition). Explain which elements and principles of art you used in your work and how they are evident in this art assignment. Describe the success you feel you had with this project and explain any improvements you feel you could make and tell how you might make them.