

Erase Injustice Fabric Collage

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(The pattern for this project was adapted from the quilt block designed by Melinda Newton. Ms. Newton designed the block with the help of the students from the Social Justice Sewing Academy.)

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You will need:

9" x 12" canvas board or construction paper, or cloth.

Scraps of grey, black, orange, green, and pink fabric.

Scissors

Colored pencil

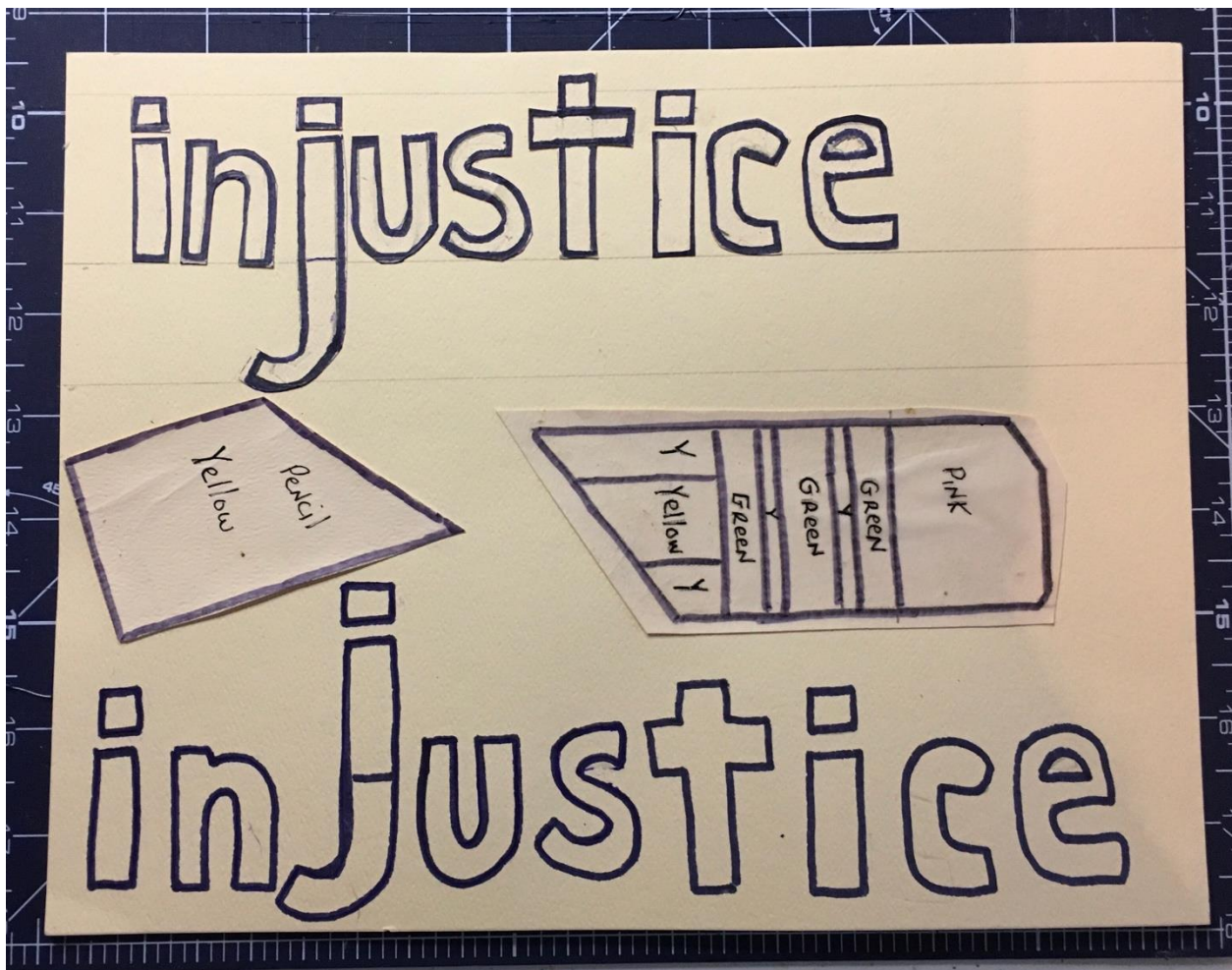
Glue Stick and Elmer's glue

Template for collage

Strip of African fabric to make a frame around your canvas(optional)

1. Cut out the letters and template for the top of the pencil.
2. Before tracing make sure you place the letters on the fabric backwards.
3. On the wrong side of the fabric use a colored pencil to trace the letters "in" on the grey fabric.
4. On the wrong side of the fabric use a colored pencil to trace the letters "justice" on the black fabric.
5. Cut the letters out and place them to the side.
6. Place the pencil template backwards on the wrong side of the orange fabric. Trace and cut out.
7. Cut the eraser section off the template. Trace it on the pink fabric and cut out.
8. Cut out the green sections of the template and trace them on the green fabric and cut out.

9. Put together the pieces of your pencil and place it at the top of your canvas with the angle side to the edge.
10. Glue the pencil pieces together.
11. Place the letters for "injustice" approximately an inch below the pencil. With the slanted edge of the eraser closest to the letters.
12. Glue the letters in place. Use the line on the "j" as a guide for aligning the letters. No letters should be glued on below that line.
13. Add the border fabric around the edge of the canvas.
14. Brush the entire collage with Mod Podge or white glue and let dry.





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