

The 2012 Interdependence Hexagon Project VI

Connect your students to real-world issues and participate
in an international celebration!



HEXAGON

A composition of complex
relationships, interdependent lines, like bonds of
human connection.

Maintains its own presence as a shape, symbol of light
and life.

Destined to be part of a whole - a splendid
architectural element,
forever expandable.

Multiples attach and strengthen one another to become
an infinite network of connections.

ARTIST

Interprets and articulates.

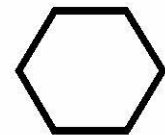
Makes vivid and comprehensible the complexities of our
world

through symbols- shapes, words, music, dance, theater.

Creates compositions that speak the ineffable.

Provides new
insights into everyday realities.

Synthesizes,
makes conclusions, takes a stand, must come to terms
with content and materials, sometimes collaborates....
can change the world [?].





With these two words, hexagon and artist, we launch

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The History of Interdependence Day

- Interdependence Day was launched in Philadelphia on September 12 2003 as a post 9/11 symbol of regeneration, as a time to reflect on the tragedy of the incidents of terror, not only in the United States, but all over the world, and to ask ourselves, "What next?" It seemed critically important to acknowledge the inevitability and significance of interdependence in our time, and set out to build constructively and culturally, a civil global society.
- The goals of Interdependence are, by nature interdisciplinary. They require everyone to connect outside of their social, economic, political, artistic and academic "boxes" and interact in a different spirit - one that is more collaborative and creative.
- It is those who can think creatively and solve problems who will be most valued as the world confronts the dilemmas of inequality, injustice, unsustainable environmental conditions, improving health care, global governance and democracy and religious freedom.
- This project is an opportunity to engage youth in addressing any one or several of these themes.
[See "Themes" file]

I. General Description:

- The interdependence Day 2012 Committee is seeking artistic expressions from Junior High and High School students- both visual and text, for its worldwide celebration on September 12, 2012. [Exhibit opens on Friday, September 7, 2012]

