

# 21st Century Instructional Initiative Grant Recipients 2016-2017

## School Mural Project: Campus Beautification

Overlea High School

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### Arts & Culture

*Student created, designed and executed murals in common areas throughout the building (first floor lobby and main hallway). [One 12ft 5in x 7ft 7in, and one 13ft x 6ft 7in] The project taught them artistic skills and processes that they would otherwise not have access to.*

*Teachers, visitors, and fellow students offered direct feedback, support, and encouragement with the process as they saw us at work. This often lead to beneficial conversation concerning ways to improve our work, and made the revision process easier to digest in conversation.*

- Constant conversation
- Revision refinement
- Collaborative approach to skill set sharing
- Critical thinking
- School beautification



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