

# **Taking a Risk, Changing the World**

**This museum of freeze frames gave children an opportunity to use their own artwork and the computer. This also gave children a fun project not a boring one. These freeze frames portray committed and confident people. This project requires hard work and creativity.**

**The first freeze frame that stood out to me was Lucy's. Lucy put borders on all of her pictures. It also had some of her personality in it. When I saw people using the peace sign it made me think of her. Also when I saw the Disney Channel Friends for Change I knew she loved the stars involved in this project. I think she could make the captions longer.**

**The next freeze frame that stood out was Tia's. She had great pictures. Her captions were perfect. I thought that she put effort in to it because her frames were neat and centered. Her photograph of Neil Armstrong was connected to the title because he took a risk and changed the world. He was the first man to walk on the moon and return safely.**

**I would like people to come to see these freeze frames. They should see this exhibit because it presented about the past and present. You also saw their hard work. I learned more about committed and confident leaders. So come down and enjoy the exhibit.**

**Kasey Mull**

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**Take a risk, Change the World** an artistic project about leaders and how they epitomize the two words committed and confident. It is a wonderful presentation. Each student has two pictures or people that represent those two words. Each student had a creative and descriptive display. Five stars were earned by all.

**Lucy Weaver, one of the students from the Zebranie, used four very close people to her. John Lennon and Paul McCartney, two of the Beatles. Tony award winner Idina Menzel from her favorite play Wicked, and all of the Disney stars she helped in the Friends for Change green project filled her frames.**

**Each frame along with a picture had a caption describing why these people are committed or confident. Every person did a wonderful job describing their subjects and why they are confident or committed. Some of these people chose people that you would not have thought would be confident or committed. One of the students chose Adolf Hitler. Five stars for the Zebranie project, Take a Risk, Change the World.**

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**A striking display of student created freeze frames, arranged on tables in the Zebranie classroom of Hickory Day school left profound impressions on the viewer. Flashes of color, coupled with black and white photographs and hand drawn pictures on brightly colored construction paper illustrated how leaders in our world, past and present have taken risks and changed our world or beliefs today. The photographs or drawings illustrate what committed or confident mean to each of the five students. They explain why or how the students thought that they were committed or confident. This display was very entertaining and educational for all who visited it.**

**Each exhibit contains four leaders in a series. They are sometimes hand drawn. Some are photograph in black and white or color. “Confident” or “committed” label the photos, along with why the artist thought that particular person was. One example is President Barack Obama labeled with “Confident” as a label. The caption reads, “Obama was confident because he spoke in front of the world.” These “freeze**

**frames” are a tribute to the great leaders of our past and present.**

**Anyone who wishes to have a good time while being educated about leaders of our past and present should come to the show. The exhibit contains five pieces each containing four pictures or drawings, that are fun to view and teach you what you probably did not learn in school. The exhibit very cool to see. You should come to the exhibit.**

**One example that was particularly stunning displayed pictures and hand drawings. One of the drawings presented the first people to land on the moon, with the caption “ Confident”. This stood out to me because you could tell that the creator really took pride in her work and did not just print out pictures from the Internet. The pictures were chosen with time and effort put into them. The freeze frames that stood out to me the most were the ones that had time and effort put into them.**

**This exhibit is a glance into of the activities that the children in our schools are performing today. It is quite amazing to see, because the fifth and sixth grade is doing today what many people thought was not possible until high**

**school or even college. You may be astounded by the creativity of children and the eloquent simplicity of their work. Children today are working hard to ensure the future of our country.**

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**Our show has given us the freedom to express our artistic ability and show our knowledge of leaders. There was one person , President Obama, portrayed on many displays. He is known for his actions as a U.S. president and senator. He is also the first African American president. He has transformed our view of the American presidency.**

**Some posters in our show had color. Others did not. Those with color had a more vibrant display. Those without color did not catch your eye as much. Some posters had captions as long as a paragraph. Others had brief captions.**

**One artist drew pictures of Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin landing on the moon. They represented confidence. There was a picture of Adolf Hitler giving a speech in front of the German population. He was classified as a “committed” leader. There was a picture of Helen Keller, who was both deaf and blind, and her teacher, Anne Sullivan. She taught Helen to speak. She was clearly confident while trying to decipher what people were saying. Finally, the depiction of Albert Einstein, the scientific genius was clearly recognizable. He was committed to making an impact on the scientific community.**

**This show has been very interesting for both the artists, and their colleagues. Although it might not appeal to a magazine or newspaper editor , it would impress most others. Any parent or Grandparent would be happy to visit. I would definitely advise our show to any parent at our school. This show would be interesting to many people.**

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**This display of committed and confident leaders was wonderful. From the broad amount of committed and confident leaders, these were the most unique leaders. The pictures created a “video-slideshow” of great leaders in your mind, inviting you to think of yourself as if you were the leader, how hard it can be to talk in front of the world, the country or the local area and to not give up, These leaders on these small “freeze-frames” inspire many ideas.**

**The “freeze-frames” contain 4 different leaders, 2 committed and 2 confident leaders. Each picture has a caption. For instance, one of the leaders I chose was Barack Obama. He was confident and committed when he spoke in front of the whole world. Mostly were in the country, which has approximately 307 million people! This was wonderful! I could not believe a person could be so confident.**

**In addition, the Beatles, a famous music group was committed to making music! They created many musical pieces that inspired the world. Now today, many people from radio station workers to “Itunes” fans listen to these songs. They made an impact on music “history”.**

**These inspiring pieces of work are wonderful and inspiring. They show how citizens worked very hard to “rise up” in face of obstacles with commitment and confidence. These “freeze-frames” illustrate creativity and periods of history. ! "There is always a way if you're committed," said Anthony Robbins. Commit yourself to seeing this exhibit.**

**By Anton Klingspor**