



We're All Connected

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Medium: Graphite and Prisma Colored Pencils

Artist Statement

Being outside and connecting with nature benefits the soul. I love going outside and taking in all of Mother Natures beauty. Nature inspires my art because I personally feel like I have a connection with the environment. In my artwork, I try and connect humans to nature surrealistically. I connect humans to the natural world by adding human features to animals and insects or by adding plants and flowers to humans. Though, I never usually create photo realistic animals, plants, or insects, I do like to makes my pieces look like they could exist in the world. When using nature as my subject matter I feel like I can make “mistakes” because “in nature, nothing is perfect and everything is perfect.” By “paying tribute” to Mother Natures world I think that it reminds us as humans to go out and connect with nature.

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