

An Artist's Statement is a few sentences or a paragraph that describe the art for the people looking at it. This statement usually hangs near the artwork at a museum. Can you write your own artist's statement? Here are some questions to help you think of what to write.

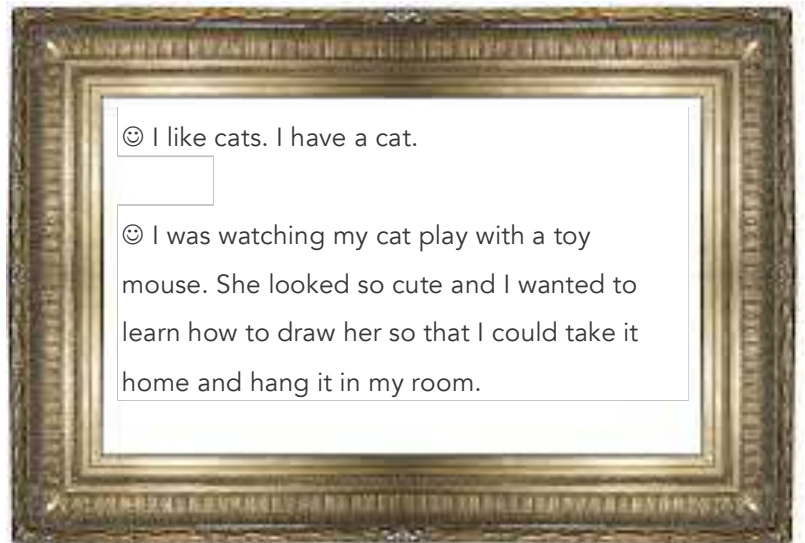
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Other ideas to include in your statement:

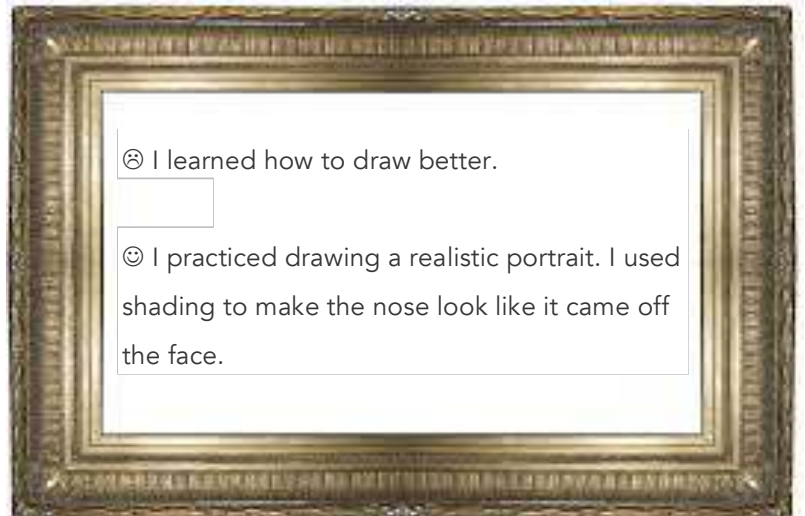
- Title of the Piece – this alone helps the viewer understand the subject or makes him/her think about your work in a different way.
- Why do you like to make art?
- What did you do? (Describe the artwork, including the type of art and what the main idea is.
- Was your art inspired by anything or anyone?
- What happened along the way? (Did anything interesting or unusual happen? Did you solve any problems in the process? Did you change my approach to doing the project? etc.)
- Did the project turn out how you expected? Why or why not?
- What did you learn through the art project?
- What would you do differently next time?
- Why is this piece important to you?

Artist Statements: Good Examples & Not-So-Good examples:

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