

Shepard Fairey, Propaganda Art, Screen Printing & Teenagers! Collection Page

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The resources below share 3 sessions in which teenagers aged 12+ explored the art of Shepard Fairey and went on to make their own screen printed "messages to the world".

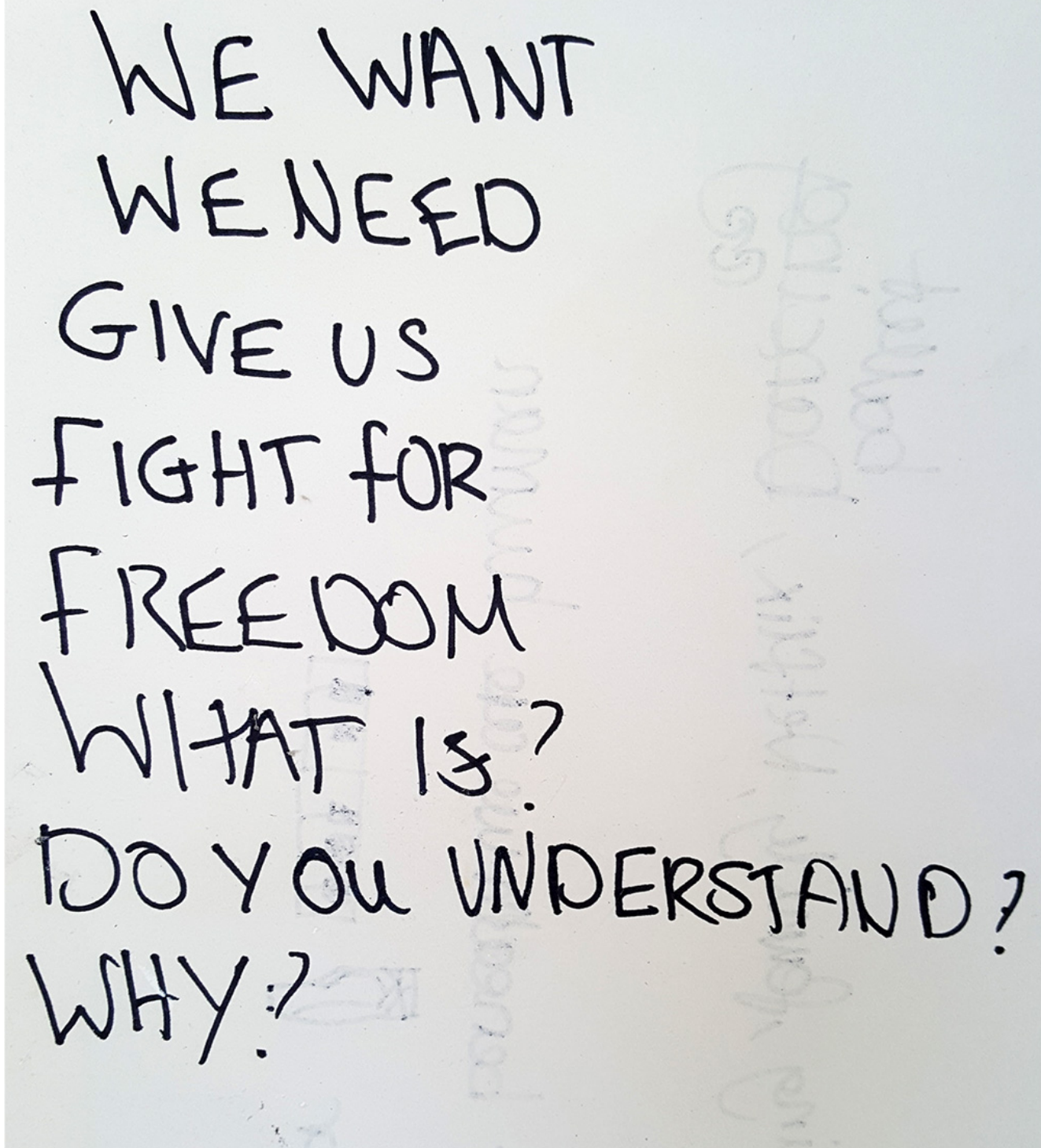
The resources are suitable for all ages KS 3 and 4, both in the classroom, after school club, and workshop settings in galleries and arts organisations.

1. An Exploration of Artwork by Shepard Fairey



Propaganda, Printmaking and Empowerment

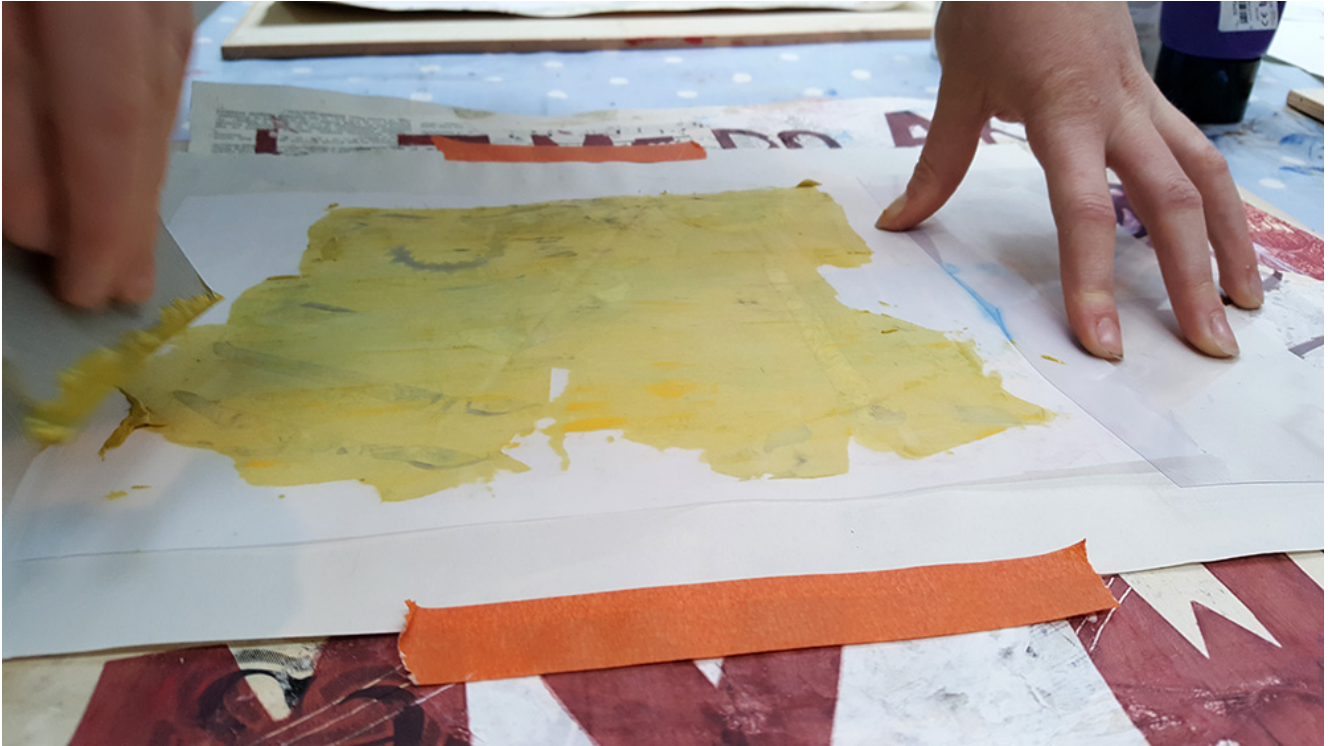
2. Find your "Message to the world"

A photograph of a piece of white paper with handwritten text in black ink. The text is written in a casual, slightly slanted, and somewhat irregular font. The words are stacked vertically, with some lines being longer than others. The background of the paper is slightly textured and has some faint, illegible markings. The overall tone of the image is simple and direct.

WE WANT
WE NEED
GIVE US
FIGHT FOR
FREEDOM
WHAT IS?
DO YOU UNDERSTAND?
WHY:?

[Help Teenagers Find Their Voice Through This Question & Answer Session](#)

3. Screen Printing with Screen Mesh: Screen Printing Hack



An easy way to screen print with a whole class, without the need for expensive screens!

4. Teenagers make propaganda art



Teenagers Make Work Inspired by the Processes of Shepard Fairey

5. Finished pieces



See the Finished Art Work!