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When I help others learn to draw, I also learn a lot of new things here. Making this video involves many things, many of which I haven't learned. Like editing, teaching and so on. I think this is a great experience, in the process of teaching others, I can also learn new things. It's like killing two birds with one stone. It's very tired to have your own project, because all things need to be handled by yourself, but the best thing is to do what you want and like without caring about other people's ideas or opinions.

My team originally is going to print the walls of a elementary school, but because the COVID-19. It been cancel. So I have to a new plan. It's still about drawing which is I am going to record a drawing teaching video. Because of COVID-19 we have no idea when can return to school. Though the video, hopefully the kids can learn some skills, then after return to school they draw the walls by them without us.

Teaching is hard. Teaching someone else is pretty hard. During I record the video I have to explain different steps, explain why this shadow is this side, explain why that is brighter and so on. Another part challenging me is clip video. Draw a picture need a lots of time, so i have clip the video into a appropriate length. Because I had never do it before, it took me some time to learn how to do it.

I think service learning can help students a lots things, for example it can help our build positive relationships with community members, develop a deeper understanding of ourselves and empathy and respect for others, connect our experiences to academic subjects, develop skills in critical thinking, problem solving, leadership, decision making, collaboration and communication, apply our energy and creativity to community needs, and increase public awareness of key social issues and so on. Others example are like building effective collaborative partnerships between schools or colleges and other institutions and organizations, engaging parents and other adults in supporting student learning, meeting community needs through the service projects conducted and providing engaging and productive opportunities for young people to work with others in their community. So through the examples above, serving learning is really a great way to use.

I will use the way of painting to draw the current affairs that the everyone pays close attention to recently, such as the environmental protection that people often mention recently.

Because COVID-19 most people stay home, so there are only few cars and few boats, it helps the environment of nature. Many animals that were hard to see before appeared in succession. I saw an example a few days ago. Lin was a high school classmate. In his spare time, he used blackboard and chalk to draw a sketch about animals and the garbage human throw into the sea. It will take some time, but the success of this method makes people concerned with painting and environmental protection at the same time.

Service learning can provide a very good opportunities of learning. It enhanced opportunities for learning, social skill development and gain increased knowledge of academic materials from our communities. It also a good time to practice the thing we learn from classroom. This way we can enhance our understanding of class materials. By working with team members, We can enhance our organization and interpersonal skills too. Because learning in the classroom is just learning those principles, we have no chance to actually operate, just talk with each other. But service learning gives us a good opportunity to actually use what we usually learn.

Service-Learning not only can contribute student development but also benefits other constituents. It can also contribute to their faculty, academic institutions and their communities. Service learning supports teachers' teaching by providing more real-world materials corresponding to the discussions in class.

Structured reflection activities centered on students' experience provide teachers with additional opportunities to guide students' learning. Service learning supports teachers' research and service interest through teachers' participation in the community. Increasing the participation of students and teachers in the community strengthens the relationship between academic institutions and their communities. Community members have access to valuable service time and opportunities.

We are students so we don't need to worry about making money, thus we will have a lot of time. Also the school teachers will provide us with many opportunities. If a person starts to act even just act at local, his action may affect another person, this person will influence the next person and so on, just like the movie pay it forward, if so, even serious things can be changed.

I have done the most profound is the school's auction, in that time we need to do a lot of things, such as serving meals, pouring water, sorting garbage and so on. Nevertheless, the school can get some donations to help and improve the teaching quality of the school, which is good for all of us. After graduation, I can use my skills to help other people and volunteer when I have free time, such as helping homeless and so on.

I think Tuesday affects me. Teachers or coaches often praise and reward students at this time. This method has effectively improved our self-confidence. Occasionally play games, play some cooperative games, through which students will become very united. Even if we can't participate in the game, the rest of us will cheer for those who are involved in the game. I feel that I have been involved in so many activities during this period of time. Tuesday time has been very successful in influencing on me spiritual growth. It taught me how to unity.

The principle of social justice refers to the values of "conducive to measures to reduce or eliminate inequality; promoting the inclusiveness of diversity; and establishing an environment that supports all". Unfortunately, despite our society's efforts to "build a better union," our society still maintains an institutional framework that exacerbates many injustices. Those in power in the economic and political system use this framework for their own benefit and for domination and discrimination against others.

My program is not a great plan, it just simply teach elementary school students how to draw, but in this period, what I can do is to give all people who watch my video equal opportunities to learn, without discrimination, without prejudice. Although it may be difficult for ordinary people like us to change the country, our efforts can make small but meaningful differences in our schools and communities. As long as we take a small step towards justice, we can deliver such hope to create a better world together.

We should use our talents to help those in need, not to deal with them. After all, love is God's gift to everyone, just like the Bible says that we should love our neighbors as same as love our families. Service learning is a good representation of what God wants us to do. Through service learning, we use our talents to help others. For example, I can draw, so I choose to make video to teach children. Although I am not as great as a hero, I still share my talent and help others according to God's hope.