

## Mural Wall Project



### Week 1: Constructing Panels

Students will be given all materials needed to build the panels. These panels are treated metal with plywood and fixtures for mounting to the fence. Students will work in groups to complete the panels, each representing a different environmental issue. The first class will be building the panels and beginning to envision their design. Our educators will bring in some insects and other creatures to inspire the students as they research a mission for their mural in this first week. Students will have the opportunity to create a mural that is not only beautiful while also raising awareness on an important environmental issue!

### Week 2: Stencil Creation

Insectarium and Butterfly Pavilion staff will help the students take their visions and sketch them into stencils. Students will have the opportunity to map out what they want to teach with their community/fellow classmates and how they want to visually represent this within their mural.

### Week 3: Stencil Implementation

Staff and students will take the completed stencils and use them to create both visually stimulating and educational murals for generations to come!

### Week 4: Panel Installation

Students will place their panels and install them onto the fencing or somewhere around the school for everyone to see!

### Week 5: Grand Opening Party

This is the student's time to show off their work and be proud of the time and effort that has gone into the creation of the mural wall. We will invite teachers, fellow students, parents, and more for students to show off their work in a final party with baked treats and sugary drinks! Students will have a platform to talk about their mural and why they designed it in the way they did.