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Subject: Creative Voices Showcase: Youth Resilience and Artistic Mastery



Celebrating Resilience, Passion, and Creativity at CADA

We are thrilled to share the success of our recently concluded **Creative Voices Project**, a transformative journey that officially wrapped up with a vibrant Mini Arts Exhibition at the CADA main office!

Originally scheduled for July 10–12, 2026, the exhibition was rescheduled to **July 25–26, 2026**, following short administrative and operational delays. True to the spirit of our organization and our young artists, we navigated these internal hurdles together, making the final presentation even more rewarding.

Three Months of Transformation

Launched in **April 2026**, the Creative Voices Project was designed as an intensive, three-month creative cohort. Over twelve weeks, participants were provided a safe space to explore visual

arts, refine technical skills, and use creative expression as a medium for growth and personal storytelling.

The culmination of this three-month journey brought together **10 talented, disadvantaged youth**, who proudly exhibited their original drawings and paintings right here at the CADA office.

Highlights from the Exhibition

The CADA office space was transformed into a colorful gallery displaying a wide array of works. From intricate line drawings to bold, expressive paintings, each piece reflected the unique perspective, emotional depth, and growth of our young creators.



"Art gave me a voice when I felt unheard. Seeing my work on display at CADA makes me feel proud of how far I've come over these three months."

Ngum Ernestine - **Creative Voices Project Participant**

Visitors, team members, and supporters gathered over the two-day event to admire the collection, engage with the artists, and celebrate their remarkable dedication.

Looking Ahead

While this chapter of the Creative Voices Project has closed, its impact continues. The confidence, technical grounding, and expressive tools gained by these 10 young artists will continue to serve them well beyond our walls.

We extend our deepest gratitude to our project facilitators, administrative team, and community supporters for making this program possible. Stay tuned to our website and channel updates for announcements on our upcoming cohorts and community initiatives!