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Dia de los Muertos

The person that has passed away is my mother, Dominique. She died when I was nine years old during the middle of ninth grade. She meant a lot to me because, you know, she was my mother and she still does. I decided to create a skull in remembrance to my mother because I had to for this assignment and because out of all the people that have passed away in my life, she means the most to me. The skull's eyes have a floral pattern that has a mixture of purple and lavender to signify her favorite flower, the lavender.

Her teeth are red and green because her favorite holiday was Christmas. There were leaf patterns on the bottom and top of the skull that I colored green because her favorite season was spring. The skull itself has a light blue coloring to it to signify that she died during the day. There are various lines on the skull mask, I colored them red because she died of an aneurism.

Before I learned about 'Dia de los Muertos' remembering my mother was usually a really sad process. However I learned that the holiday was celebrated in Mexico and celebrated the passing of people close to them instead of mourning them. I thought that was better than the American tradition of just mourning and feeling sad. That's why I decided to make an effort to make certain anniversaries like my mom's death day and birthday happier. However that doesn't mean it isn't sad, I just make an effort to make it happier and easier to bear.

Me llamo Max Brown y por mi proyecto por la clase de español yo creo una máscara de calavera. Yo creo una máscara de calavera por mi madre, ella muerta cuando yo tuve nueve años. Mi madre se llama Dominique y ella nació al norte de Francia en Normandía. Ella tuvo el pelo negro y ella fue corta, ella amaba los zapatos y los coleccionaba cuando estaba viva. Dominique vivió en Filadelfia a la vez que ella muerta. Ella muerta porque un aneurisma en su cabeza. En conclusión ella nació en Normandía y ella muerta porque un aneurisma en su cabeza.

