**Heart Felt and Sew Kind:** Cross stitch hearts

**Objectives**
- Students will define ‘craftivism’ by exploring the various definitions of the word and the artists who call themselves ‘craftivists.’
- Students will learn cross stitch
- Students will use yarn to cross stitch cardboard hearts in order to send them to local organizations and people as an act of gratitude

**Grade Levels:**
5th-7th

**Vocabulary and Terms**
Activism, Craftivism, cross stitch

**Resources**

**Materials**
Cotton yarn, plastic needles, cardboard heart cross stitch template

**Procedures**
1. Define activism and the various definitions of craftivism
2. Allow students to research a craftivist or craftivist movement and present to class
3. Students create craftivist definition as a class
4. Students will create a list of organizations and people to send the hearts to as a gratitude gram
5. Students will send hearts to people and organizations on list