

OVERREACTION



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I was introduced to the Magnify Voices Expressive Art Contest as an optional school project. I was inspired to create this specific piece by the idea of overreacting to something small, and my experience of forced anxiety.

My piece depicts a firefighter, a trained professional scared of nothing, using his entire force of his hose to spray out a lone campfire. It represents how people will see something small and assume the worst thing that could happen will happen, this small fire will burn the trees and destroy homes, and instead of acting calmly they are irrational.

