Personal Project Reflection

Overall, I really enjoyed this project. Before taking this class, I feel like I had a pretty basic understanding of Illustrator. After this whole class and this project, I think I have a better understanding of Illustrator and am able to use it basically with no hiccups throughout. During this project, I really enjoyed being able to simply think of something and draw it onto the artboard. Throughout this class, I have struggled with being creative and being able to put my ideas onto paper. I feel like with this project though, my ideas really came through.

I wanted to do this project for my personal project because back in digital media I when we made the minimalist movie poster, I really enjoyed that project. Throughout working on this project, I never really had an issue with creative block. I thought of a movie and thought of things that would represent the movie well, then proceeded to draw them in Illustrator. One of the movies that took me a while to think a poster for was “The Big Short.” I knew the idea that I wanted the poster to show, but it took me a while to think of a way to but that into art form in Illustrator. Overall, I think this project was very fun. I enjoyed being able to think of a poster then simply but it onto paper. Although I don’t plan on pursuing a career in digital media or graphic design, I think these skills will help me later on in life.