

Celebrating Writers and Writing in our Communities

Volume 4

Article 16

2022

Helping My Community

Emilia Prim

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.humboldt.edu/rwc>

Recommended Citation

Prim, Emilia (2022) "Helping My Community," *Celebrating Writers and Writing in our Communities*: Vol. 4, Article 16.

Available at: <https://digitalcommons.humboldt.edu/rwc/vol4/iss1/16>

This Informational/Argument is brought to you for free and open access by the Journals at Digital Commons @ Cal Poly Humboldt. It has been accepted for inclusion in Celebrating Writers and Writing in our Communities by an authorized editor of Digital Commons @ Cal Poly Humboldt. For more information, please contact kyle.morgan@humboldt.edu.

Helping My Community

by Emilia Prim

In our towns and cities, places like playgrounds are not baby proof, kids can run away at any time. Once I was babysitting a toddler and I turned around for one second to talk to his older brother, "Emilia can I have a snack-uh oh," he said I turned around and the baby wasn't anywhere to be seen! So his older brother and I searched for him "Where could he be?!" I exclaimed as I checked a tunnel, and there he was hiding in the tunnel. I had to work for my money. I was super happy I got paid and I got to go shopping. When I got home I thought about other kids who can't have jobs, and how I could change that.

How will kids get jobs? I have thought of a center where kids and grownups can go to talk something out and the kids will be able to do jobs, babysitting, and more. The centers would be safe so kids my age and older can be dropped off without their parents and without being worried about.

If these centers become a thing more kids will have jobs which means more kids will be out during the day babysitting or anything like that. And if more kids are out things will need to be safer like I said about when I was babysitting and the toddler wandered off so, maybe there could be fences around safe parks with baby safe gates.

And to add on to a few new things in Humboldt County, we should also have a new shopping center so that kids who earn money can go shopping. Our current mall is pretty small and most of the small businesses have closed down so all that is left is the big corporations and even only some of the big corporations are here. Most people here would like some other nicer stores.

In conclusion, I think our community would be a better place for kids of all ages if we had more safe parks and nicer shopping malls. So, in the future when I'm babysitting I will think of the changes we could make to our community and try not to lose the baby.