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As a homeschooled child (from toddler years to age nine) I understand the world in a way a normal-schooled child would not. I've grown up with play and imagination, they play all of two pretend games. Being able to have a tailor custom fit education made my young brain develop to critical thinking (something people take courses to learn). Homeschool cannot be delivered by just anyone, not every parent has the patience and understanding for their child's process, but those who can are to be respected in that regard. Telling them to teach their child the state curriculum defeats the purpose of homeschooling, it's meant to be the school that makes the child understand the world, in a way that works for them, the state process doesn't give much leeway for that. My name is [REDACTED] and I was home schooled from what would have been school years prep to 3, I began at public school in 2020 (year 4). I am currently 13 (in year 8) at a catholic college.