To: The Committee Members

From: Vivi Flores Villela

Date: April 18, 2024

Re: Proposal for continuing research about children’s reliance on social media

Please allow me to continue researching children’s reliance on social media.

Throughout my Spring 2024 semester in ENG 102, I composed three papers researching children’s reliance on social media. In Paper 1, I defined the conditions in which children learn inappropriate behaviors from their immersion in online environments. In Paper 2, I wrote an annotated bibliography, which thoroughly evaluated sources related to my topic to create recommendations for the next paper. In Paper 3, I utilized those sources to create recommendations for my audience to prevent children from immersing themselves in online environments.

In the conclusion of Paper 3, I listed the limitations of my research and how future research can overcome those limitations. In my research, I approached my topic without considering multiple possibilities in how children become reliant on social media. To overcome those limitations, I stated that future research should study multiple causes of children becoming immersed in online environments and eventually developing a reliance on those online environments. By studying multiple causes of how children become immersed in online environments, future research may develop other recommendations fitting diverse situations.

Throughout my Spring 2024 semester, I’ve continuously improved my writing skills. By allowing me to continue my research on children’s reliance on social media, I will seize the opportunity to improve my writing skills further. In improving my writing skills, I will be able to create recommendations fitting multiple situations skillfully.