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Wild animals should be protected.

High-fructose corn syrup should be banned.

Kids who are 12 and over should be allowed to vote for the president.

It's been proven that diversity in wildlife helps maintain a healthy ecosystem.

Studies show that if we consume too much, it can cause health problems, like obesity and diabetes.

The president, and the president's decisions, affect everyone—including kids.

Video games help kids learn.

We should be allowed to choose what we want to learn in school.

Not all junk food is bad.

Some studies have shown that certain types of games can help kids learn problem-solving skills.

We will be more interested and involved at school if we get to make our own choices.

Doctors agree that it is okay to eat sweets in moderation, as long as you have a balanced and healthy diet overall.

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**The book is
always better
than the movie.**

**Kids should not
use social media.**

**You should eat
lunch at
Gordo's restaurant.**

For example, in
Harry Potter, many
important scenes
were missing
or abbreviated.

Experts agree that
cyberbullying is a
growing problem
on many
popular websites.

Their double-stuffed
burrito has
won awards.

**You should never
use plastic straws.**

**I think soccer
is the best sport.**

**I would argue
that strawberries
are the best fruit.**

Scientists have found
that eight million
tons of plastic waste
end up in our oceans
every year.

You are probably
aware that it is
beloved all over the
world, unlike other
sports that are only
popular in one or
two countries.

In my experience,
they taste sweeter
than bananas
and apples.