

Hi Roman!

I've reviewed your prototype carefully and I think it's pretty good. You clearly divided each module into sections, such as challenge and POV, which allowed me to understand what your goals and direction were before I even started reading your comic.

I particularly enjoyed your topic, which explores how children aged five to eight handle social interactions and everyday conflicts with their peers. We all know that learning to control emotions and master social skills is much more challenging for children than for adults. Kids are definitely more sensitive than adults, but that's exactly why it's so important for them to practice handling emotions and conflicts early on. One day, the children who read your educational cartoons when they were young will be grateful.

I think your comics perfectly captures the core of your message. Your character, Leo, initially feels aggrieved, sad, and even a little angry about not getting the red ball (he'd waited a long time). But instead of losing his temper, he tries to calm down. After calming down, he engages in friendly conversation with Bree, the other child who got to play with the red ball. Ultimately, the two become friends and play together. I think Leo's handling of the situation is excellent! The entire cartoon vividly illustrates how children should handle potential conflict.

Despite this, I think there are still some areas for improvement. For example, regarding the age range, you could change it from 5-8 to 4-8, or even 3-8. I believe that children aged 3 or 4 already have sufficient communication skills. Even if they don't attend kindergarten, they're likely to play with other children their own age, such as relatives' or neighbors' children. Another point I want to point out is the last paragraph of your IDEATION section. In that section, I noticed one thing---in the beginning you only mentioned two parents, but at the end you wrote "3rd parent." I guess what you meant is probably that the second parent actually did three steps (naming, recognizing, embracing). Maybe just rephrasing it a bit would make it flow more smoothly.

To sum up, your prototype is perfectly great, and I'm looking forward to seeing your final draft!