Unschooled Kids Mythbusting

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Generalizations make the baby jeebus weep. And I'm getting a bit over them to be honest. Lets bust some myths shall we?

Unschooled kids are all weird. You know what? Some are. REALLY weird even. But then there are a whole bunch of kids who have never set foot inside a school who are all decidedly un-weird. Like any group of kids they will all be different.

Unschooled kids look like they fell out of the thrift shop bin. Sometimes I see a group of kids (including mine) that will all be dressed quite "eclectically" and I often think that we look like what homeschoolers are "supposed" to look like. But that doesn't account for everyone. It's not against the rules to have nice, fashionable clothes for unschooled kids to wear. And you know I buy my girls fancy MATCHING outfits to wear at xmas right?

Unschooled kids play Minecraft all day. Some do. Some don't. You don't get a merit badge if your kid likes computer games nor are you a morally superior person if you kid has never heard of Skylanders.

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