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Rewrite, Refine, and Shine

Good writers don't just write - they *revise*. Every strong paragraph or story starts out messy and gets better through editing. Today, you'll team up with **Google Gemini** to see how AI can help polish writing. But here's the twist: Gemini isn't the final editor **you are**.

You'll look at a short piece of writing, ask Gemini to improve it for clarity, tone, and grammar, then decide which edits make sense and which ones don't. Great writers know when to take advice - and when to trust their own voice.

Directions: Read the paragraph below. Copy and paste it into **Google Gemini** and ask:

"Please improve this paragraph for clarity, tone, and grammar, but keep the original meaning."

Compare Gemini's revision to the original. Highlight or note what changed. Decide which edits make the writing stronger and which you would keep your way. Reflect on what this activity taught you about your own writing style.

The Original Paragraph: I went to the park yesterday it was really fun and I saw my friends there. We played soccer for a while but then it got too hot so we sat under a tree and talked. Then we went to get ice cream and I got chocolate but it melted fast so it was kind of messy but still good. I like summer because there is always something fun to do outside.

Your Gemini-Improved Version (Write or Paste Here):

Name _____

Compare and Reflect:

1. What changes did Gemini make?

(check all that apply)

- ☐ Fixed grammar or punctuation
- ☐ Reorganized sentences for flow
- ☐ Added or removed words
- ☐ Changed tone or word choice
- ☐ Other: _____

2. Which edits made the writing better? Why?

3. Which edits did you not agree with? Why?

4. What did this teach you about revising your own writing?
