I will only ever have two teeth because I was born with ectodermal dysplasia. **BUT**

I need teeth to help me chew, eat and digest nutritious food so I can grow.

I need teeth in order to speak words clearly.

I need teeth to help me smile without being made fun of.

Insurance companies say dental care to replace my missing teeth is cosmetic.

Because of that, my parents and I will have to spend about $150,000 in my lifetime for dentures and dental implants so that I always have teeth.

**DO YOU STILL THINK TEETH ARE COSMETIC?**

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