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I Can Do Anything That's Everything All On My Own

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I have this little sister Lola.
She is small and very funny.
At the moment, Lola likes to say,
"I can do anything that's everything
ALL on my own."



Lola says,
"I can button up my coat
ALL on my own."



I can use the computer
ALL on my own.

And I can DEFINITELY
pour pink milk
ALL on my own."



I say, "Let me help, Lola."

But she says, "NO.
I can do anything
that's everything
ALL on my own."

So then I say,
"Lola, helping is
VERY important."

What about the
milk monkeys
in the jungle?

How do you think
they get their
pink milk?