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Sommario/riassunto	Argues that from the late eighteenth century through the early twentieth, American literary and political texts used the figure of the child to represent U.S. national belonging.