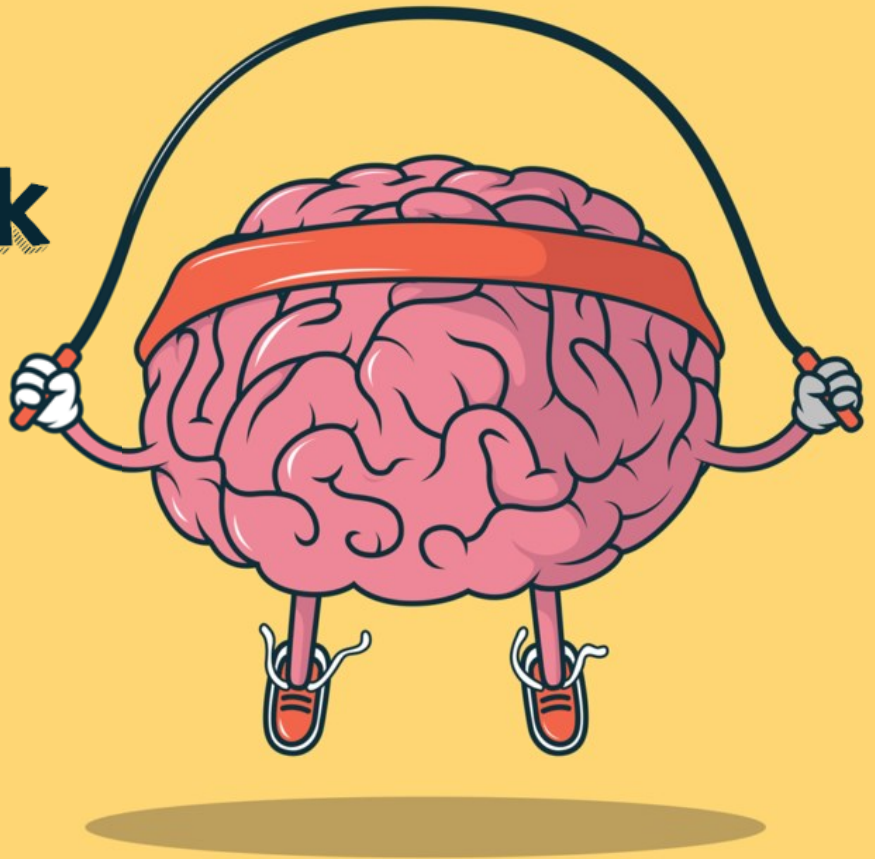


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**This week  
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learning  
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### Literacy

In our writing lessons this week, the children will practise separating their work into paragraphs. They will explore how and why we use paragraphs, understanding that they start a new paragraph when they start a new topic or focus. The children will reflect on the weekend and write a recount of the memorable events. At home, encourage your child to separate their work into paragraphs when they are writing.

### Maths

In Maths this week, the children will be studying fractions. We will review fractions of a shape. Then, we will identify the numerator and denominator in fractions. The numerator is the number that sits at the top. It represents how many equal parts of the whole are present. The denominator is the number at the bottom. It tells us how many equal parts the whole is divided into. We will follow the steps to calculate a fraction of a number, first dividing and then multiplying. We will calculate a fraction of a quantity, working through the steps in the correct order e.g.  $\frac{1}{5}$  of 20 equals 4 because 20 (quantity) divided by 5 (denominator) equals 4. At home, encourage your child to practise fractions when they are cooking with you.

### Science

In Science this week, the children will continue their investigation of the weather. This week, we will explore the different weather found during the different seasons, explaining which month each season occurs in and identify the weather. We will focus on winter. We will identify common weather types during this season as well as changes we can see in nature. As part of this we shall explore how snow forms. At home, your child can explore the differences between climate and weather.