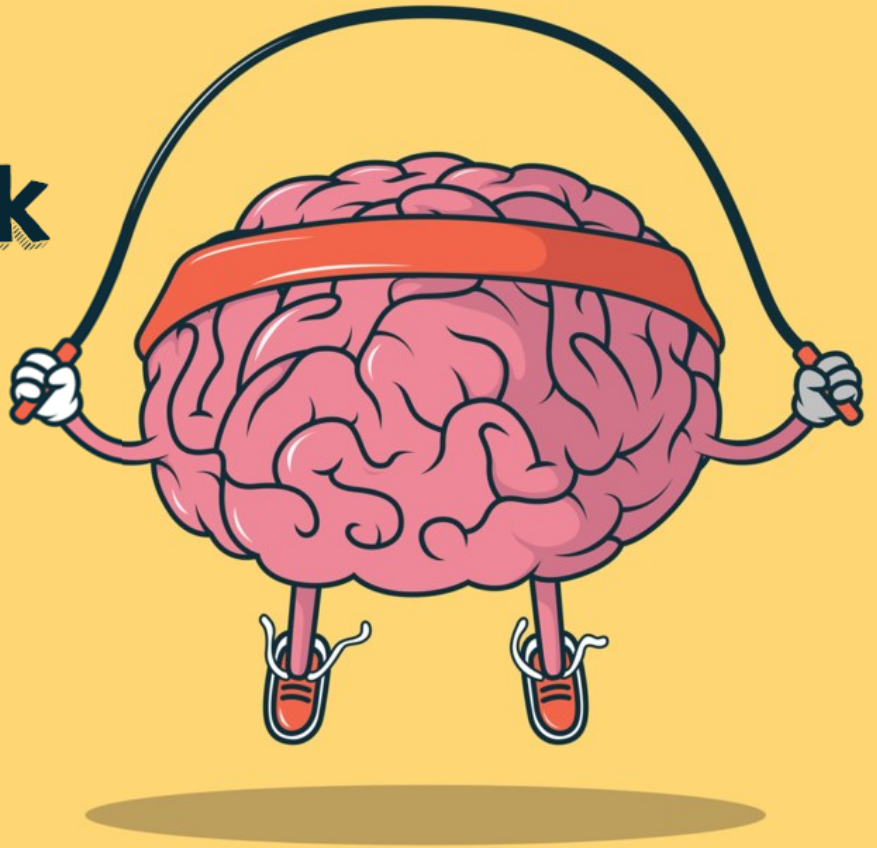


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Maths

This week, the Hedgehogs' class will be looking at squares and the properties of a square. For example, they have 4 edges and 4 corners. We will be looking in our environment to see what objects are in the shape of a square too. At home, you can support your child's learning by doing a shape hunt looking for squares.

Literacy

This week, the Hedgehogs' class will be looking at trains. We will discuss our own train experiences and what they look like. We will be helping the children to hold a pencil effectively with a tripod grip, to draw a train and look at some details. For example; the wheels are round circle and the carriage is a rectangle. At home, you could encourage your child to practise their writing skills by creating their own train ticket.

Physical, Social and Emotional Development

This week, we will be looking at how we look after ourselves and keep ourselves clean and fresh! The children will be learning about how to brush their teeth, brush their hair and, washing their hands. This will help encourage their independence as they grow into big Hedgehogs. You can reinforce this at home, by encouraging your child to take more independent steps in their care routines at home, such as brushing their own teeth or using their own hair brush.