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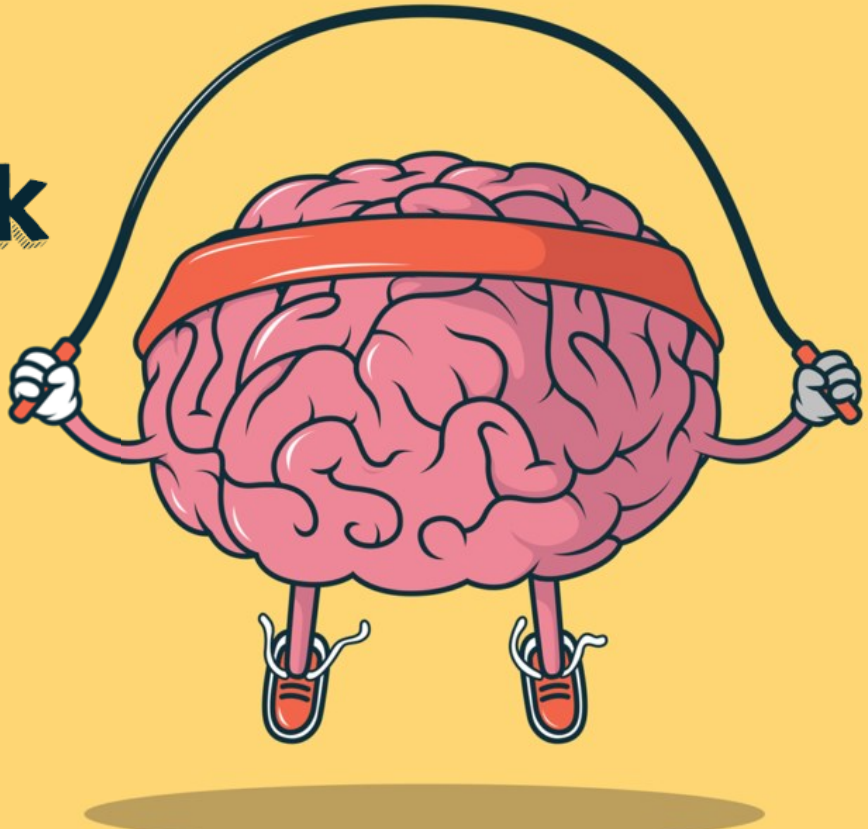
This week we are learning to...



Literacy

This week, the children will be drawing the different creatures from the story ‘Sharing a Shell’ by Julia Donaldson. The children will be looking at the features and characteristics of the characters too. The class will also be trying to think of their own ending to the story and answer the question, ‘What do you think happens next?’ We will be continuing to encourage the children to use the pinching crab technique to hold the pencil with their thumb and first two fingers.

Maths

This week, the children will be using objects to represent the quantity of up to 5. The children will be exploring space and singing the rhyme ‘5 Little Men in a Flying Saucer’. The children will remove an object or finger when a little man flies away and recounting the remaining amount. At home you can support your child’s counting by encouraging them to count out objects up to 5.

Expressive Arts and Design

This week, the Hedgehogs’ class will be looking at the artist Yayoi Kusama. The children will be looking at creating Dot work whilst exploring colours and observing how some colours can be mixed to create new ones. To support this at home, you can get your child to create paintings inspired by the artist Yayoi Kusama. See what colours they use and encourage them to describe what happens when they are mixed.