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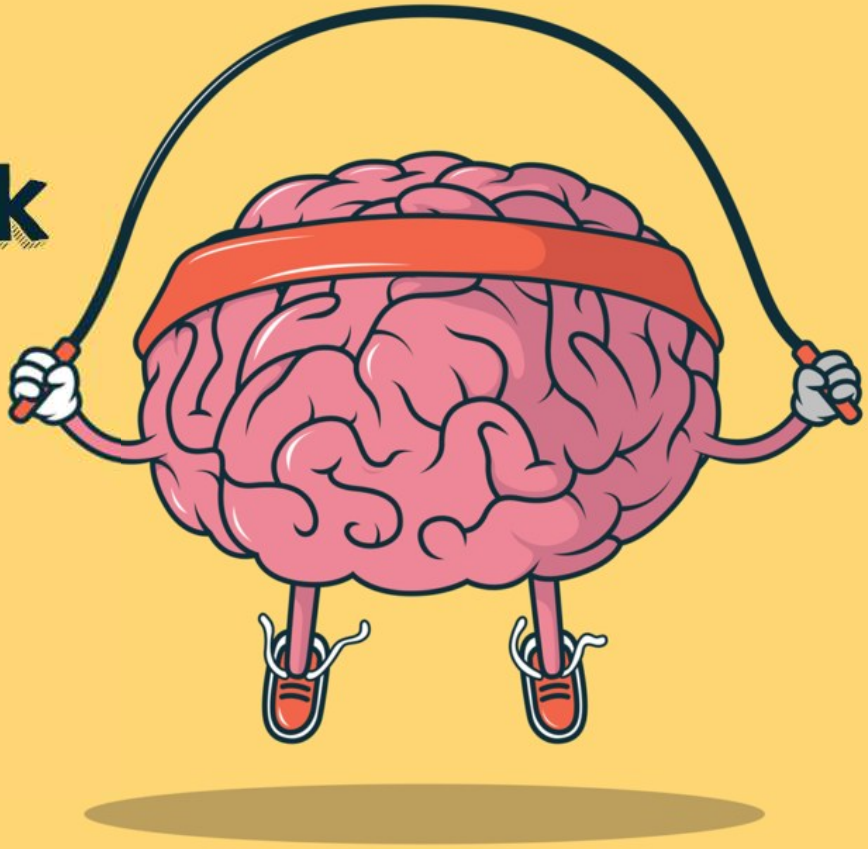

Literacy

This week in our Creative Writing lesson, the children will be heading into the great outdoors—right from the classroom! This week, the children will be immersed in a camping role play experience, sparking imagination, teamwork, and language skills. Children will be encouraged to create a packing list of things they will need on the trip using their phonics knowledge. Through this activity, children will: use their phonic skills to sound out and write words for camping items, develop vocabulary related to outdoor adventures and practise writing for a real-life purpose in a fun and meaningful context.

Maths

This week in our Maths Number lesson, the children will go on a Number Bonds Adventure where the children will become a Number Detective, solving puzzles and cracking codes with their super maths brain! Children will learn to recall number bonds to ten using real objects like counters, cubes and toys. Some suggestions for home include a 'Snack Bond Challenge'. You can use ten raisins, crackers, or cereal pieces. You can split the items into two groups and work out what the number bond is together. Then children can eat the answer! You could also play 'Rainbow Bonds' by drawing a rainbow with ten arches. Then fill each with a pair of numbers that make ten. Use stickers, colours, or glitter to make it magical!

Science

This week in our Science lesson, the children will be exploring the fascinating world of light. Children will be encouraged to observe, test, and discuss different materials and surfaces to discover which ones reflect light best. They'll use torches, mirrors, and shiny objects to explore how light behaves and how reflection helps us see. You can try these fun activities at home to support your child's learning. 'Torch Test'- get a torch and a variety of household items (spoons, paper, foil, plastic or fabric). Shine the light on each one—does it reflect? Talk about why some objects shine and others don't. 'Mirror Hunt'-Go on a mirror hunt around the house. How many mirrors can you find? What happens when you shine a light into them? Can you bounce the light onto a wall?

Project

This week in our Project lesson, our young historians will be diving into the fascinating past of one of England's most iconic landmarks the Tower of London! Children will explore the key features of the Tower, including its famous White Tower, the moat, the battlements, and its role as a royal palace, prison, and fortress. They'll learn how the Tower has changed over time and why it remains such an important part of British history. At home you could use building blocks, cardboard, or Lego to create a model of the Tower of London. Talk about the different parts with your child can you add a drawbridge or turrets?