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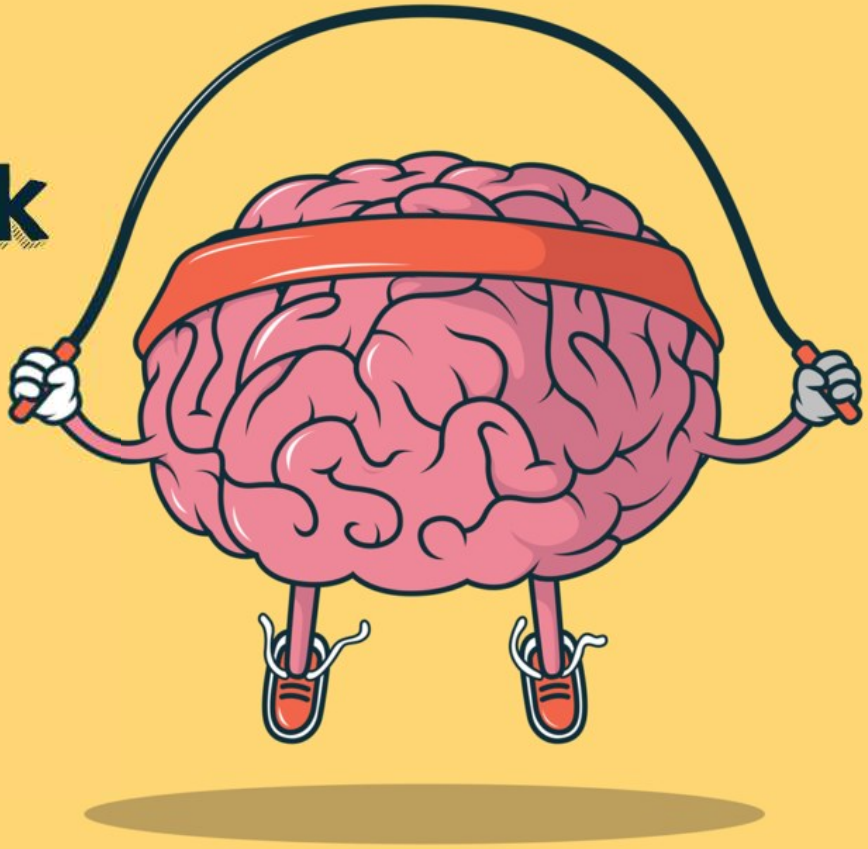

Literacy

This week in our Creative Writing lesson, children will be diving into an exciting, child-initiated activity based on a frozen scene! Using resources such as penguins, ice, a water tray, and a rich selection of descriptive vocabulary, children will explore how to bring their writing to life through the use of adjectives. Through imaginative play and sensory experiences, children will be encouraged to describe what they see and feel, helping them build vivid and expressive sentences. We're looking forward to seeing their creativity shine! At home, encourage your child to practise writing sentences based on their own role-play set ups.

Maths

This week in our Maths Number lesson, the children will be exploring the concept of addition through engaging pictorial strategies. Using visual representations such as drawings, number lines, and objects, they'll begin to build a strong foundation in early number operations. Pictorial strategies help children visualise mathematical ideas, making abstract concepts more concrete and accessible. This approach supports deeper understanding and sets the stage for future problem-solving skills. We're excited to see their confidence grow as they work together and discover the joy of numbers! At home, encourage your child to have a go at addition using their favourite toys.

Science

This week in our Science lesson, the children will be exploring the fascinating world of light and shadows through hands-on experiments in the classroom. Using torches and everyday objects, they'll investigate how shadows are formed and what affects their shape and size. Children will be encouraged to ask questions, make predictions, and observe how light behaves when it meets different materials. This exciting topic will help build their understanding of scientific enquiry and will encourage curiosity about the world around them. We're looking forward to a bright and shadow-filled week of discovery! At home, encourage your child to have a go at turning off the lights and drawing their own shadows using white paper and torches.

Project

This week in our Project lesson, children will be stepping back in time to learn about a significant event in British history called 'The Blitz'. Through stories, images, and discussion, they'll explore what life was like in London during World War II and how the city and its people were affected. Children will learn about air raids, evacuation, shelters, and the resilience of the people of London during this challenging time. This topic helps build empathy, historical understanding, and an appreciation for how communities come together in times of crisis. We're looking forward to powerful conversations and meaningful learning as we explore this important chapter in our nation's past. At home, encourage your child to have a go at interviewing family members of their knowledge of London.