

Morning Starters: Summer 2 - Brilliant Brain

Word Challenge

Memory Challenge

1) Spend 30 seconds looking at the list of brain-related words below.

electricity	computer	memory	oxygen
Einstein	thinking	skull	organ
water	complex	mind	cells

2) Cover the words and see how many you can remember by writing them down.

Grammar Challenge

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Create a sentence by rearranging the words below:

in 1955 Since his death Albert Einstein's brain studied scientists has been by many

Help: Start with the word 'Since' and end with the word 'scientists'.

Did You Know?

Our brain is amazing! It's made of 86 billion neurons – tiny cells that send messages and allow us to think, move and remember! It consumes 20% of our total oxygen intake, is 75% water and can generate enough electricity to light up a lightbulb! It is like a supercomputer, processing more information than we can imagine. Looking after it is important because it's what makes you, you!



Credit: BBC Two - Dara O' Briain's Science Club

Number Challenge

Fact: If all the neurons in your brain were lined up, they would stretch for about 1,000 kilometres.



Make 1,000 by adding together two 3-digit numbers that can be made from just the digit cards above.

Example

$$103 + 897 = 1,000$$

Critical Thinking

If our brain controls everything we do, can we still be held responsible for our actions, or is the brain to blame? Why do you think this?