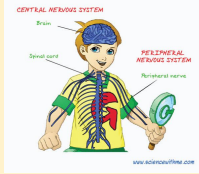


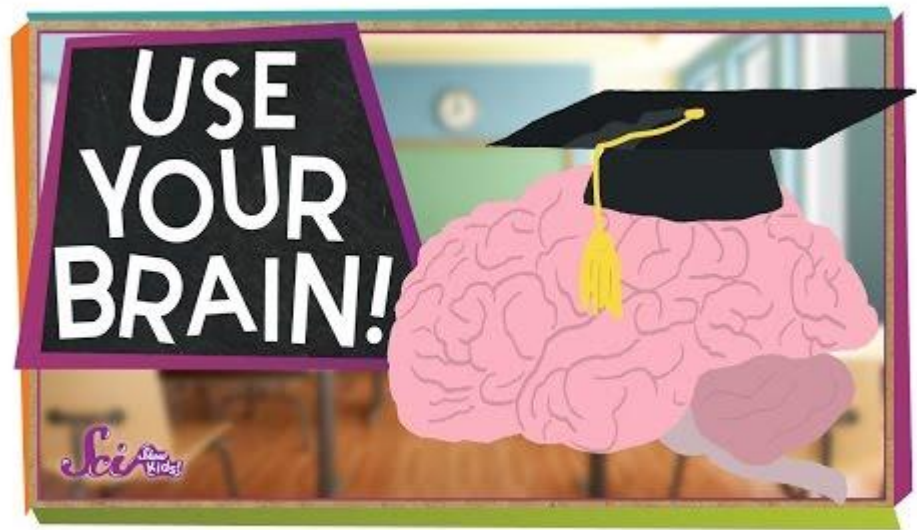


# Vocabulary

Word	Meaning	In a sentence	Picture
<b>neuro-</b>	Prefix meaning having to do with the nervous system which includes the brain and spinal cord	Our nervous system controls all parts of our bodies.	
<b>diverse</b> <b>diversity</b>	<b>Diversity means differences.</b> People may be different in many ways, including race or ethnicity, age, disabilities, language, culture, appearance, or religion.	The rainforest includes a diverse collection of plants and animals.	
<b>Autism</b>	A difference in the way a person's brain develops and works.	Autism is one type of <b>neurodiversity</b> .	



Autism - a difference in the way a person's brain develops and works. Kids with autism may have trouble understanding the world around them and may be experts in areas that interest them.

Autism is one of the ways in which people can be neurodiverse.



# THE GIRL WHO THOUGHT IN PICTURES

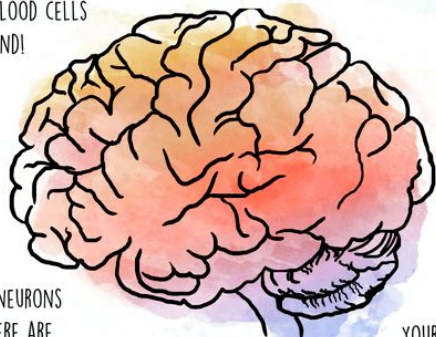
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# AMAZING FACTS ABOUT YOUR BRAIN!

BY DESIGN, OUR BRAINS ARE ALL  
ABOUT GROWTH AND CHANGE—  
AS IS THE WHOLE HUMAN BODY:  
YOUR BODY MAKES ABOUT 2  
MILLION NEW RED BLOOD CELLS  
EVERY SECOND!

DO YOU KNOW HOW POWERFUL  
YOUR BRAIN IS? IT CAN  
PRODUCE ENOUGH ELECTRICITY  
TO POWER A LIGHTBULB!



THERE ARE AS MANY NEURONS  
IN THE BRAIN AS THERE ARE  
STARS IN THE MILKY WAY:  
ABOUT 100 BILLION.

YOUR BRAIN PHYSICALLY  
STOPS GROWING AROUND AGE  
18, BUT IT KEEPS CHANGING  
FOREVER. EVEN AS AN ADULT,  
YOU CAN STILL GET BETTER  
AT ALL KINDS OF SKILLS.

