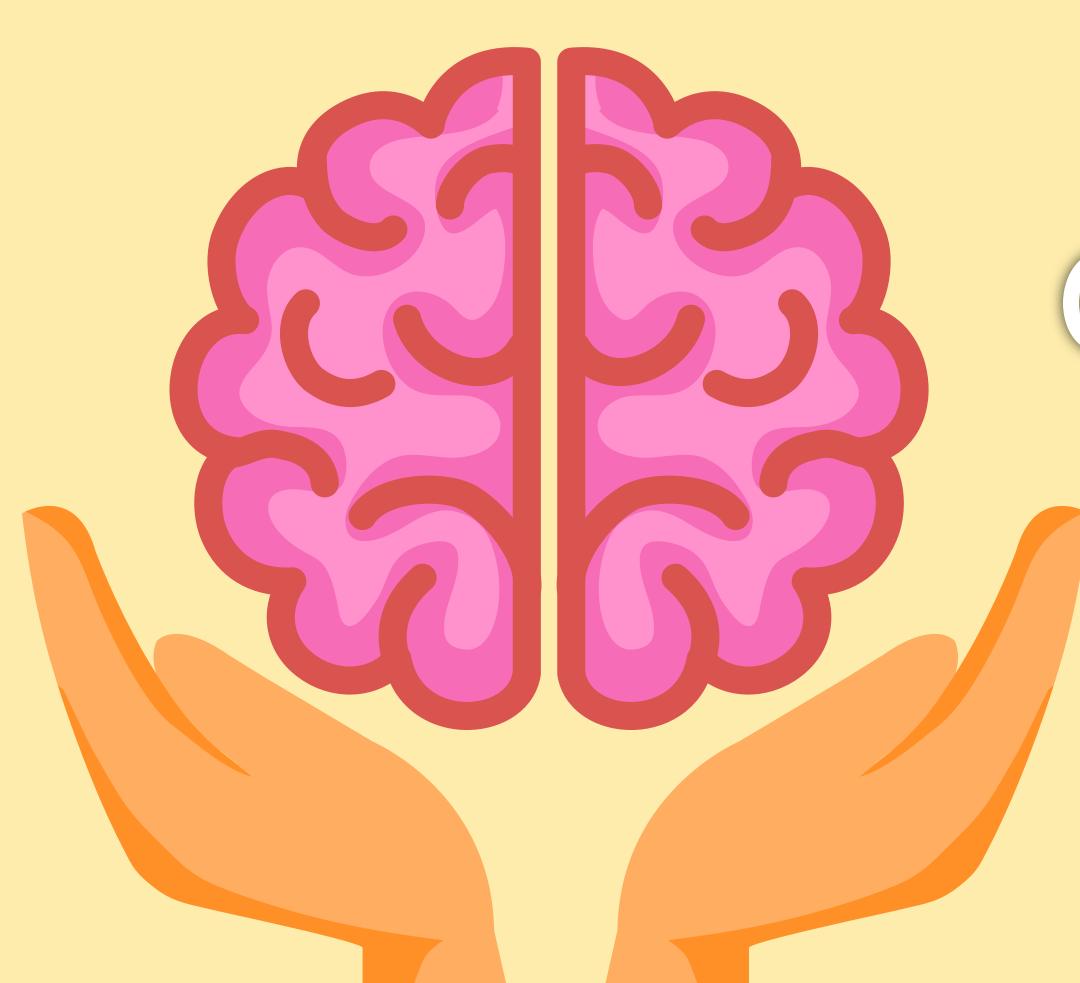
Our Voice Matters!









This week is

Children's Mental Health Week



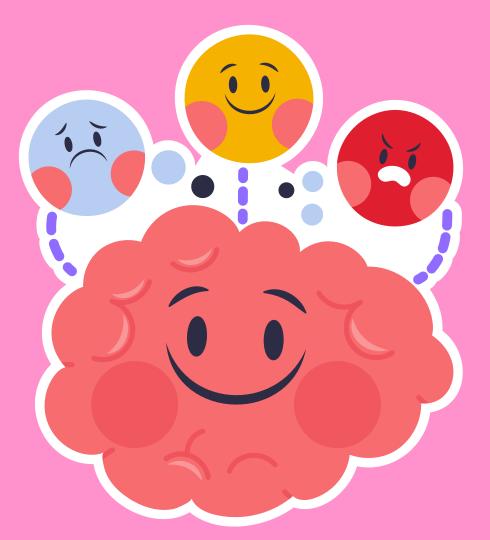
What is Mental Health?

Mental Health is all about ourbrain!



It is about feelings, thoughts, our behaviour, and the choices that we make. We have good Mental Heath or poor Mental Health.

When we have good Mental Health we are able to cope with what in happening in our lives. When we have poor Mental Health, everything feels a bit tricker to cope with.





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Children's Mental Health Week is all about learning about how to look after our minds and bodies.

Mental Health is just as important as our physical health. Let's learn more about how to look after our mental health and wellbeing by using our voices!





The theme of Children's Mental Health Week 2024 is

'My Voice Matters'



Children's rights:





Article 12:

I have a right to have my views respected and listened to.

Article 13:

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Article 12: I have a right to have my views respected and listened to.

Article 13: I have the right to talk about anything and to share my ideas.

What does this mean?

It means:



People should listen to us when we speak or have ideas.



We should feel like we are respected when talking to people.



We should feel confident to share our ideas and thoughts.



Article 12: I have a right to have my views respected and listened to.

How do we know when someone is listening to us?

They might be:













nodding

eye contact

facing their body towards us

clapping, smiling, laughing

repeating what we say

making us feel confident



Article 13: I have the right to talk about anything and to share my ideas.

We are allowed to talk about our ideas, share our views and talk freely about things that matter to us.



We have to remember to be:

respectful

appropriate

kind

understanding



All of our feelings matter!

We often experience BIG feelings, such as:



It is important that we talk about our feelings... (and use our Voice)!

Trusted grown-ups listen to us when we speak.

Trusted grown-ups respect our feelings.

Trusted grown-ups help us when we need help.

Who are your 5 trusted grown-ups? Have a think to yourself!

Trusted grown-ups are people we feel able to talk to.



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