



## Spring Term 2024 First Half



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# Welcome

We come together now into the presence of

God the Father who judges with justice,  
God the Son who offers forgiveness and  
God the Holy Spirit who helps us begin again.

Our Christian virtue this half term is forgiveness.





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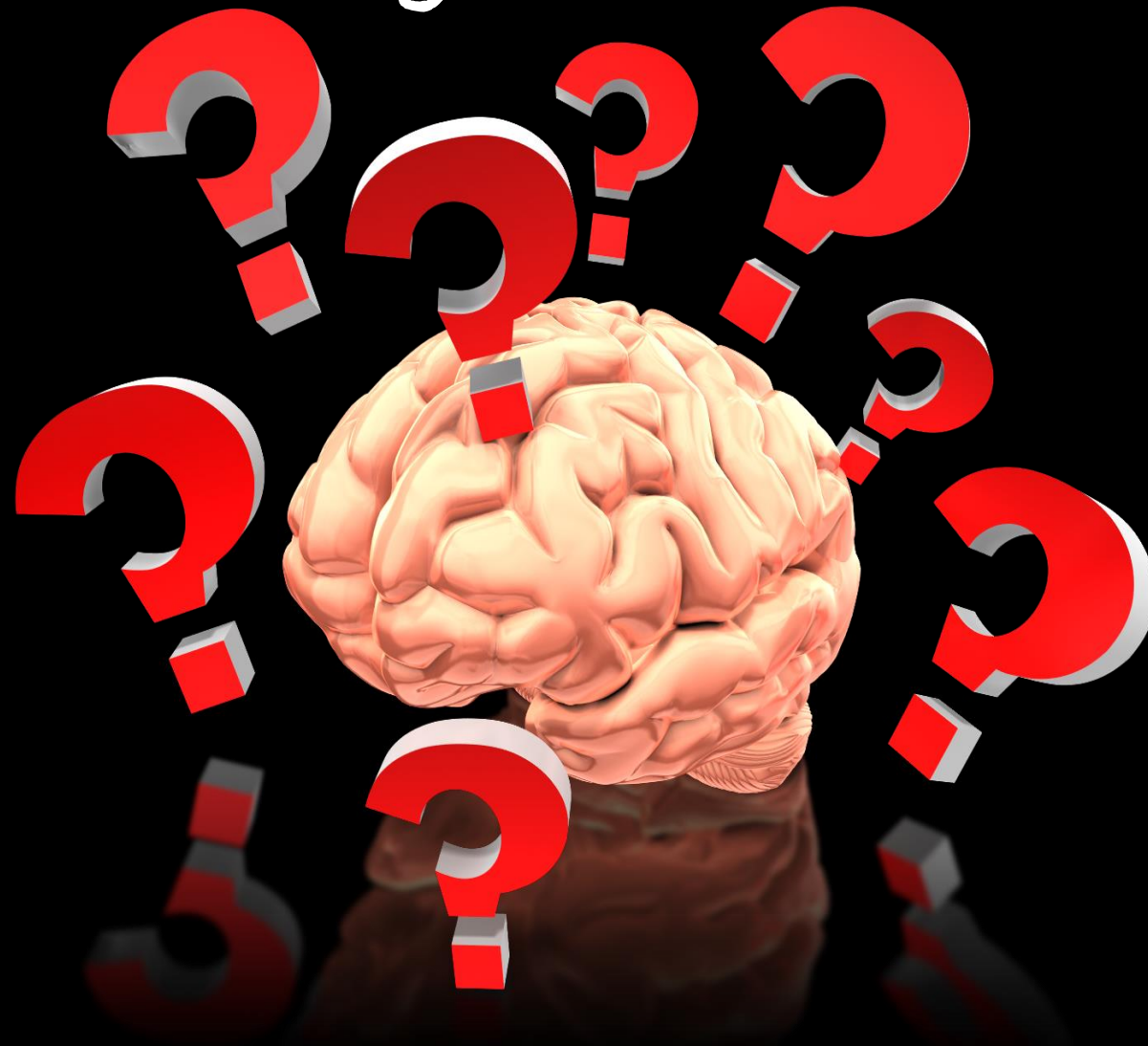


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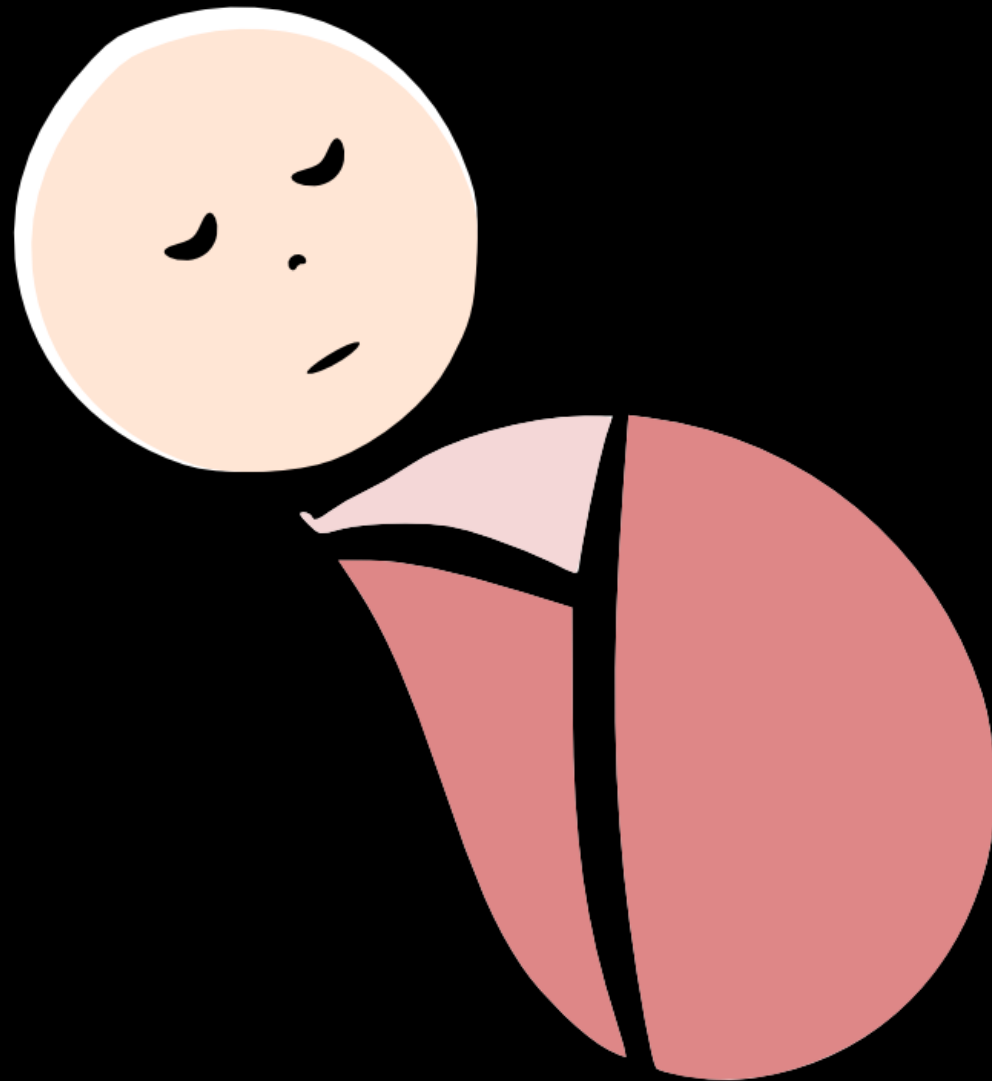
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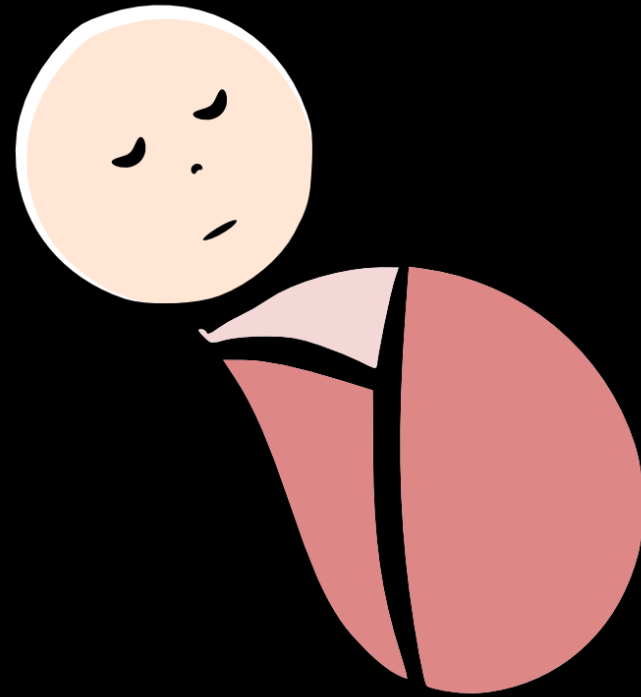
# How does your brain work?



When you  
were a baby,  
do you think  
you were  
born smart?




You didn't  
know *anything*  
when you were  
a baby!



**No!**



# **HARD** Things



The only way you were able to get smarter was to do . . .

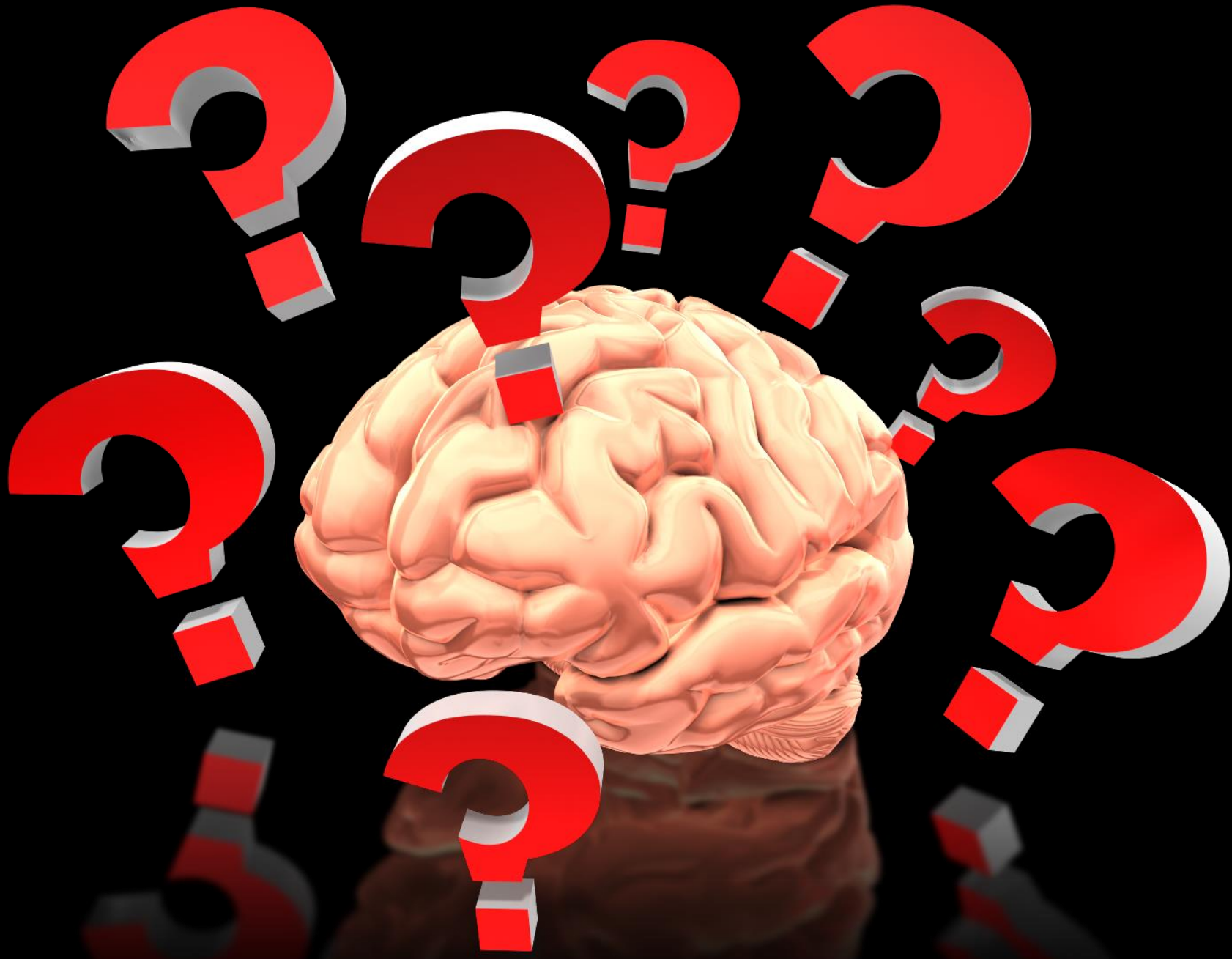
But as you  
practiced, your  
body grew  
stronger until it  
was easy!

**HARD**



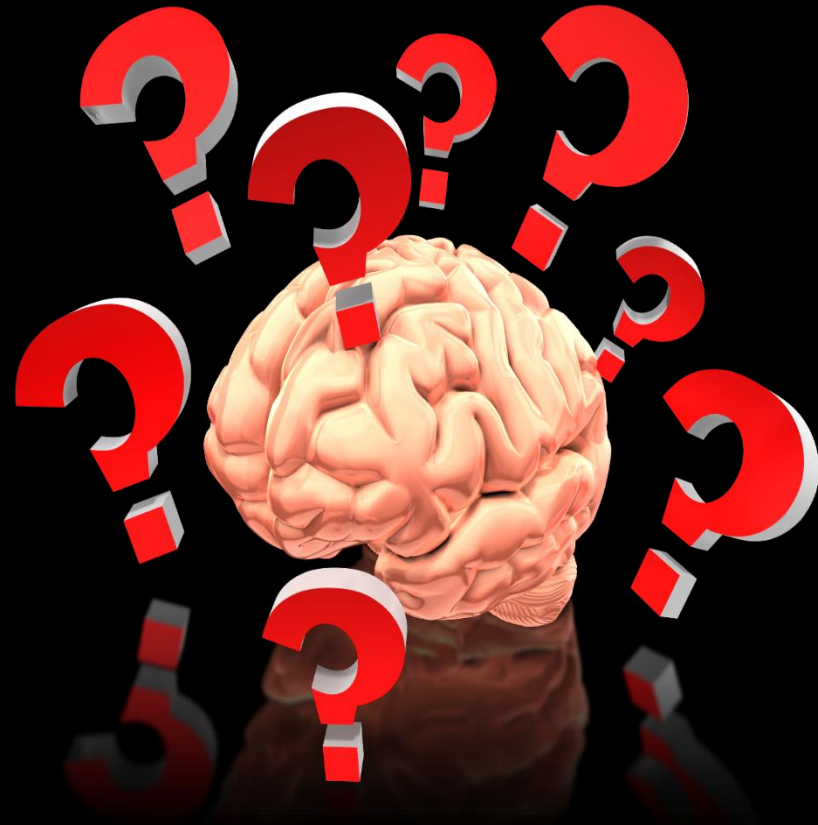


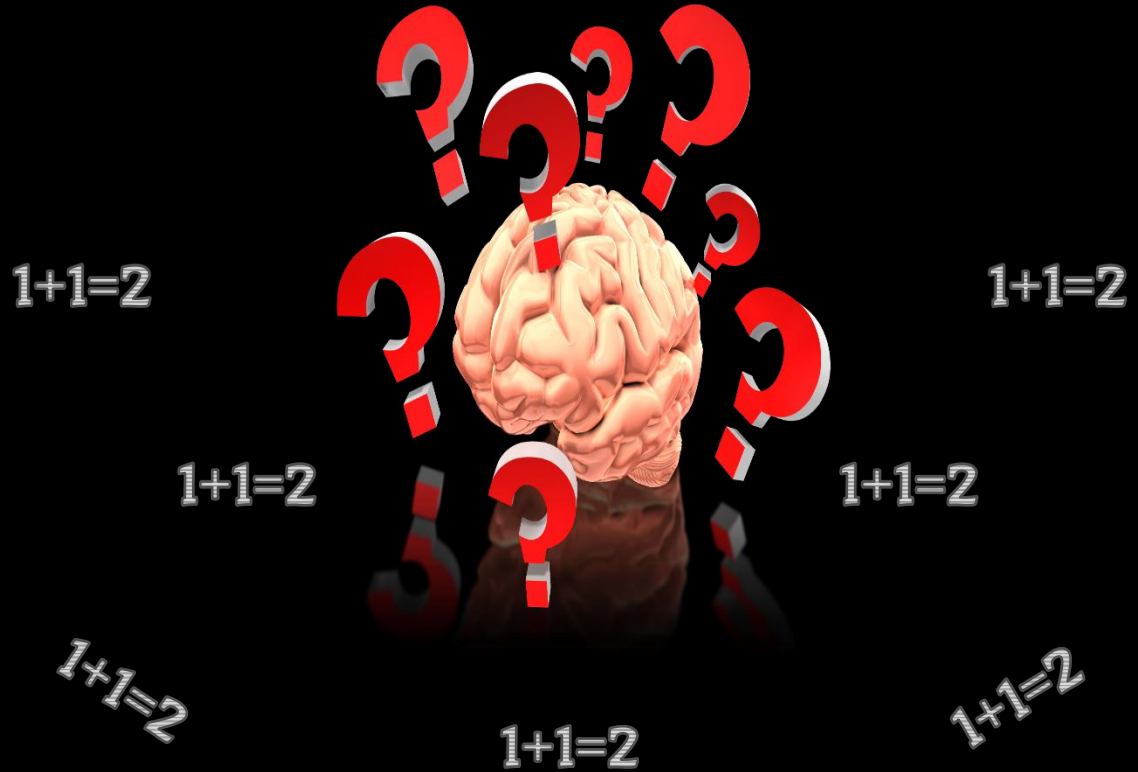
It works the  
same with  
your brain!



When you  
learn **hard**  
things,  
your brain  
grows.

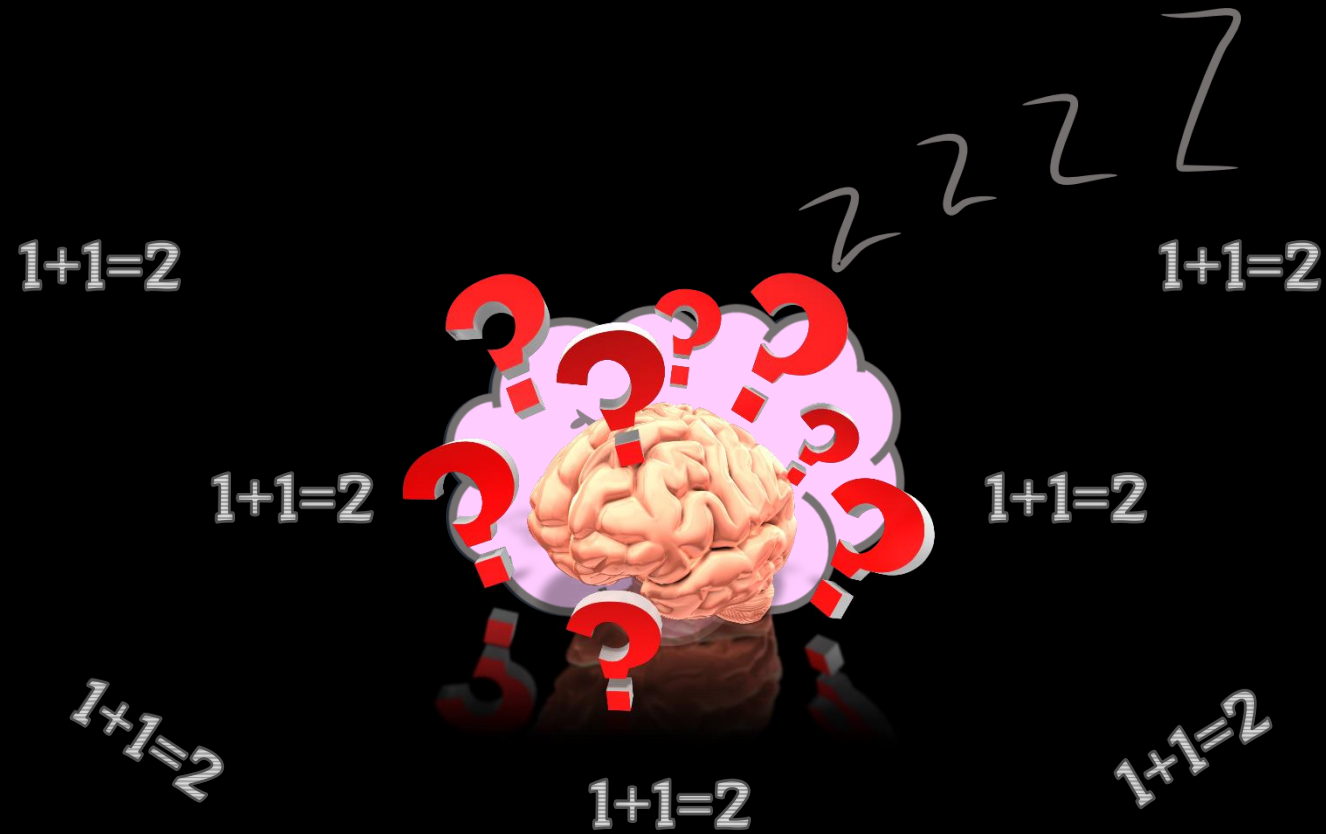
The more you try to learn  
**hard** things, the more your  
**brain** grows!





What do you think  
your brain would  
do if you only did  
easy things all the  
time?

It would probably fall asleep!

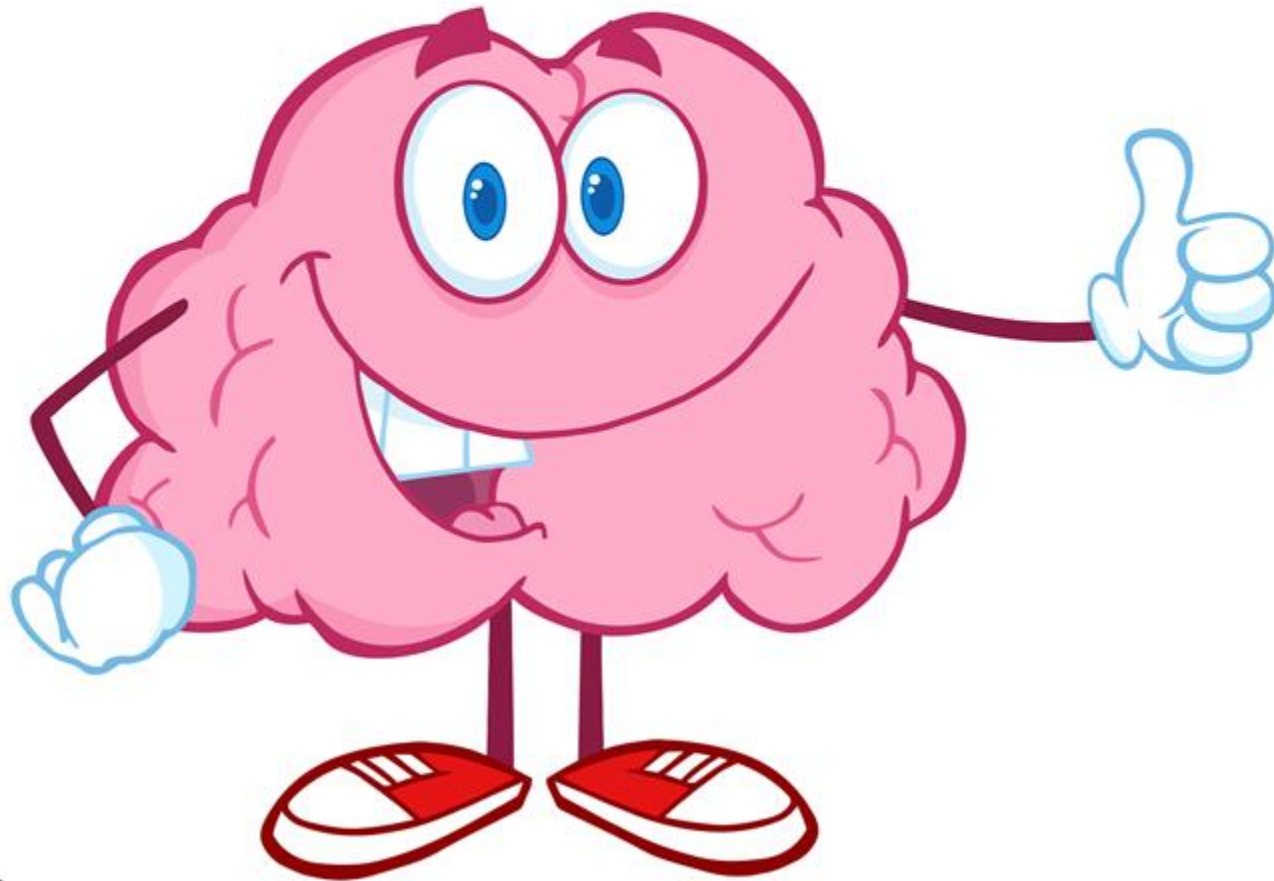


Your brain does NOT grow if you only do easy things.

Growth Mindset (1 of 5) | Social  
Emotional Learning for kids  
(youtube.com)

# **Growth Mindset:**

## **2 Basic Beliefs**



- Each person is capable of learning anything.
- Struggle and failure might be necessary, but with effort and perseverance, everyone can succeed.





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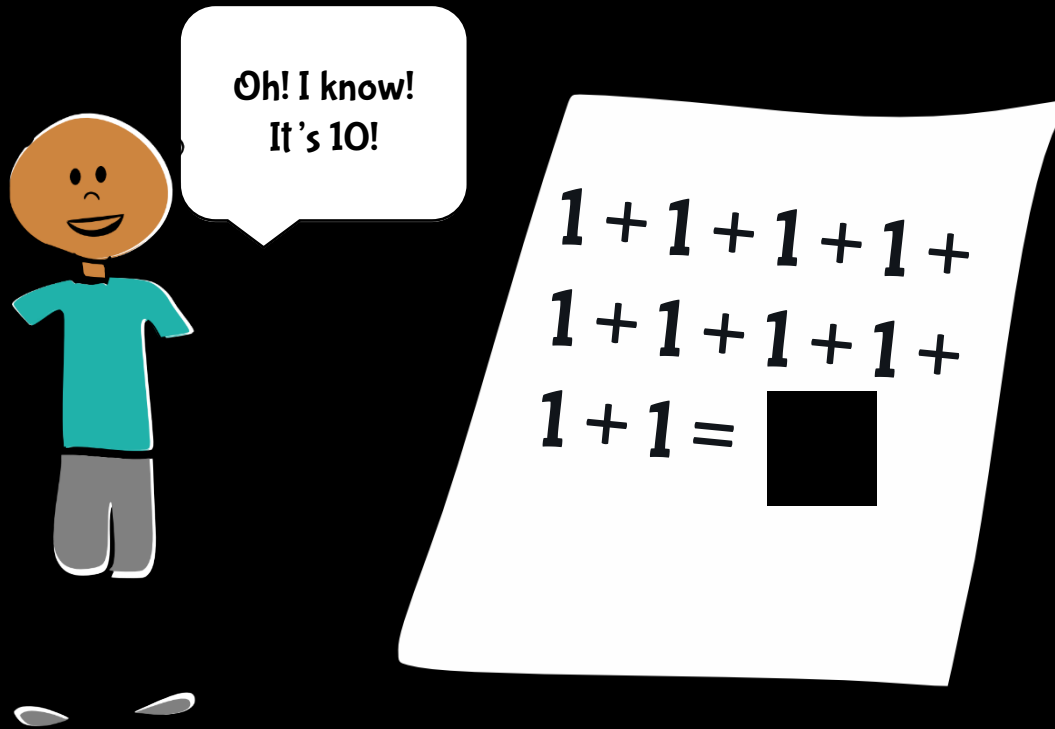
Sometimes we know an answer right away.



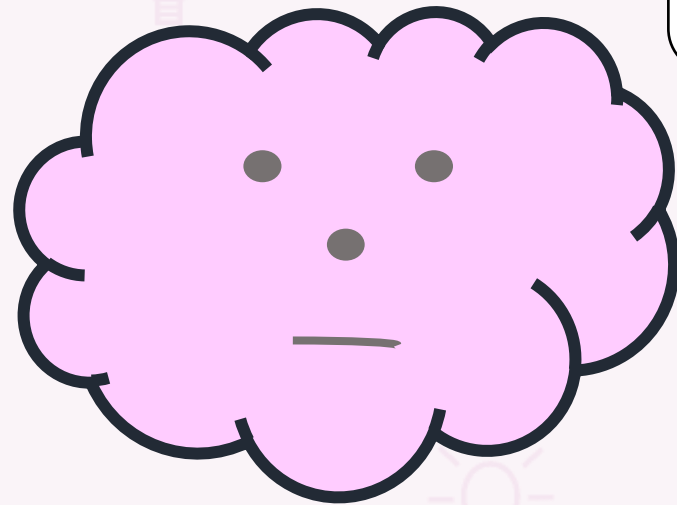
That's easy!  
It's 2!

$$1 + 1 = \blacksquare$$

Sometimes we have  
to think a while.



If you don't know an answer right away,  
that can be a *good* thing!



**Why?**

Because it means you are doing something  
**hard** and your **brain** is growing!

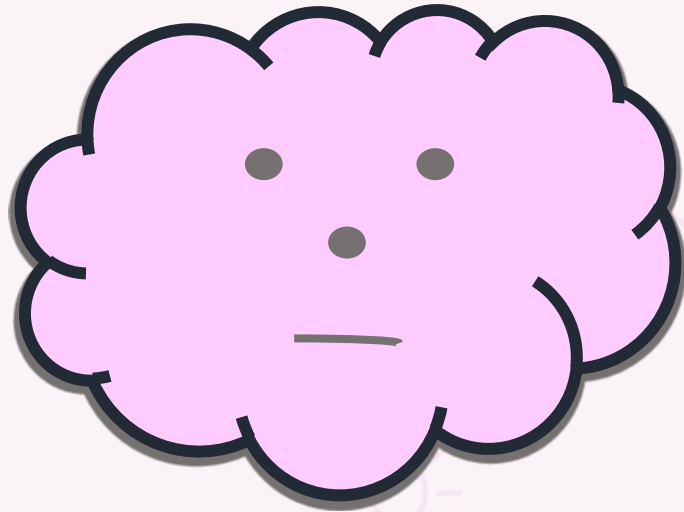
But mistakes can be good!



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- Some people think mistakes are bad.

If you never make ANY mistakes, that means  
you are doing things that are TOO easy.  
You need to challenge your **brain!**

**I'm bored.  
I want a challenge!**

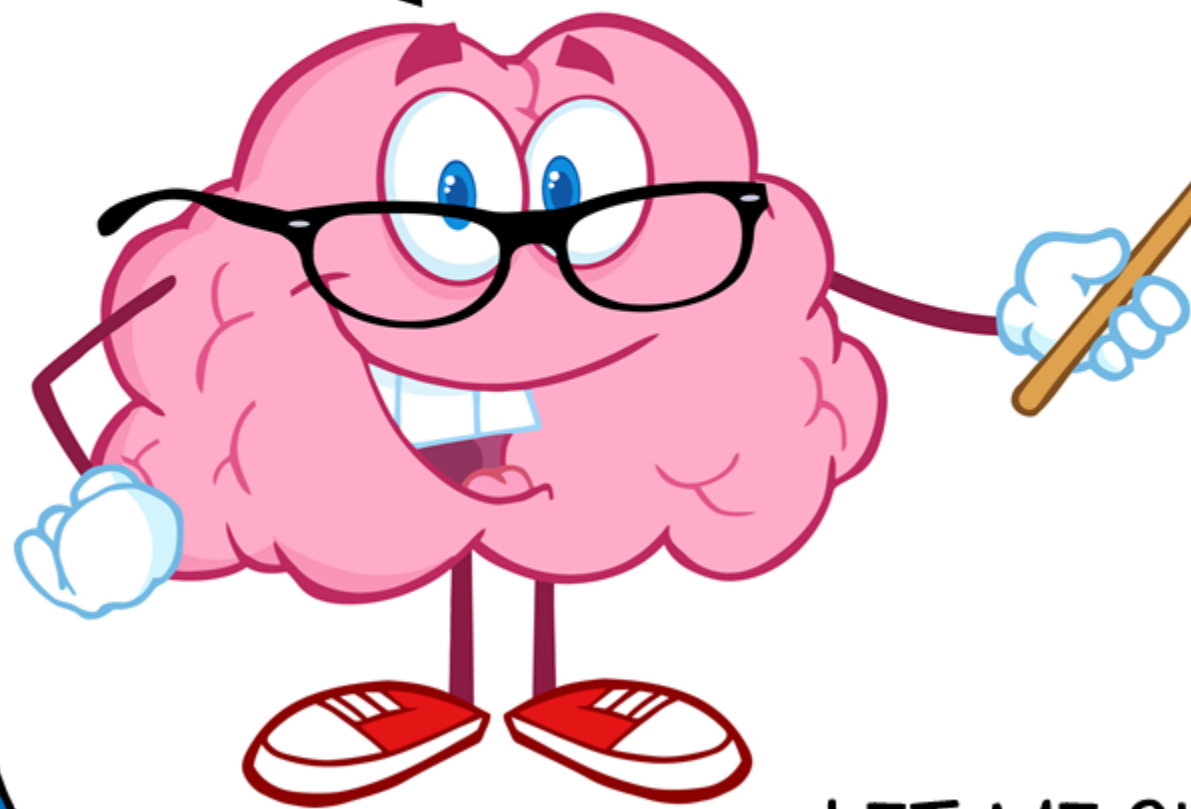




When you can find your mistake and explain how to fix it, that is when your **brain** grows the most!

# Growth Mindset (2 of 5) | Social Emotional Learning for kids - YouTube

Let's start with  
making mistakes.



**Did you  
know that  
making a  
mistake  
can be  
good?**

LET ME SHOW YOU SOME EXAMPLES!





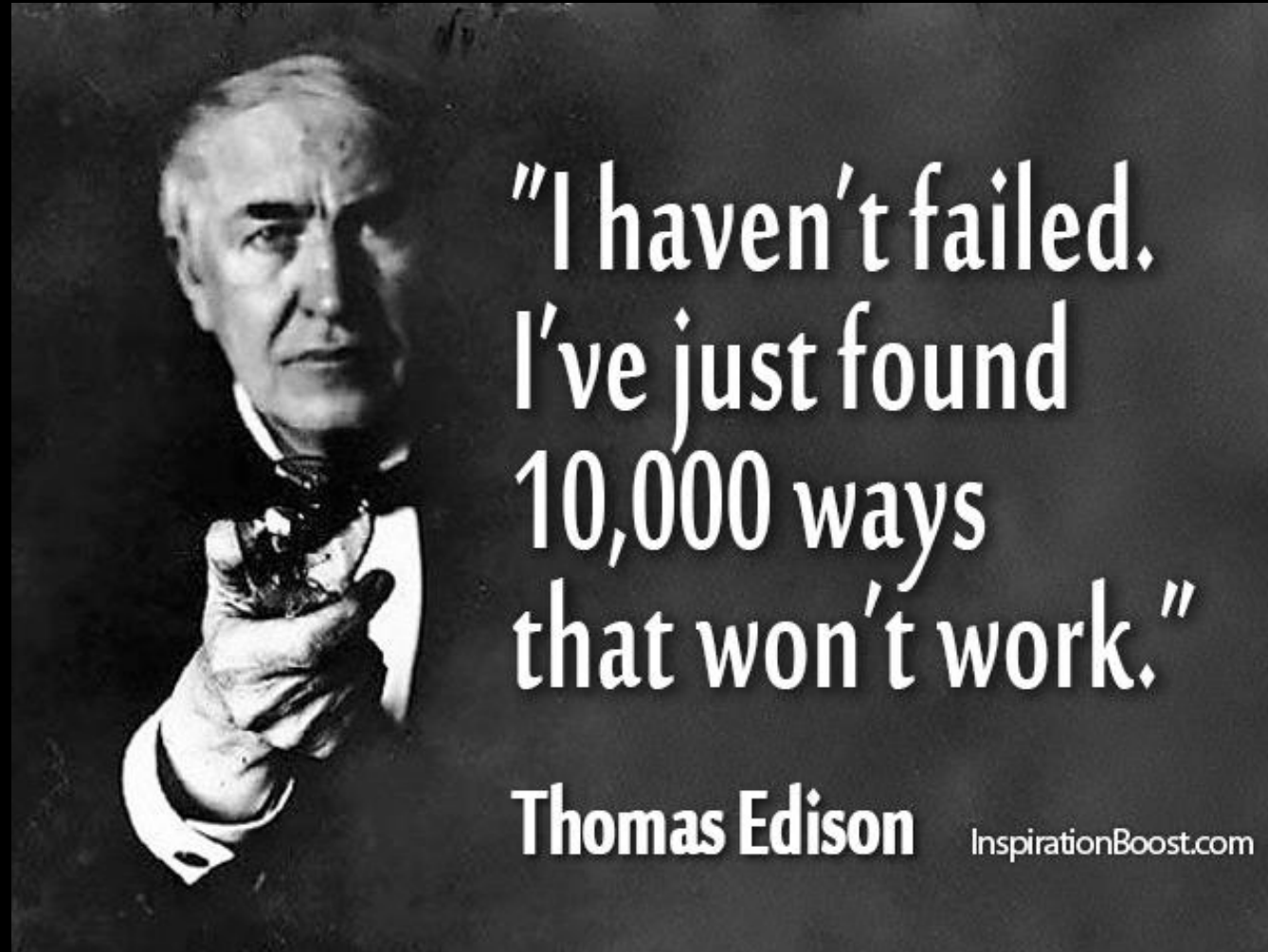
Some very famous people made mistakes,  
but used the mistakes to learn!

He  
conducted  
experiments  
on his  
concepts  
9,000 times  
before  
inventing  
the light  
bulb!

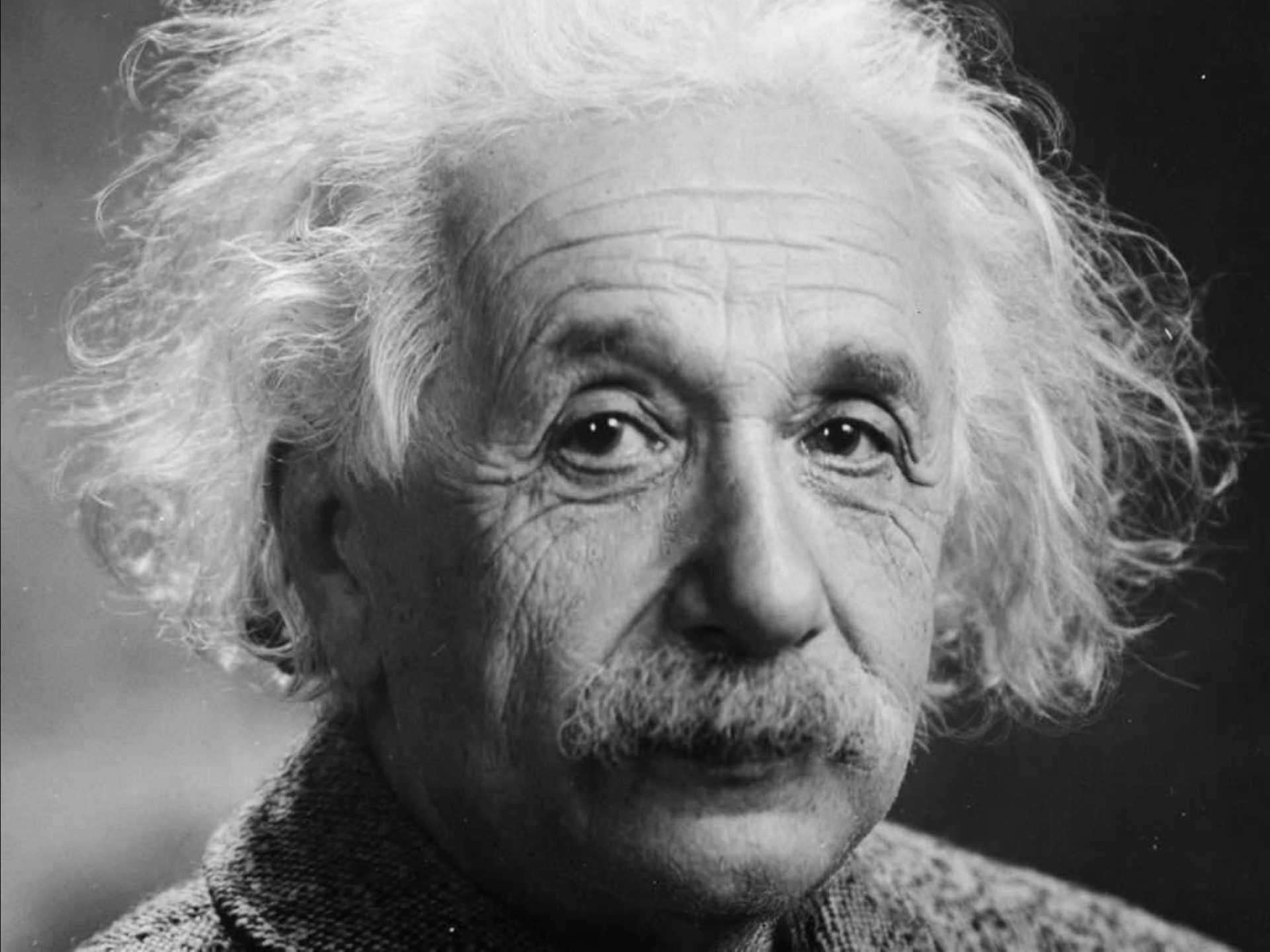


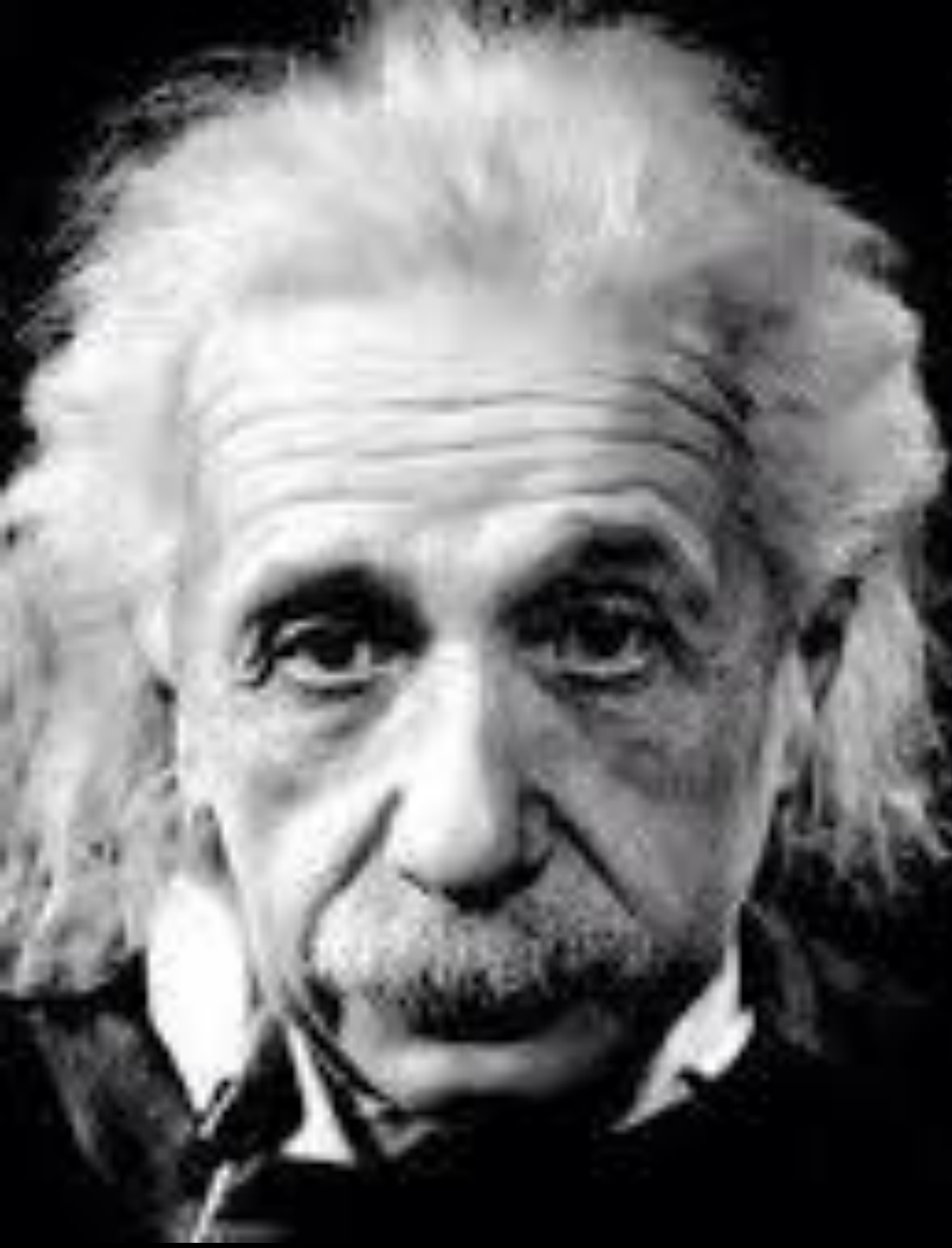
**Thomas  
Edison**

# Thomas Edison









**ANYONE WHO  
HAS NEVER MADE  
A MISTAKE HAS  
NEVER TRIED  
ANYTHING NEW.**

Albert Einstein













# Walt Disney



Hi, I'm Walt Disney. Today my company rakes in billions from merchandise, movies and theme parks around the world.

But what you might not know about me is that, I was fired by a newspaper editor because he said "*I lacked imagination and had no good ideas.*"

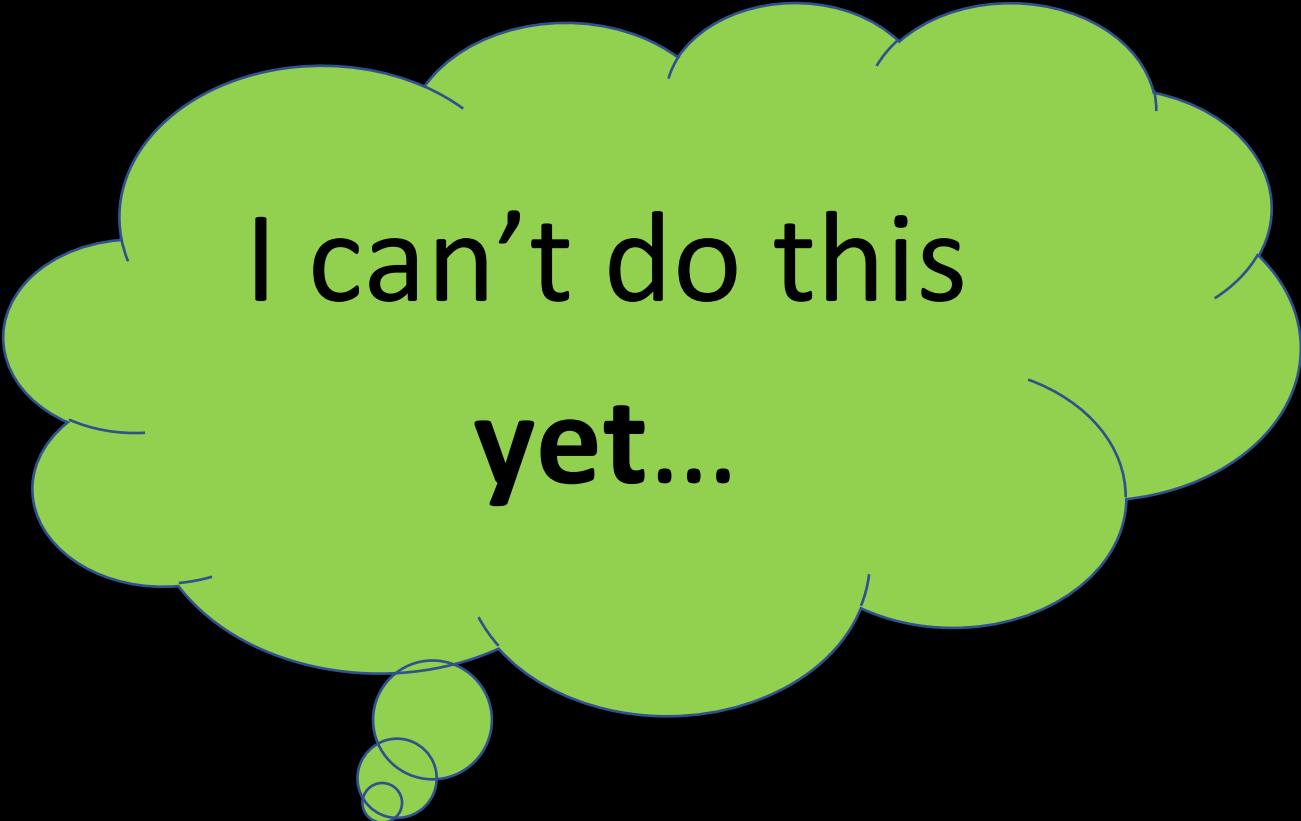
After that, I started a number of businesses that didn't last too long and ended with bankruptcy and failure. However I kept plugging along, and eventually found a recipe for success that worked.



From...



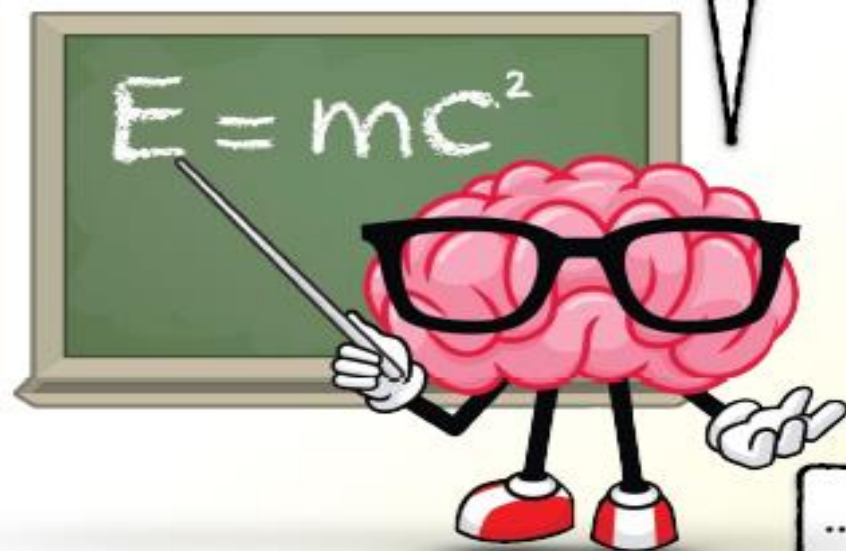
I can't do this...



I can't do this  
**yet...**

# ...YET!

If something seems difficult, remember the word 'yet' to change your mindset...



I can't remember my five times table!



I can't remember my five times table... yet!



I can't win a marathon!



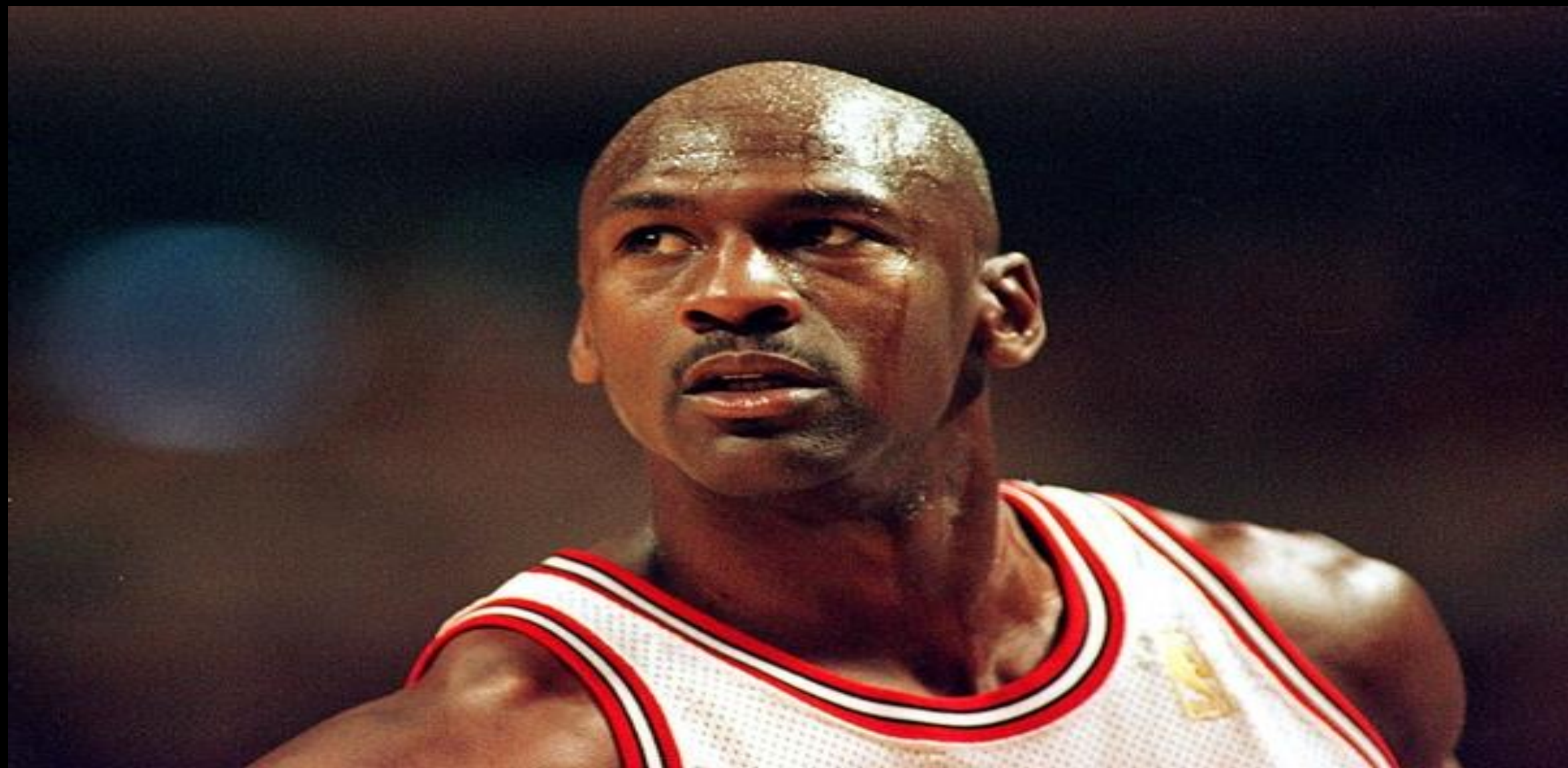
I can't win a marathon... yet!



... and then try to think about how you will improve!

- [Making Mistakes Is OK! | LBB Songs | Learn with Little Baby Bum Nursery Rhymes - Moonbug Kids \(youtube.com\)](#)





I've missed more than 9000 shots in my career.

I've lost almost 300 games.

26 times, I've been trusted to take  
the game winning shot and missed.

I've failed over and over and over again in my life.

And that is why I succeed.

*- Michael Jordan*

