

# The Whole Child



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# Cognitive

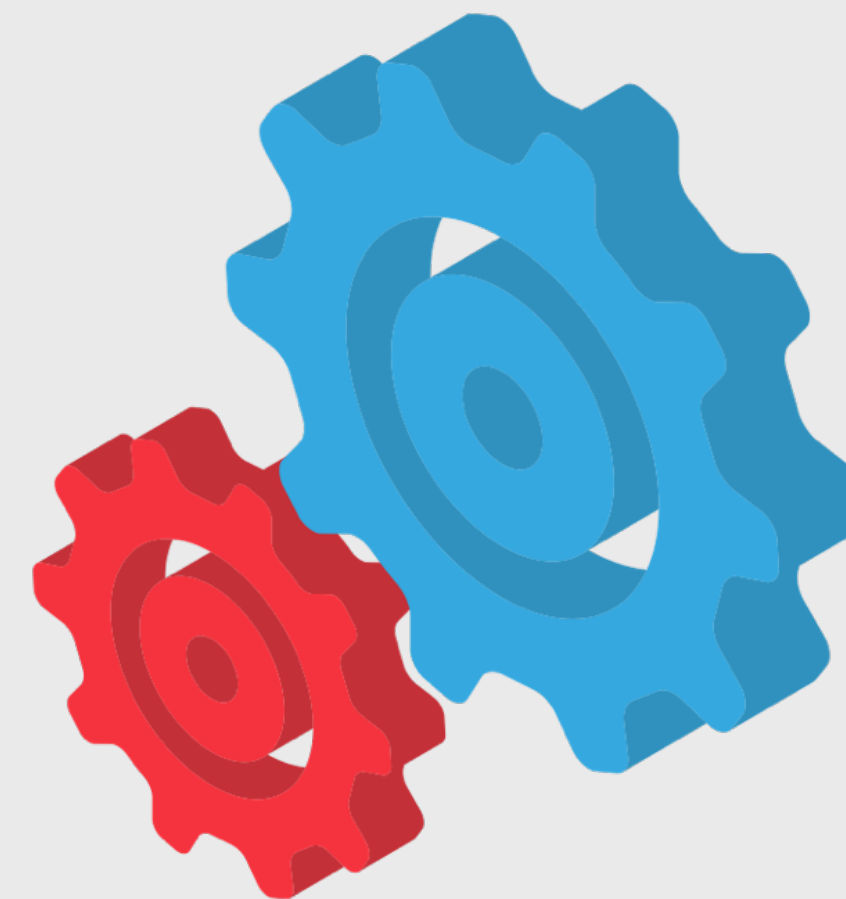


# Cognitive Coachable

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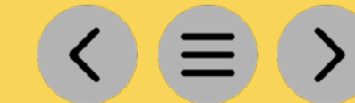
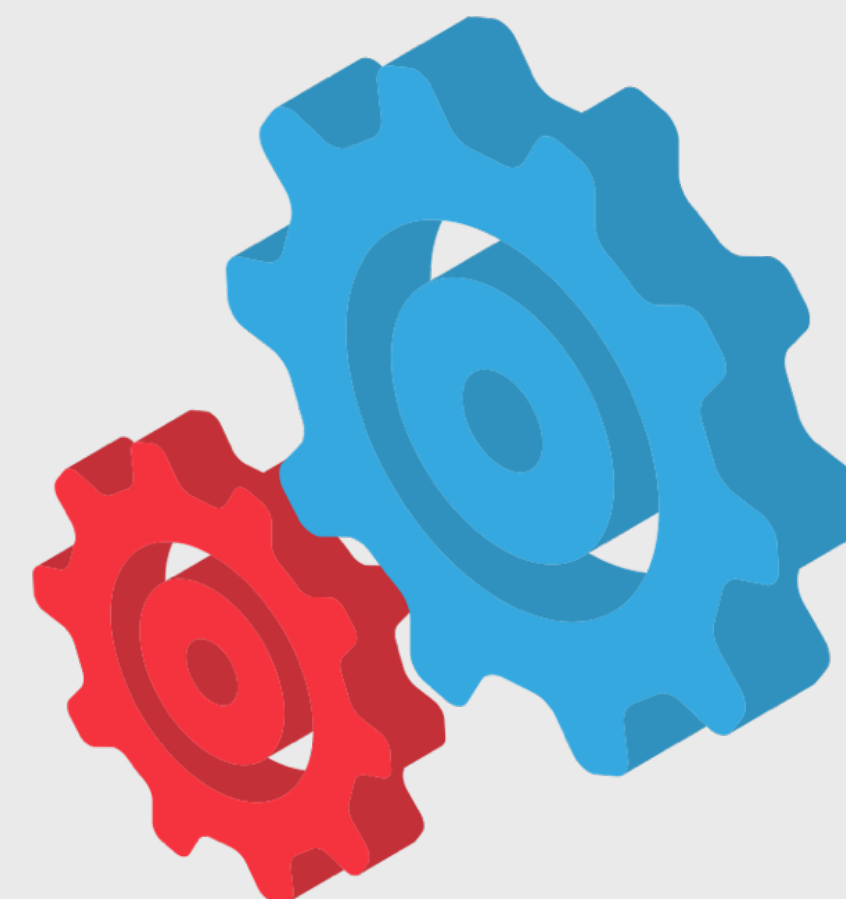
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# Cognitive Beginners Mindset

The Whole Child theme this week is to learn to have a beginners mindset when approaching the games and challenges.

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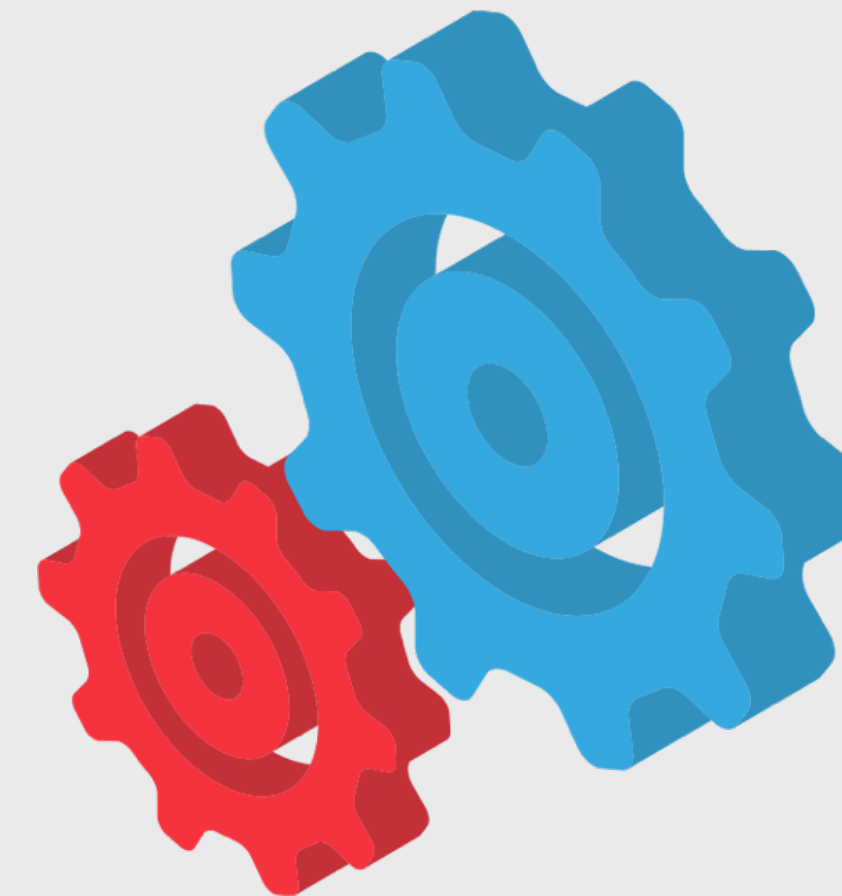
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# Cognitive Play in the Now

The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage children to focus on the present. Not thinking too much about what is to come or dwelling on what has already happened.

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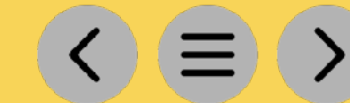
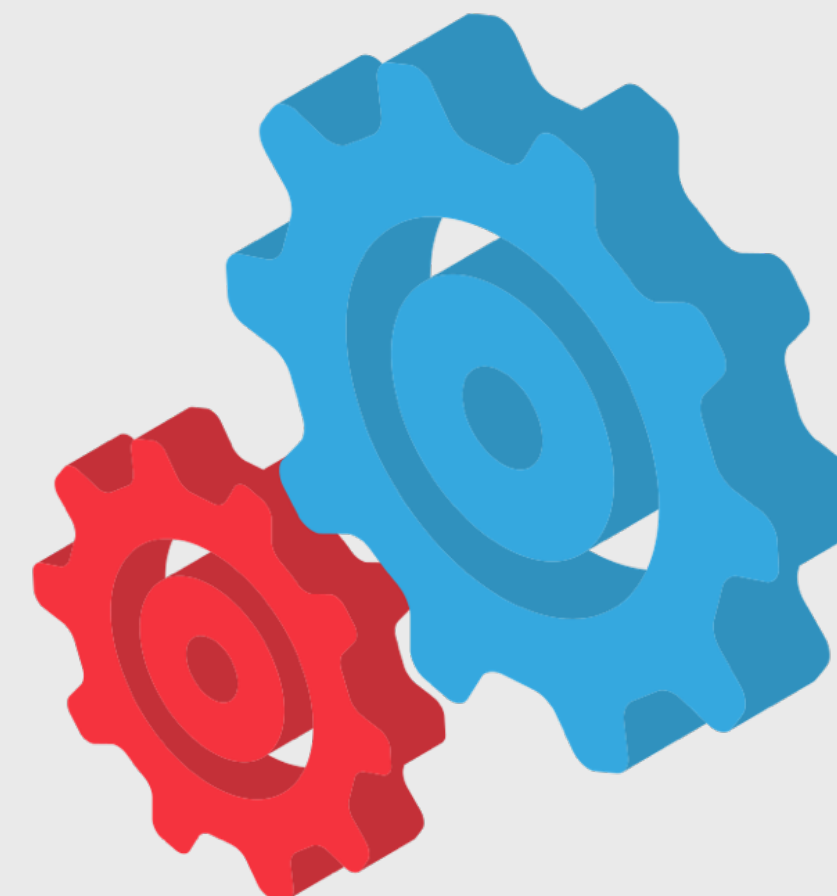
## Brush It Off

The Whole Child theme this week is to learn how to brush off any bad shots, and move on to the next.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that has demonstrated the ability to not let a bad shot effect them negatively.

Let the children know it's ok to get frustrated but learning to move on without letting a bad shot effect you will be a key skill to learn.

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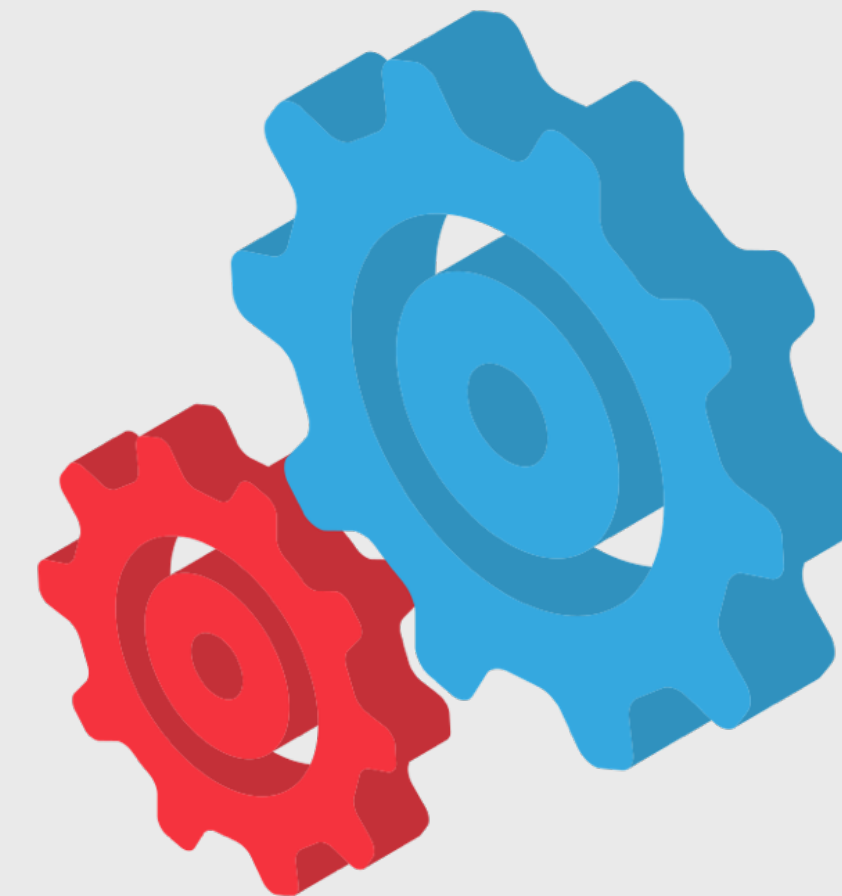
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The Whole Child theme this week is to respect the rules of the game.

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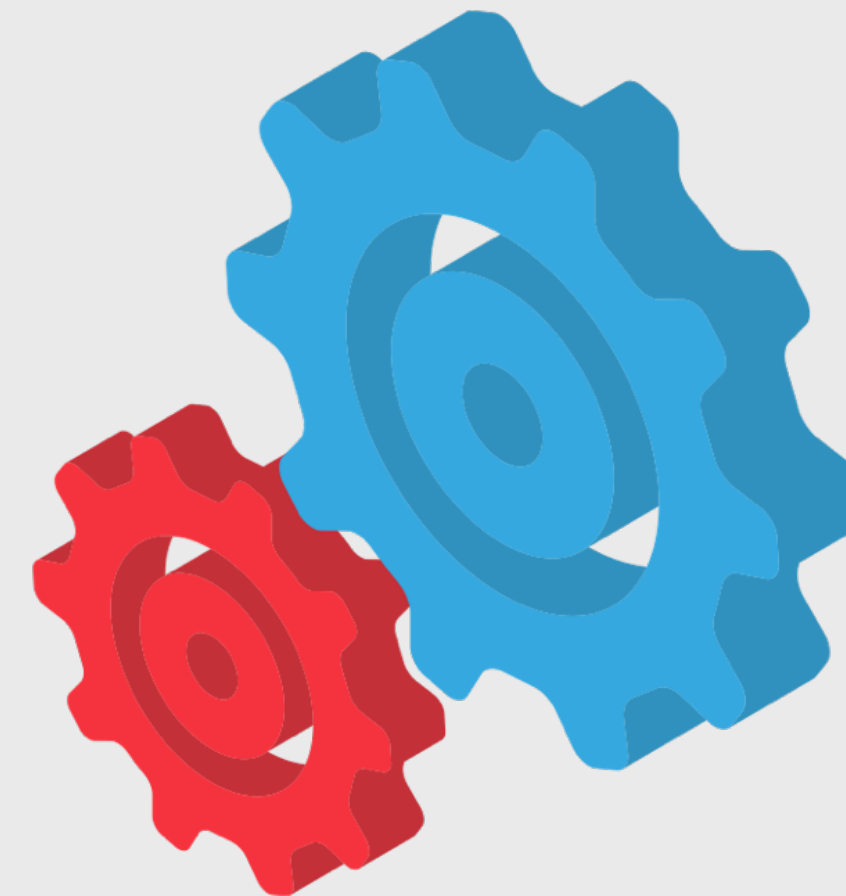
# Cognitive Effort

The Whole Child theme this week is focussing on praising the effort that the children put into their games and practice.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that displays the most effort within the games and challenges. This may not always be the most successful child.

Examples of this could be continuing to practice even when it's not going well, or putting in additional practice sessions in between lessons.

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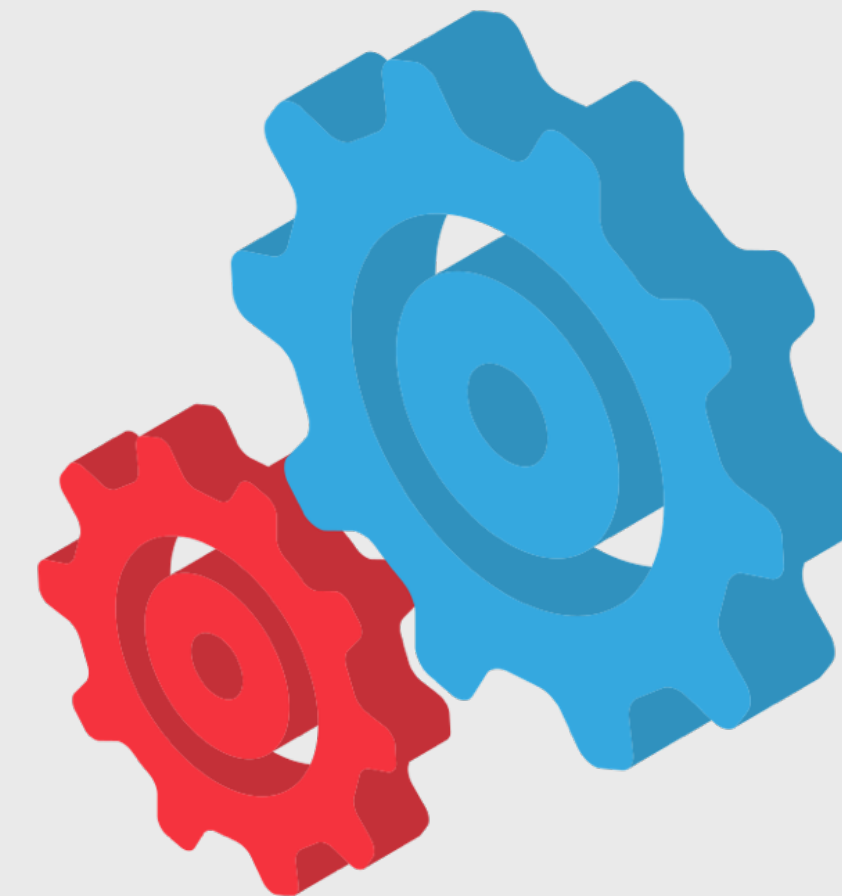
# Cognitive Preparation

The Whole Child theme this week is to learn about preparing for golf.

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Examples of this could be preparation for a particular shot, or for the lesson as a whole.

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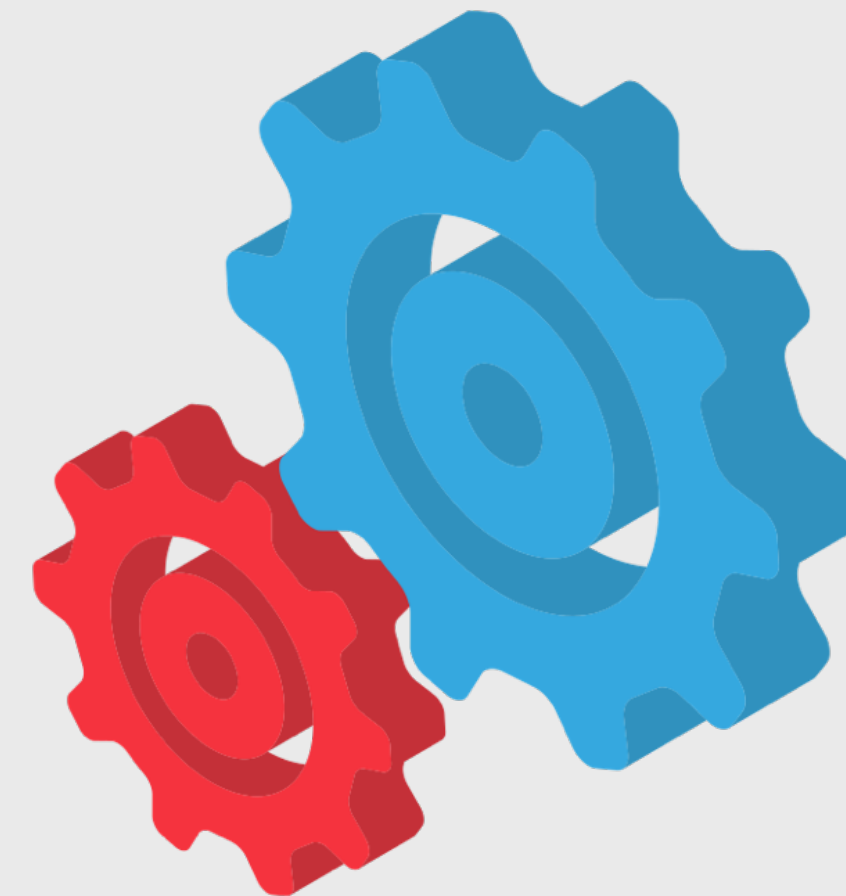
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## Feeling Nervous

The Whole Child theme this week is to learn that feeling nervous is normal and actually can be beneficial to performance.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that reacts positively to feeling nervous, and is open to sharing with the group a time that they have felt nerves and not let it affect them negatively.

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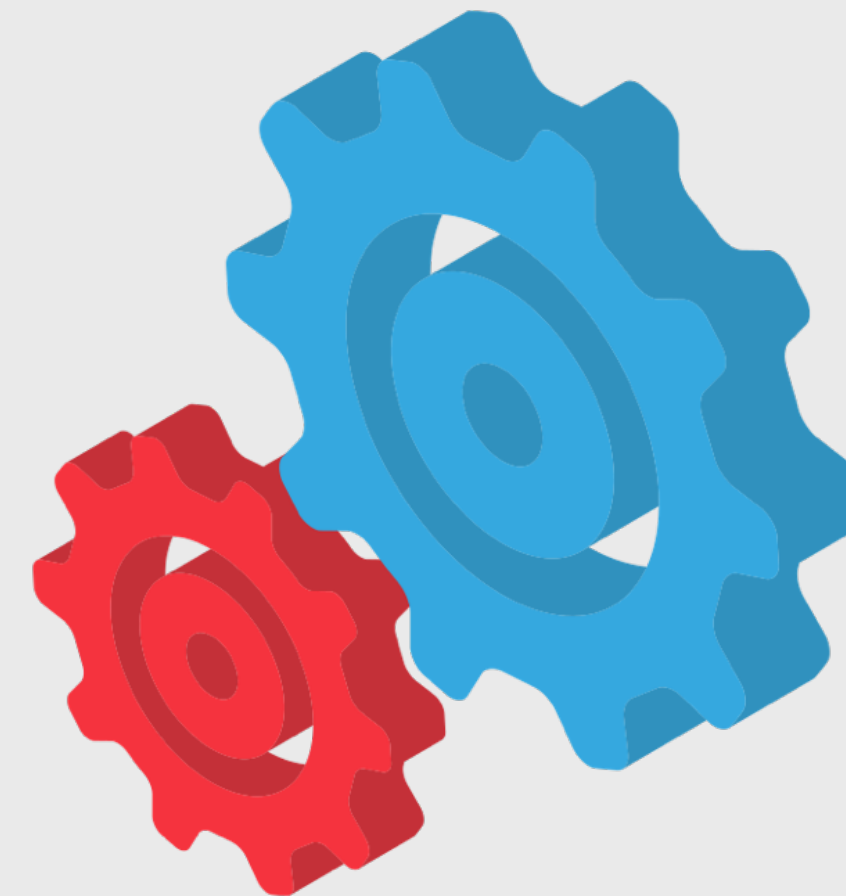
## Attitude towards learning

The Whole Child theme this week is to develop a great attitude towards learning.

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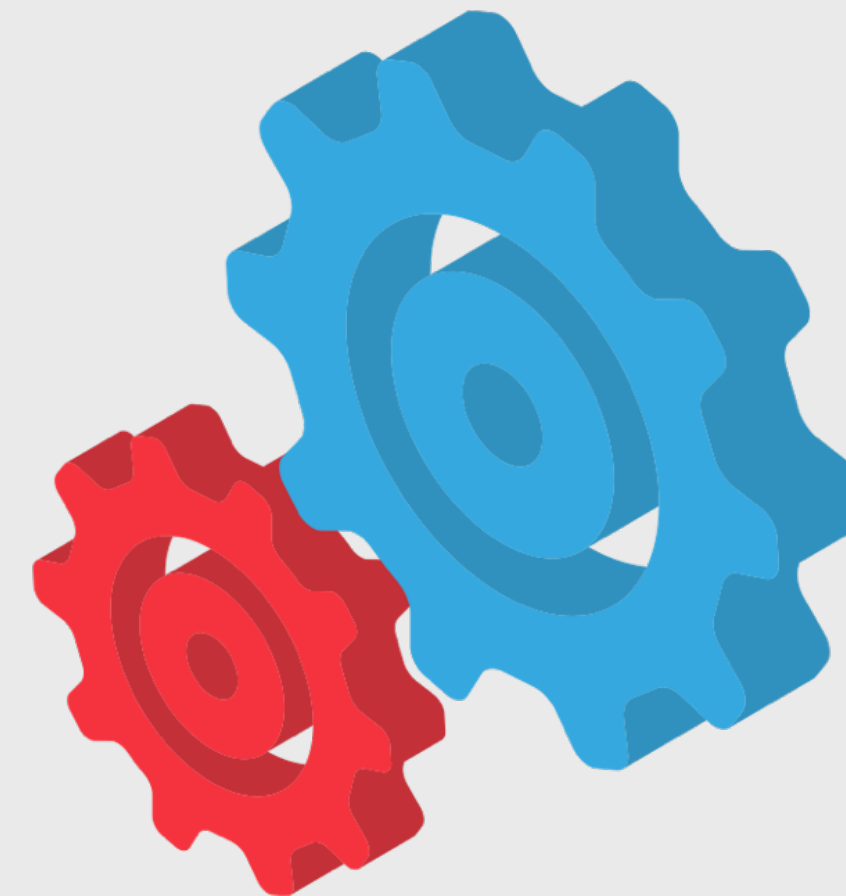
# Cognitive Growth Mindset

The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage a growth mindset. This is where a child believes that if they work hard and keep practicing that they will improve. A fixed mindset is one where the child believes they are just born good or bad at something.

Reinforce a growth mindset by reinforcing that the skills the children demonstrate have been learnt by applying effort and practice.

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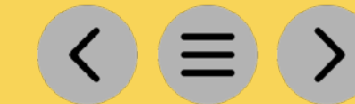
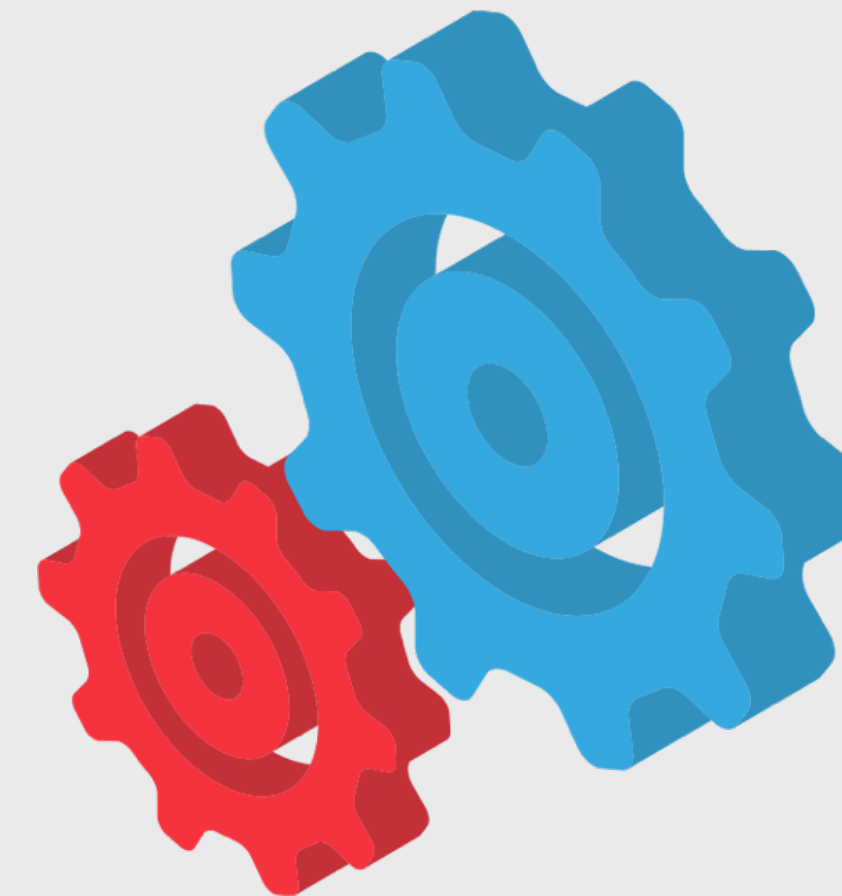
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# Cognitive Understanding

The Whole Child theme this week is to make sure all children feel comfortable asking questions to make sure they fully understand the concept they are learning.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that speaks up and asks questions to ensure understanding.

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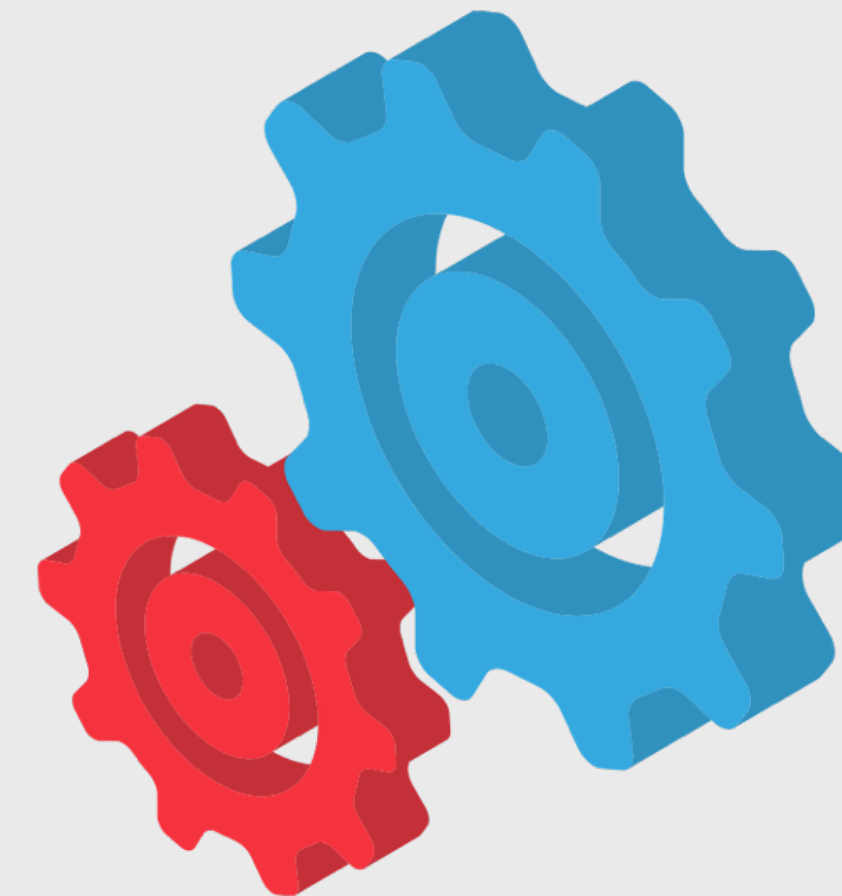
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The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage the children to set some goals for their golf.

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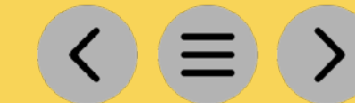
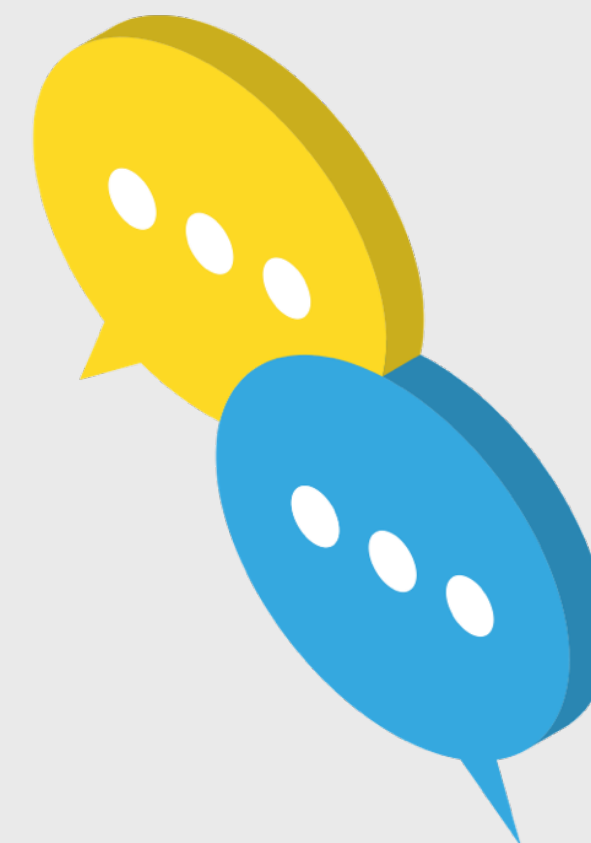


# Social Appreciation

The Whole Child theme this week is about showing appreciation, this could be to your playing partners, your parents, or even your coach!

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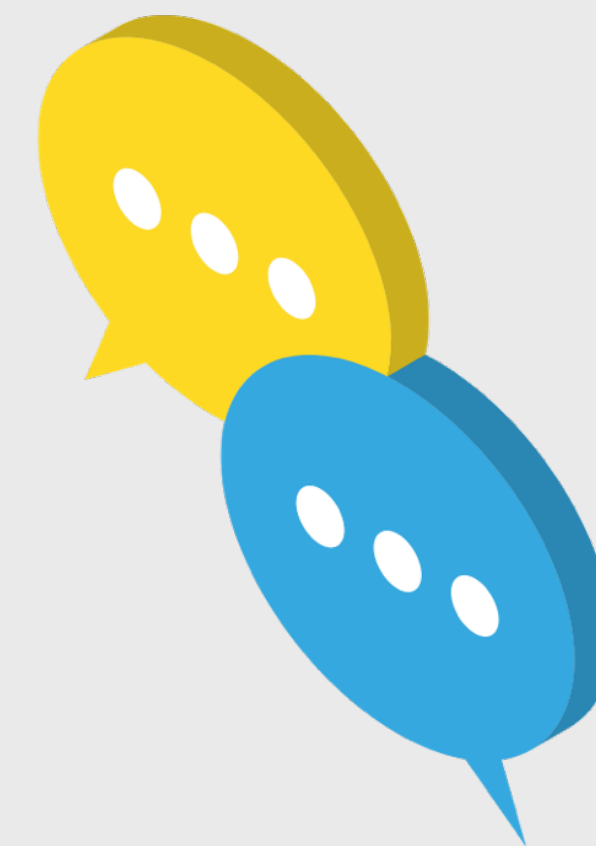
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# Social Praise

The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage the children to praise each other for their efforts and good shots.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that demonstrates praise for another child in the class.

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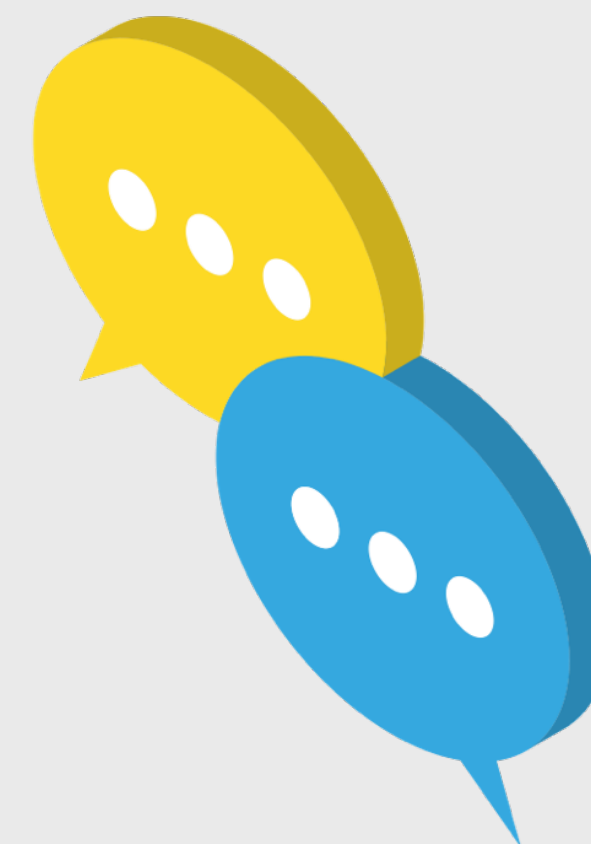
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# Social Gratitude

The Whole Child theme this week is to understand what gratitude is and why it is important.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that demonstrates gratitude throughout the session, for example being thankful for the opportunity to play with friends, and for being able to be a part of the club.

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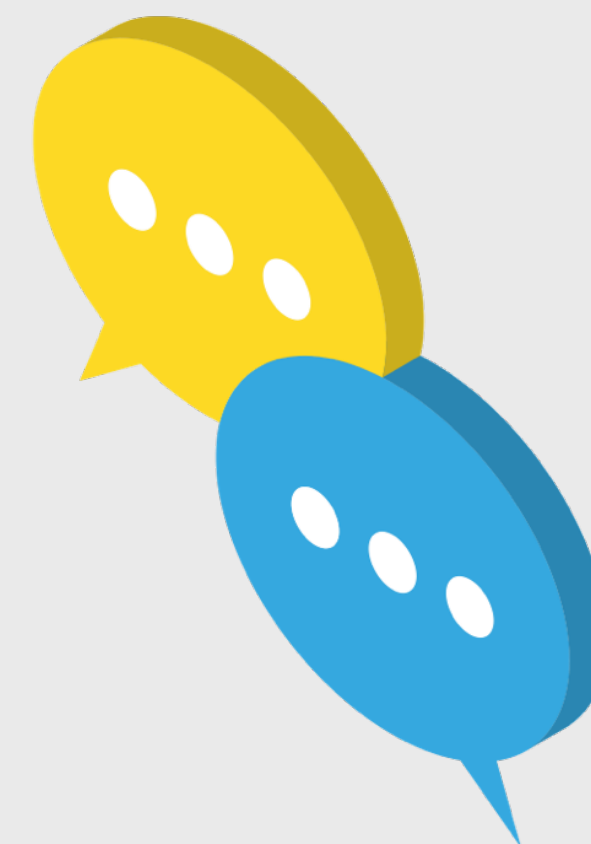
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# Social Friendships

The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage children to make friends with other children that they don't know. Use the opportunity to pair the children with those they don't normally play with, or those they don't know as well as others.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that is enthusiastic and open to meeting new friends.

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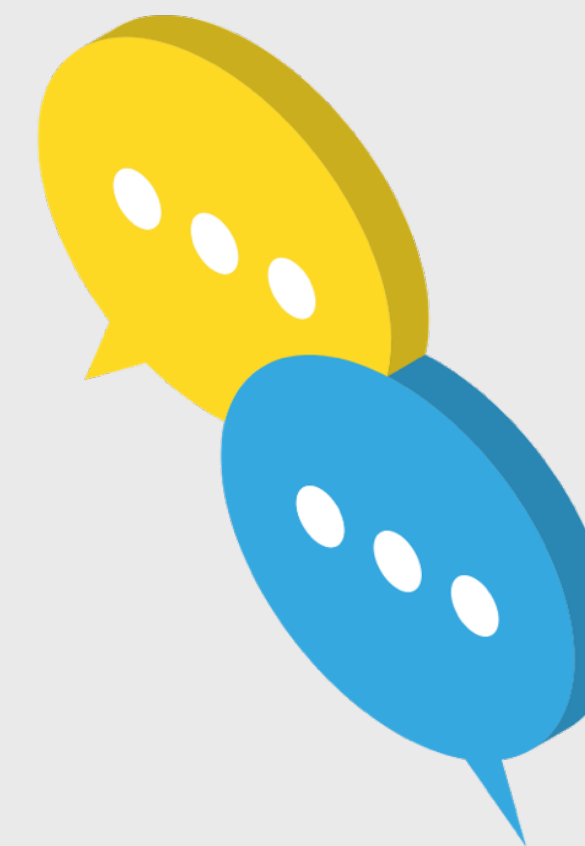
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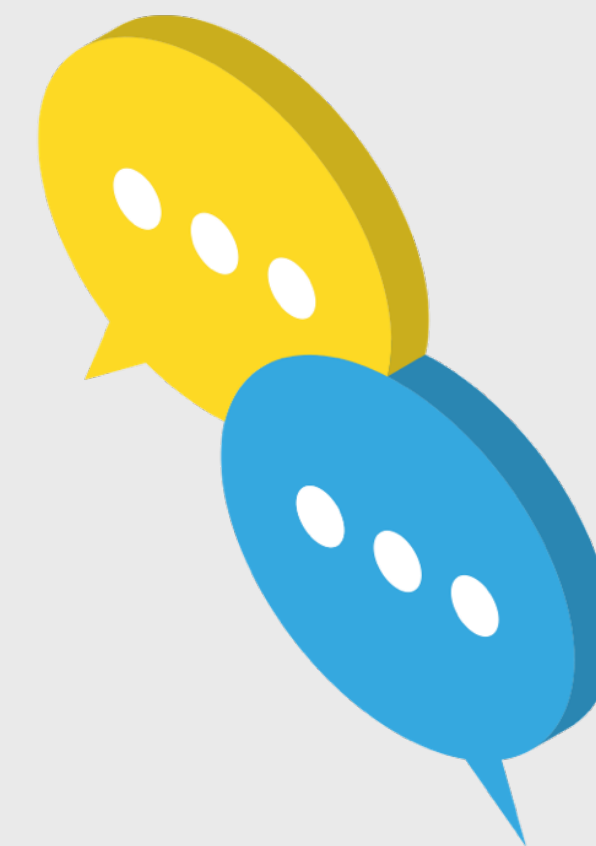
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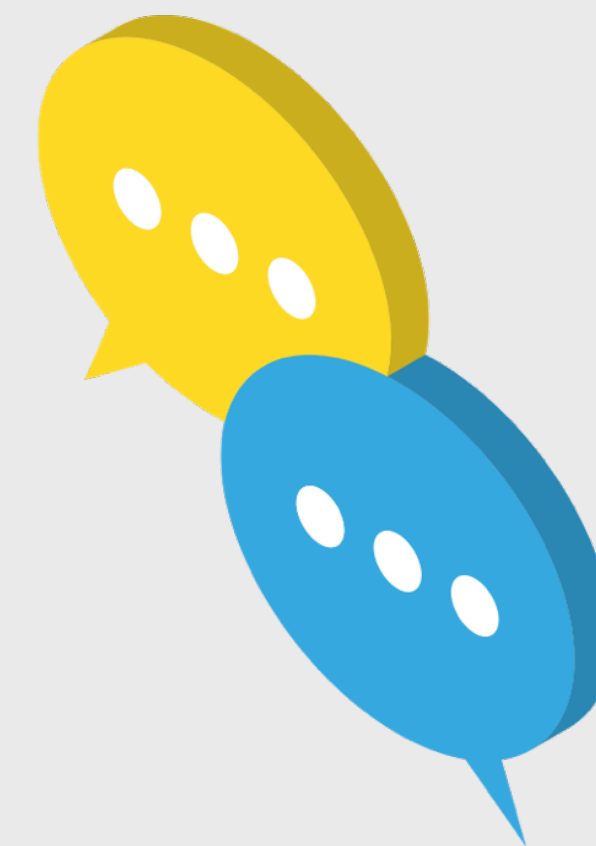
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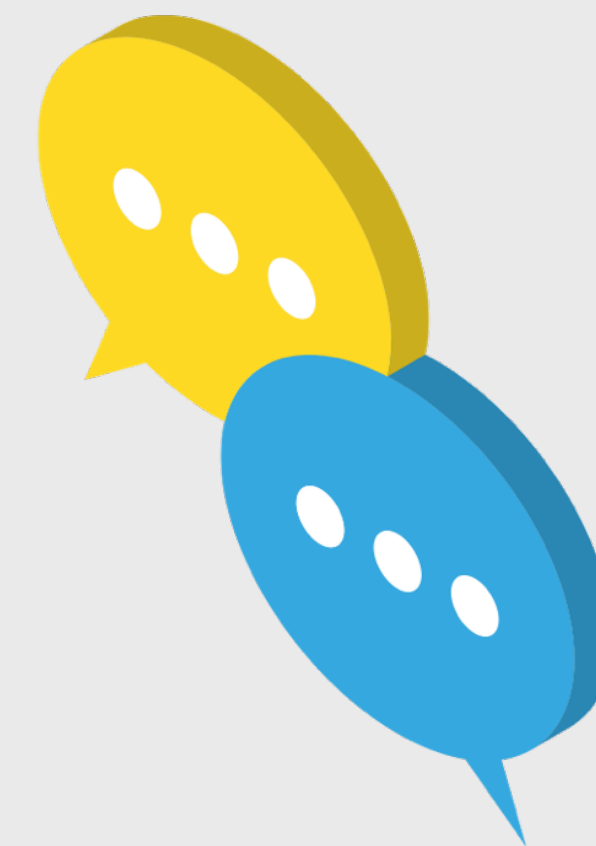
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The Whole Child theme this week is to promote the importance of playing safely.

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In particular you should look for those moments when the juniors are playing safely when not being supervised directly by the coach.

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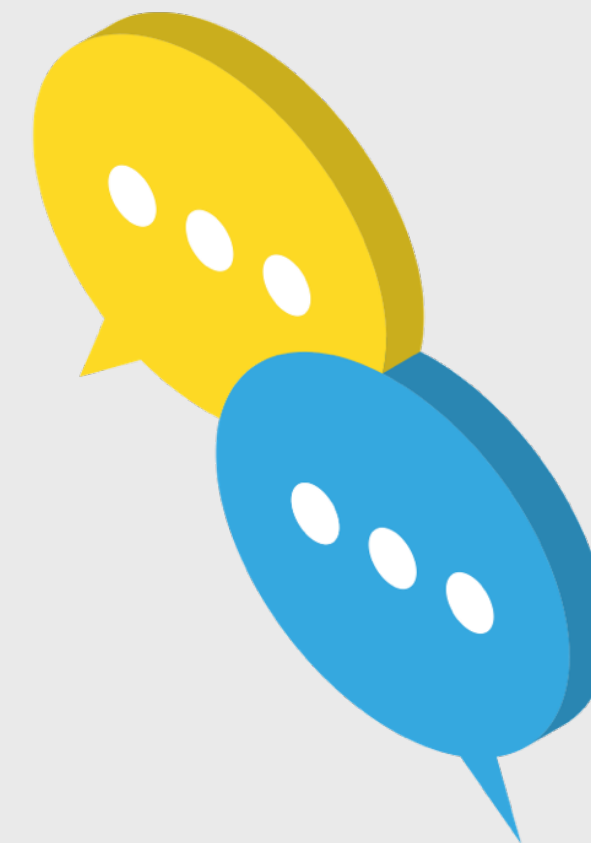
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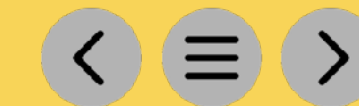
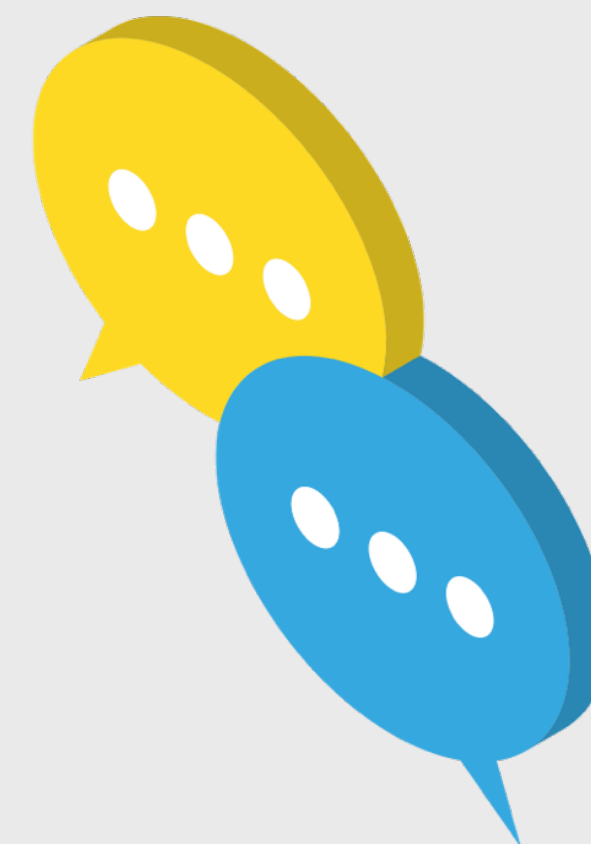
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The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage the children to develop leadership skills.

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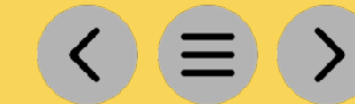
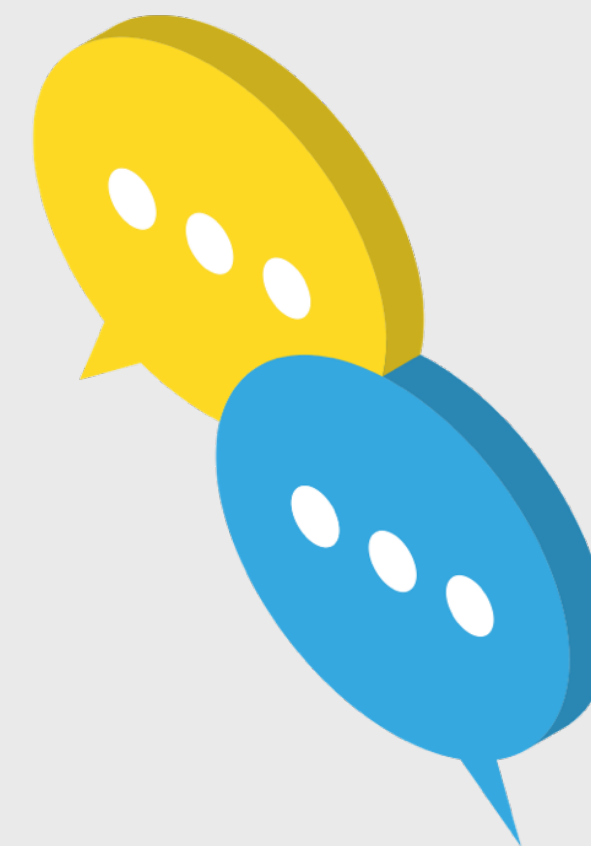
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# Social Caring

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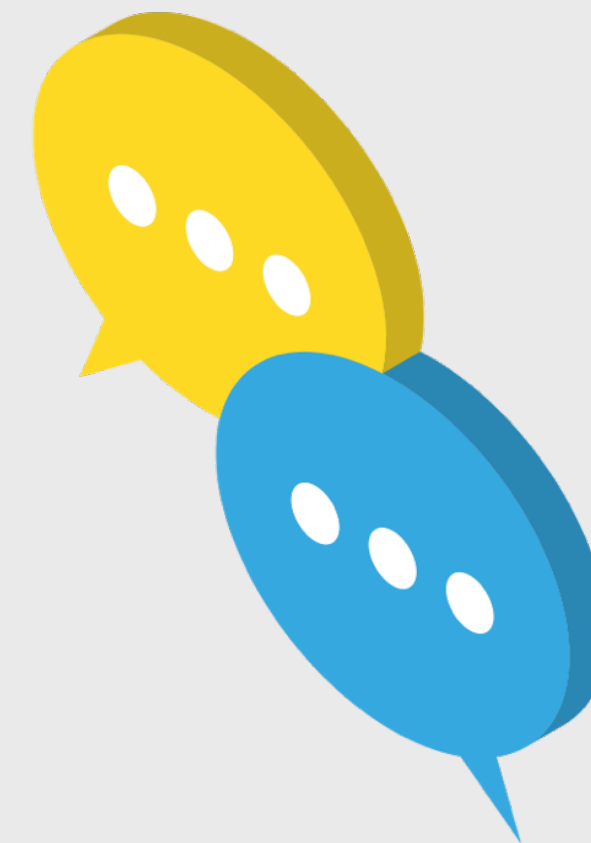
# Social

## Teaching your Parents

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## Additional Practice

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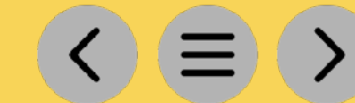
The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage children to use their creativity to be able to practice their golf at home.

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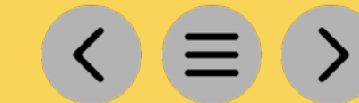
Examples of this might be standing tall or keeping your head up after a poor shot.

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## My Hero

The Whole Child theme this week is to ask the children who their hero is, and why they have chosen that person as their hero.

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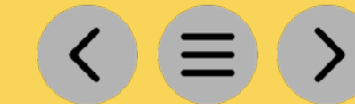
The Whole Child theme this week is focussed on viewing mistakes as a learning opportunity.

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## Trustworthiness

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# Creative Independence

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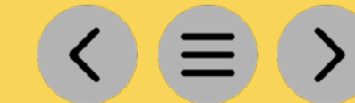
The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage creativity and curiosity in golf and life.

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# Creative Open Minded

The Whole Child theme this week is to be open-minded, to not assume that something is correct just because we are told that it is but instead to ask questions, try different things and to be open to the fact that there may be more than one way to be successful at something.

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# Creative Ambitious

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# Creative Positive Energy

The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage creativity, specifically through bringing a great energy to each game and challenge that each child faces.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that displays the best energy throughout the class.

Examples of this could be a positive comment to another player, or a lot of enthusiasm when a game is proving challenging.

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# Creative Talent

The Whole Child theme this week is to educate parents and children that their “Talent” can be developed, and not to label a child as “talented” or “not talented”

Instil a belief in the children that they can practice and improve and become talented.

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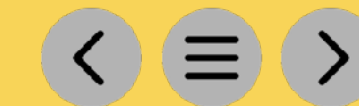
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# Creative

## Create your own game

The Whole Child theme this week is to encourage the children to create their own games when they are playing and practicing.

Games that are designed by the children increase engagement, children are more likely to play the games for longer and therefore improve

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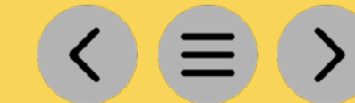


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# Personal Integrity

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# Personal Confidence

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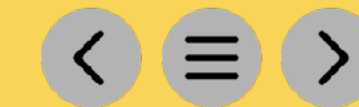
# Personal Fairness

The Whole Child theme this week is to understand the importance of fairness.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that demonstrates fair play with their playing partners whilst playing the games.

Examples of this could be making sure each person has the same number of attempts, or taking it in turns to go first at each challenge.

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- “Great effort, keep it up”

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# Personal Self Discipline

The Whole Child theme this week is developing self discipline.

It should be highlighted that the Achiever Award is presented to the child that displays self discipline throughout the lesson

Examples of this could be reacting well to a bad shot or not getting aggravated when losing one of the games

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# Personal Resilience

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