

# Six Tips to Make Your Brain Smarter

Years 2-7

## Learning Intention

Consolidate understanding of how students can improve their brain function.

## Outline

Students create an A3 poster about their chosen 'Tip to Make Your Brain Smarter'.

## You will need:

A3 coloured cover paper- one per student

Plain paper for planning and drafts

"Six Tips to Make Your Brain Smarter" Poster

Coloured pencils or markers

Coloured paper for collaging (optional)

Examples of good and bad posters

## Procedure

With a partner, students brainstorm tips to make them smarter. Each group shares their tips with class.

Create class list of tips.

Show "Six Tips to Make Your Brain Smarter." Discuss the tips on the poster. Add to class list as necessary and agreed upon by students

Each student creates an A3 poster about their chosen 'Tip to Make Your Brain Smarter.'

Prior to starting, look at examples of good and bad posters. Discuss and create a list of "What makes a good poster?" - clear, easy to read, not too many words, simple clear illustrations Vs too busy, small print, too many words, small unclear illustrations.

- Students start by making a draft copy, identifying wording, layout and illustrations.
- Using the list of "What makes a good poster?" ask for feedback from a peer, then modify according to feedback.
- Using draft copy as guide, create poster.