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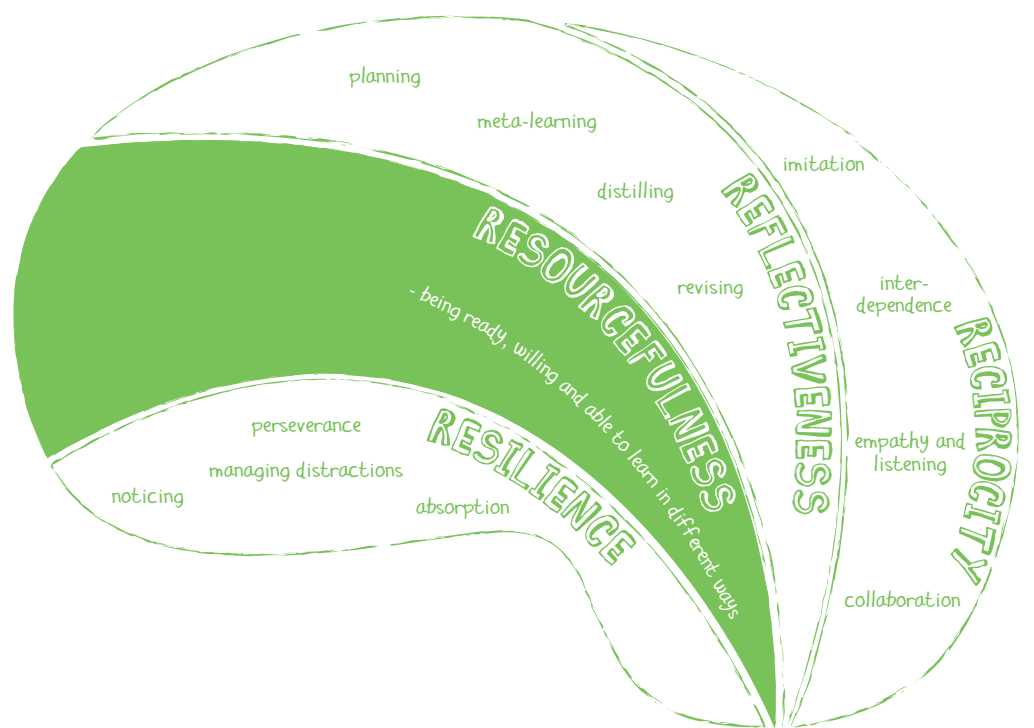
The cognitive aspects of learning; 'thinking'

The capacities that make up this disposition are:

Questioning Making Links Imagining Reasoning Capitalising

Making Links

Seeing connections between disparate events and experiences — building patterns — weaving a web of understanding.



A Taster Activity

MY GRANDMA WENT SHOPPING...

Organisation

Recommend group of no more than 12-15

- Play a game of "My grandma went shopping and she bought..."
- Let the children take turns and each time one of them adds another item, they have to explain their link to everyone else.
- Encourage the children to think of lots of different ways of linking items and reward their ingenuity.
- It can be fun to record the links with quick drawings and also to write them down like a shopping list.
- To take the learning a little bit further, it could be useful to share a real shopping list with your children and discuss the links that help you when actually shopping.
- For example, perhaps you list all the fruit and vegetables first, if they are found in the first aisle etc. Or perhaps you list all the breakfast foods together...

