**Frontal cortex/lobe**: One of the four lobes of the brain (subdivision of the cerebral cortex) located behind the forehead, above the eyes, which is considered to be critical for language, planning, reasoning, voluntary attention and movement (e.g., planning your next move in a game), and associated with certain aspects of memory and insight.

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